



# Appendix F

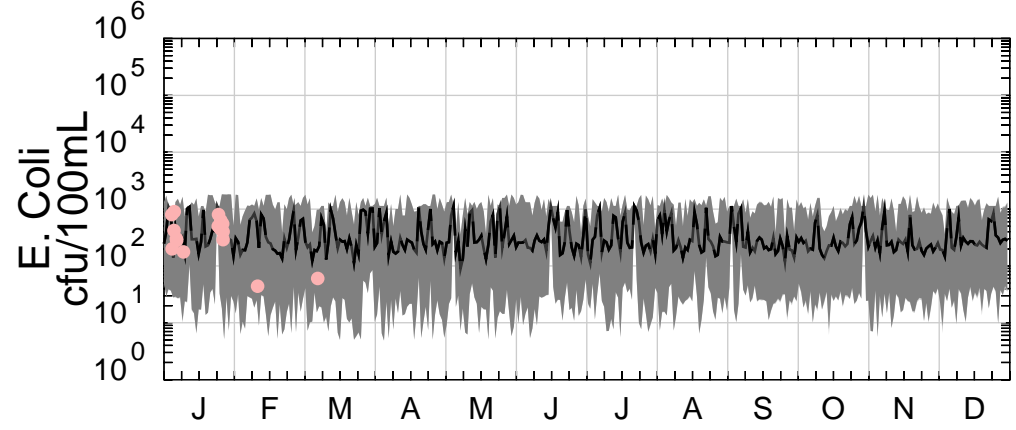
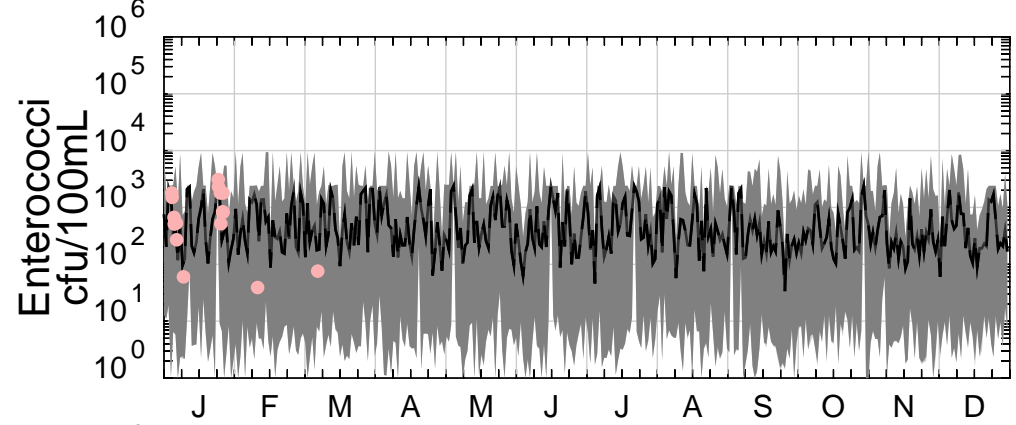
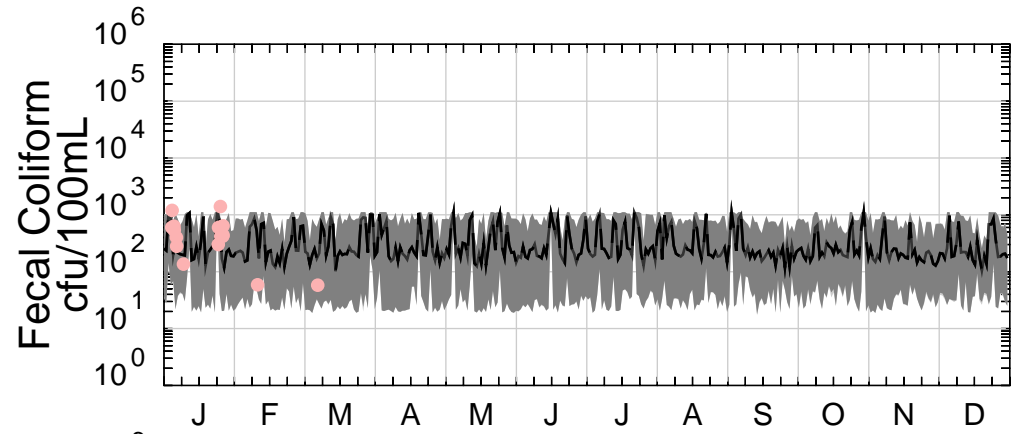
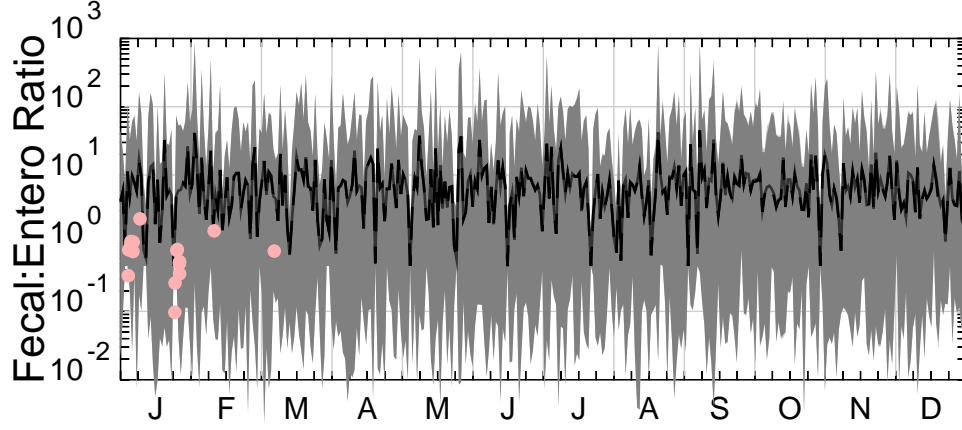
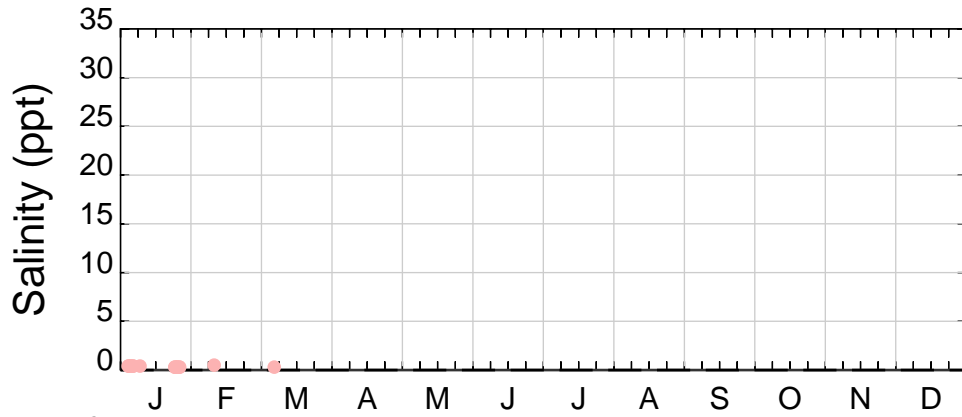
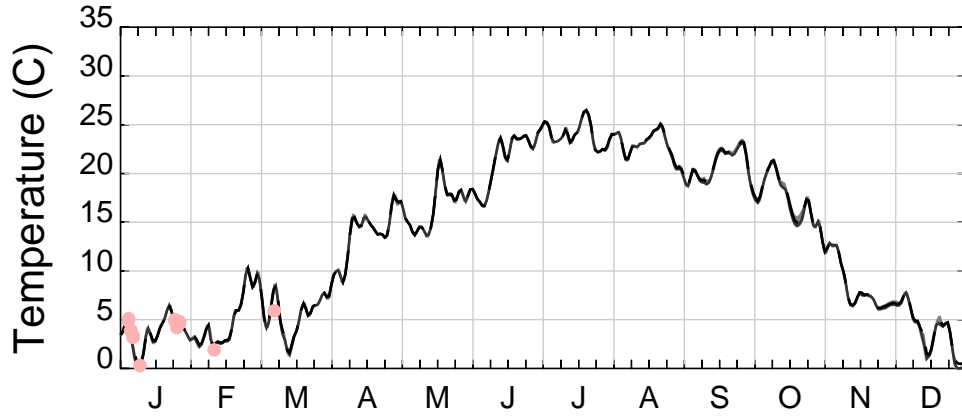
## Additional Water Quality Model Validation Figures



# Appendix F-1

## Additional Validation Annual Time-Series Figures

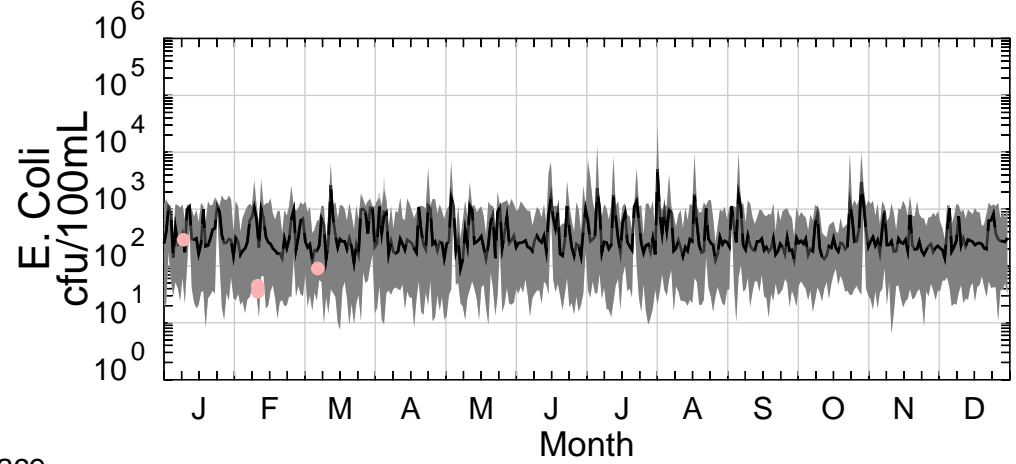
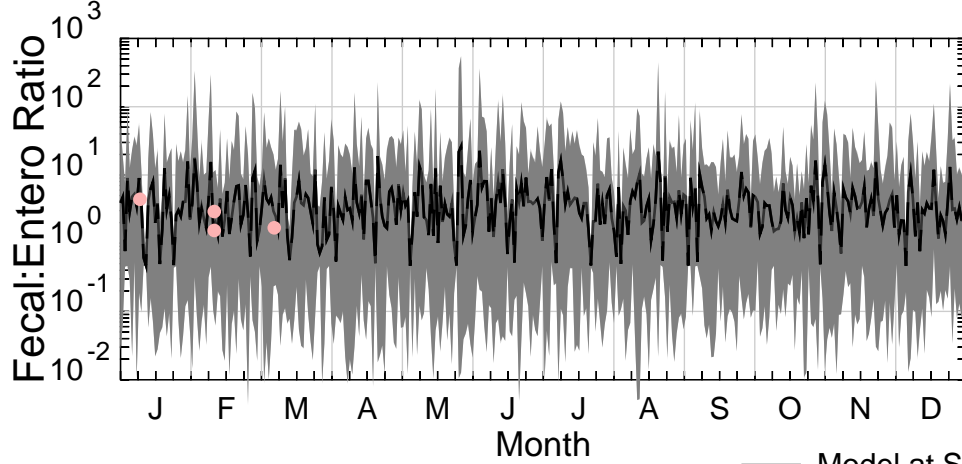
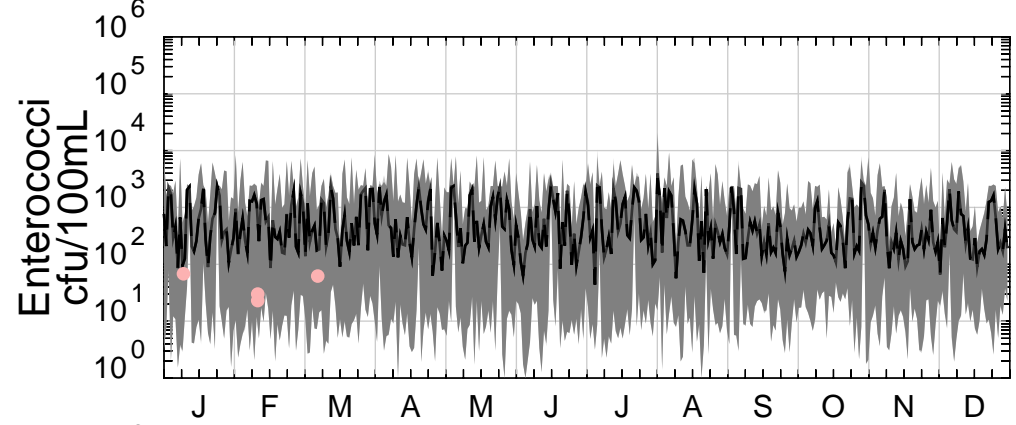
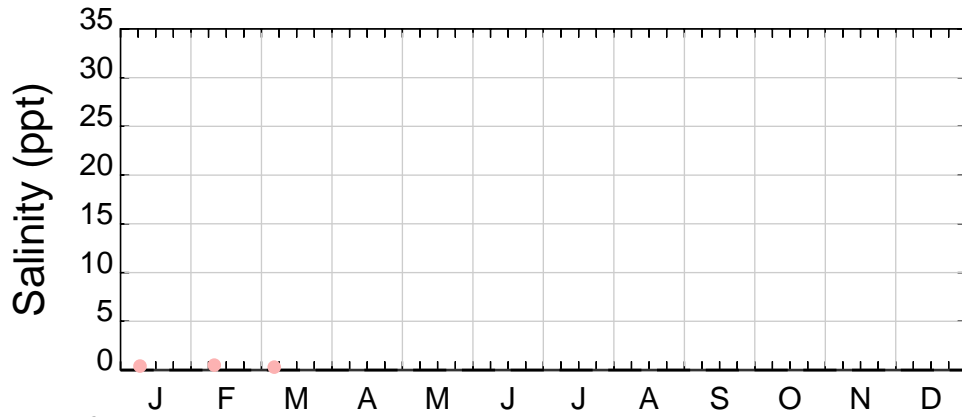
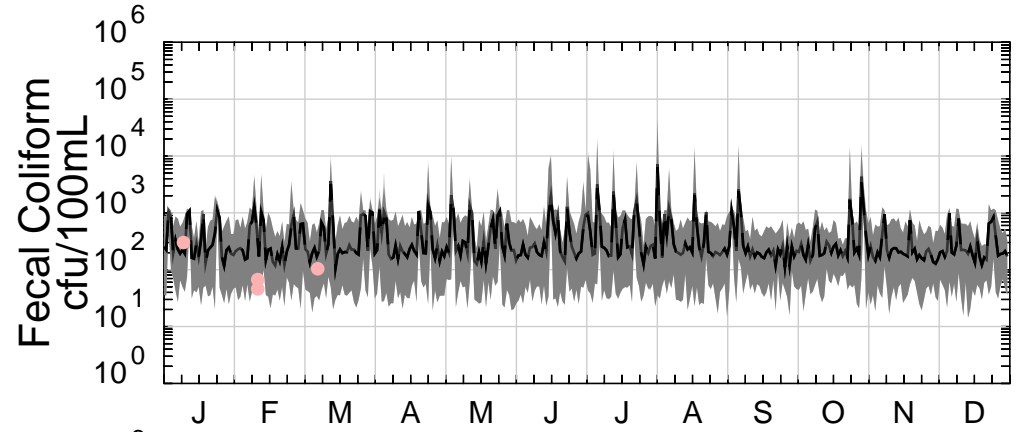
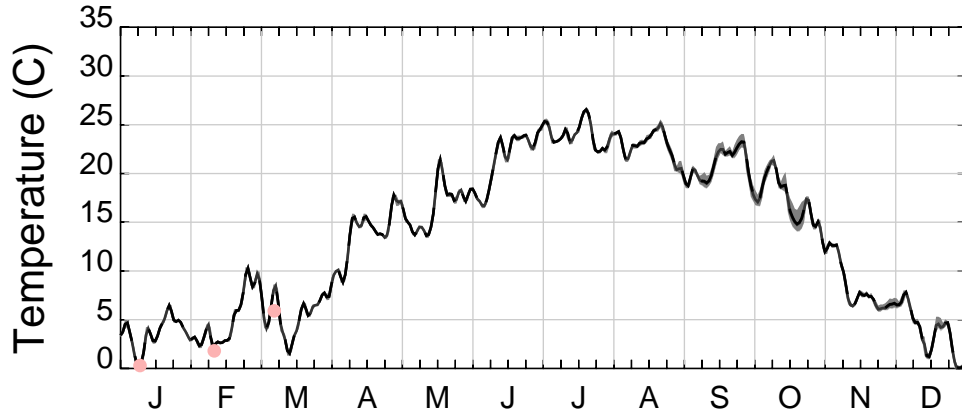
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- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

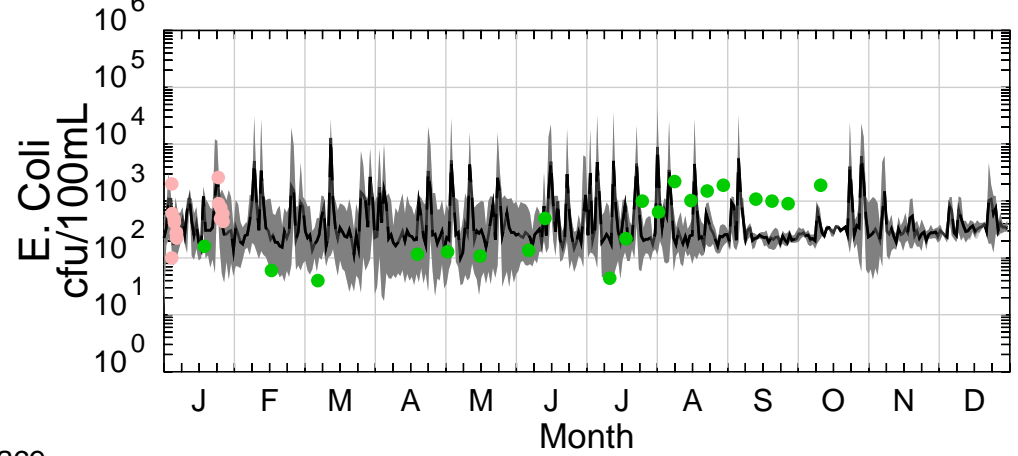
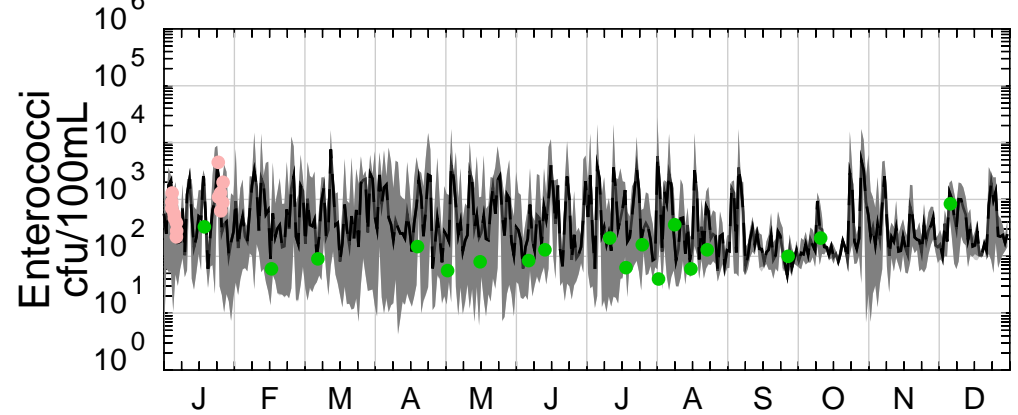
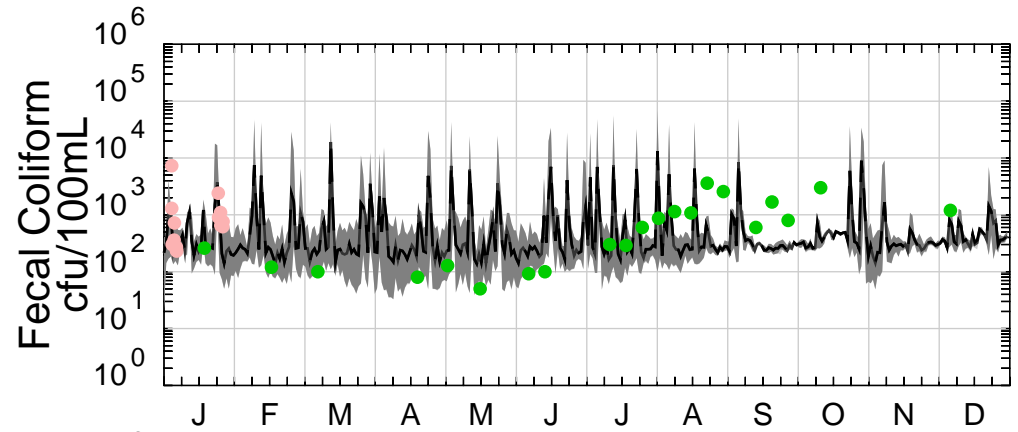
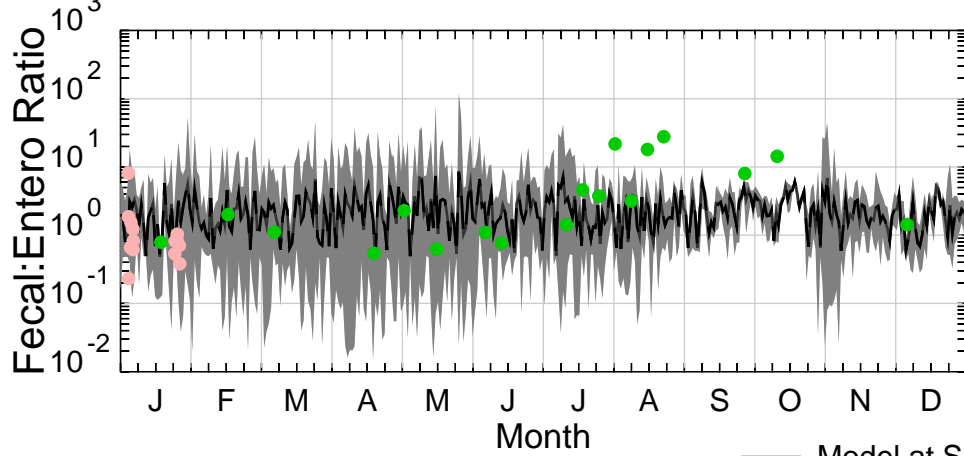
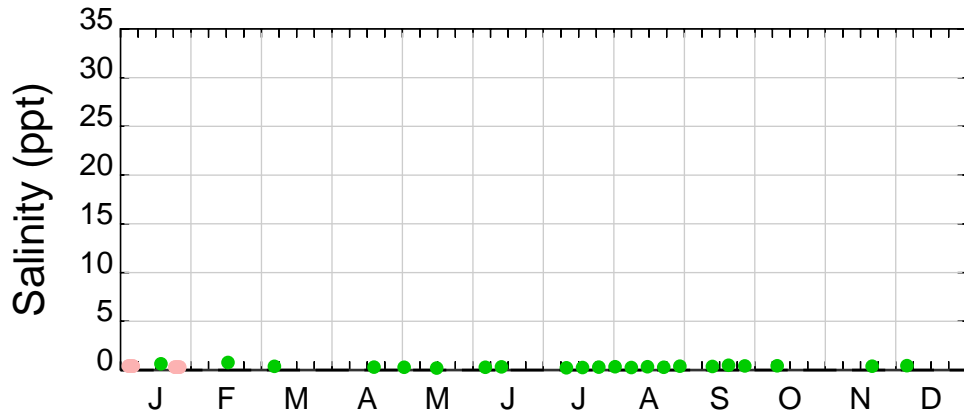
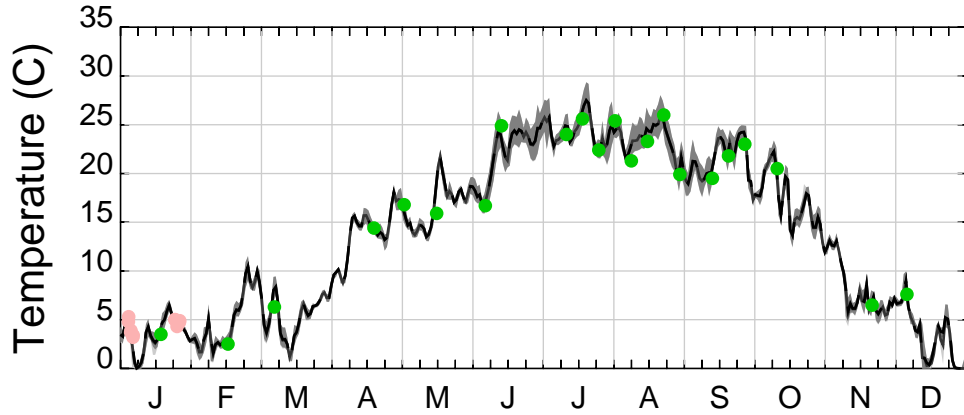
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- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

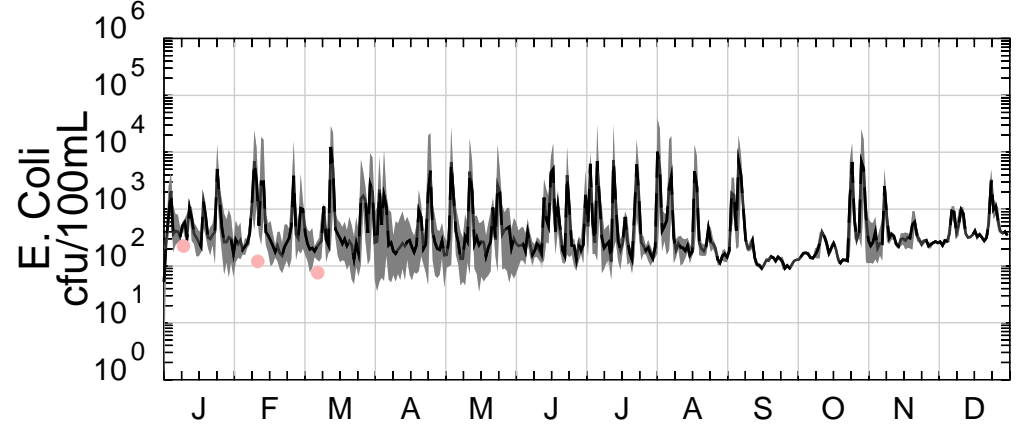
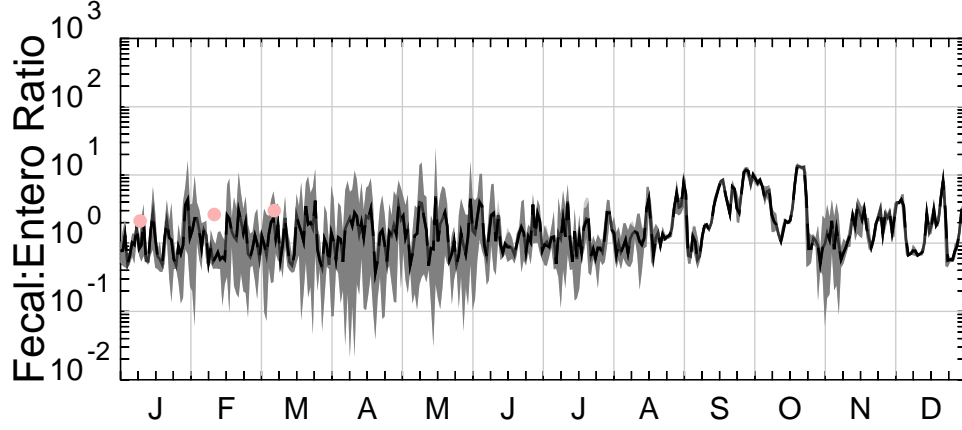
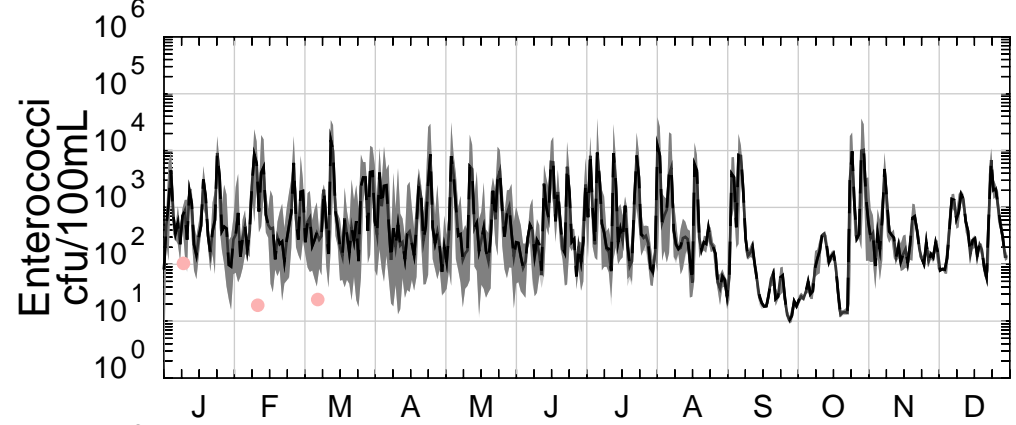
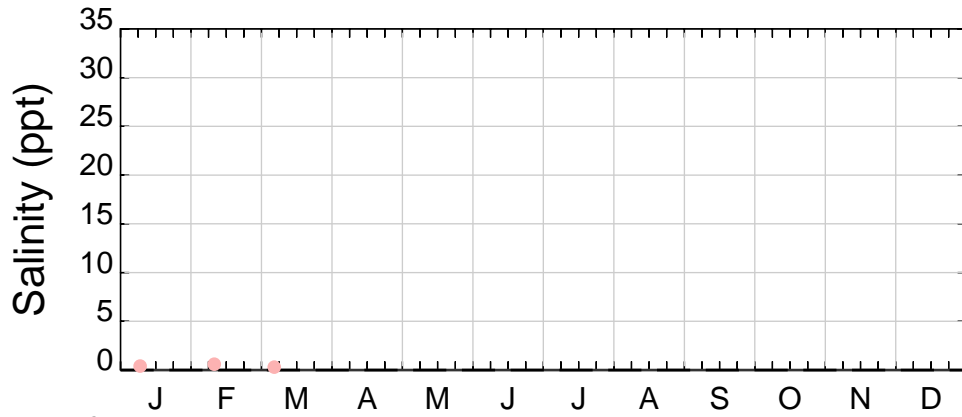
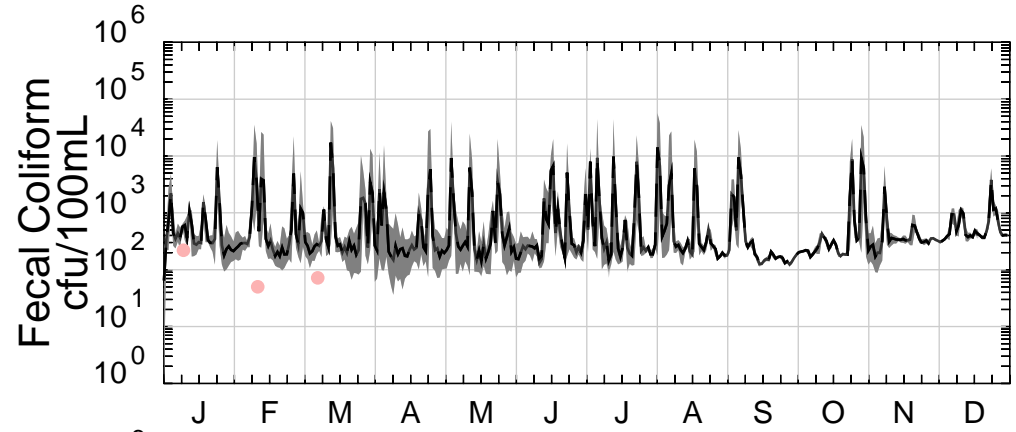
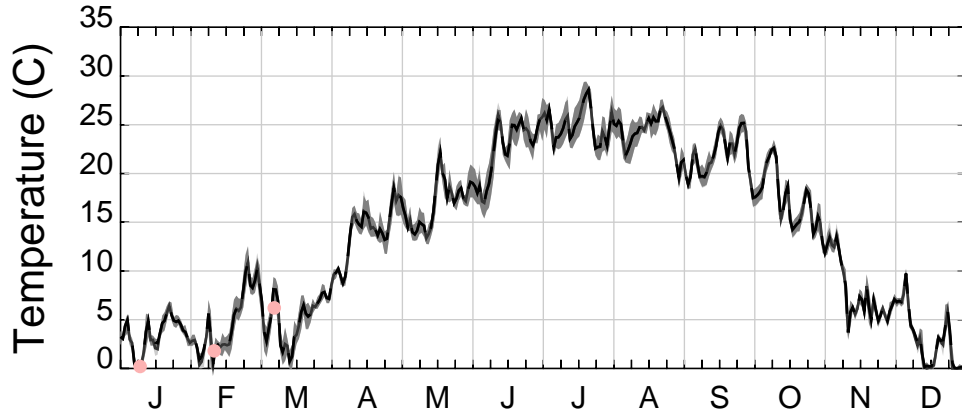
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- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

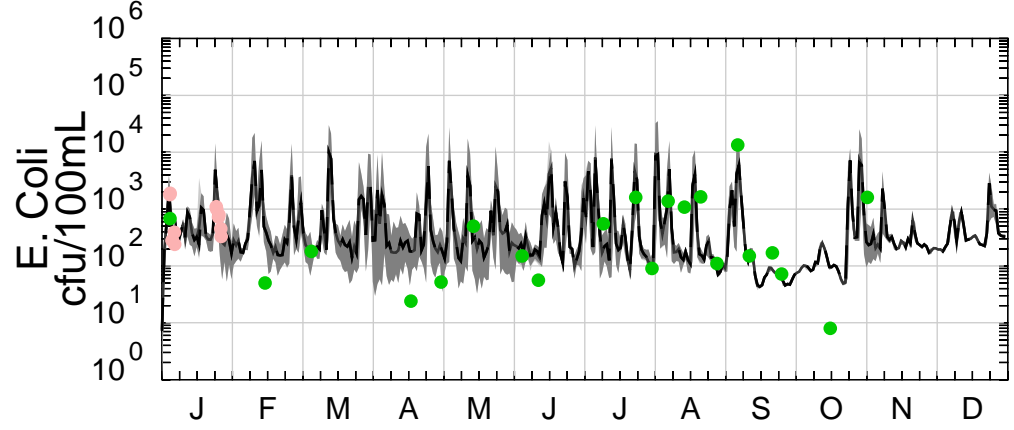
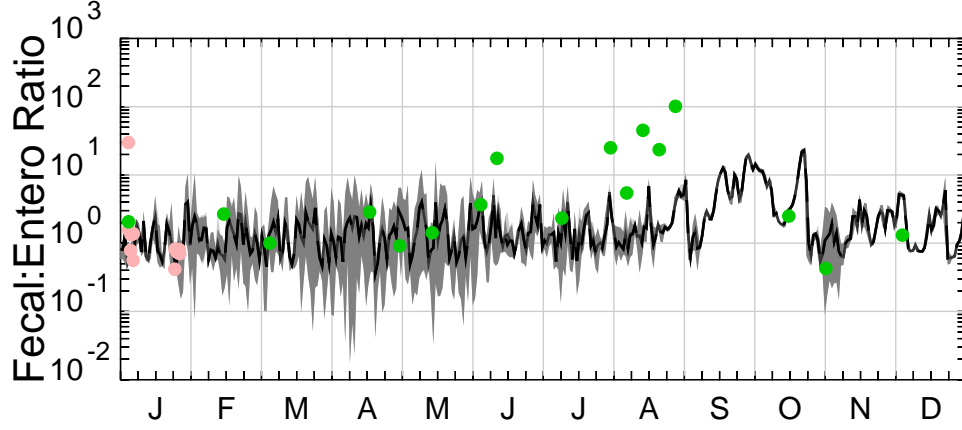
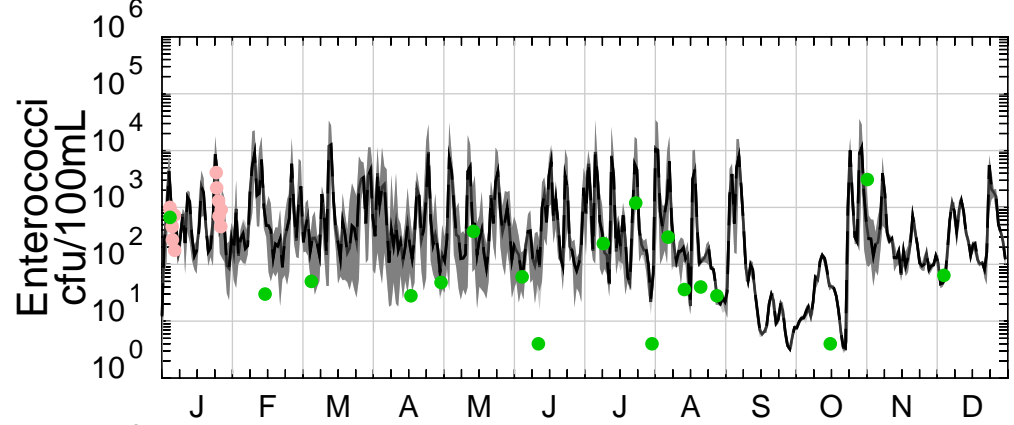
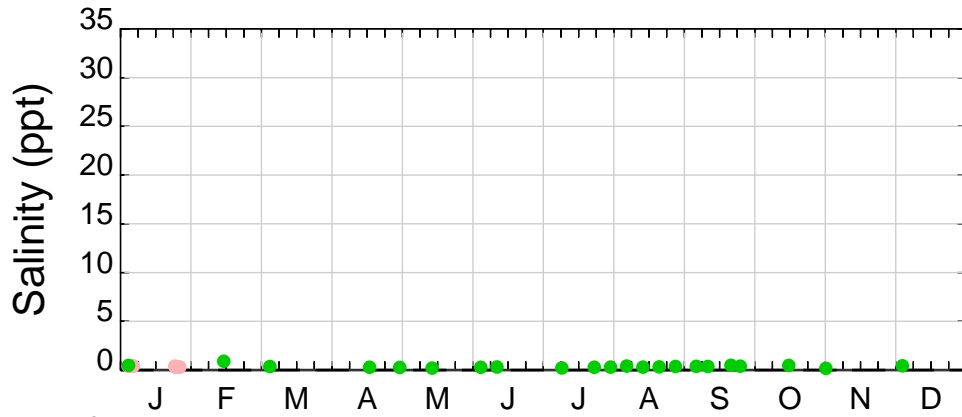
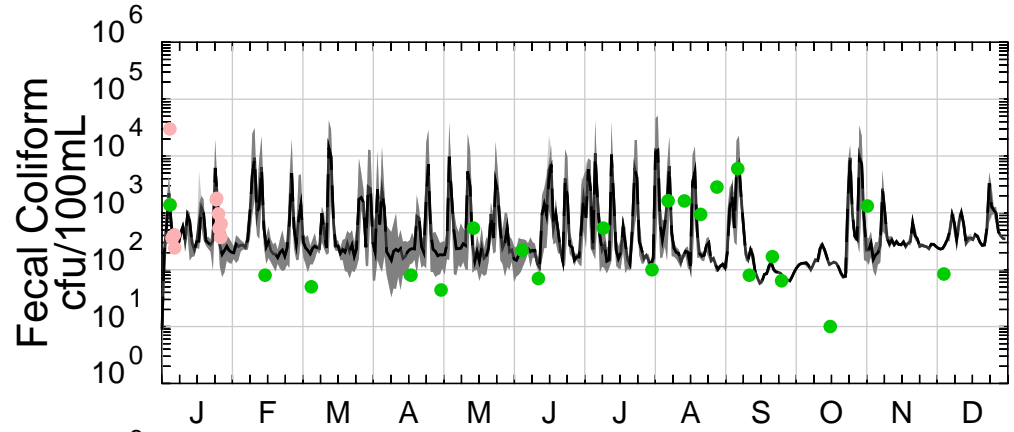
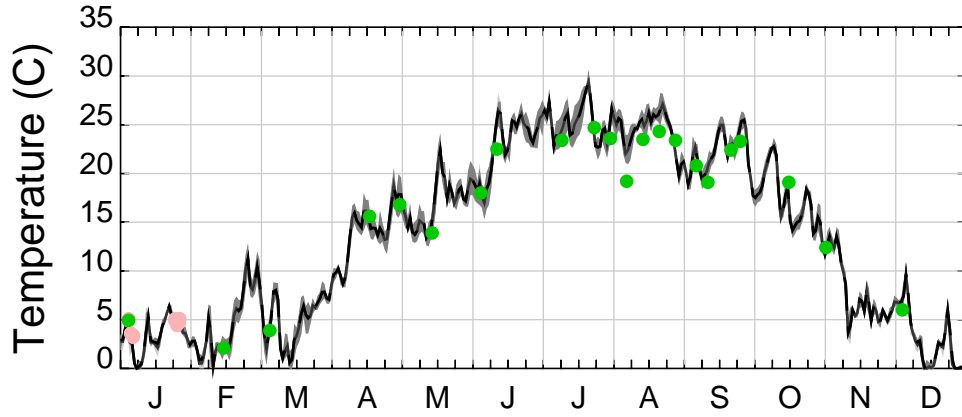
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- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 4

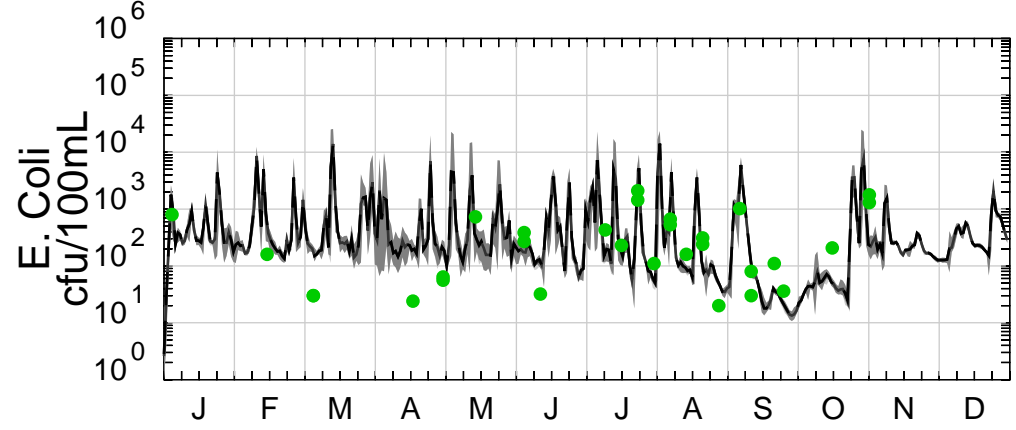
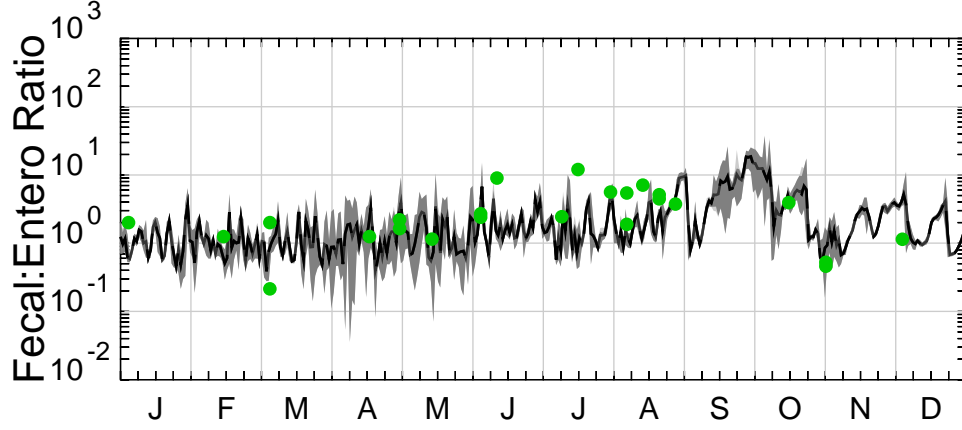
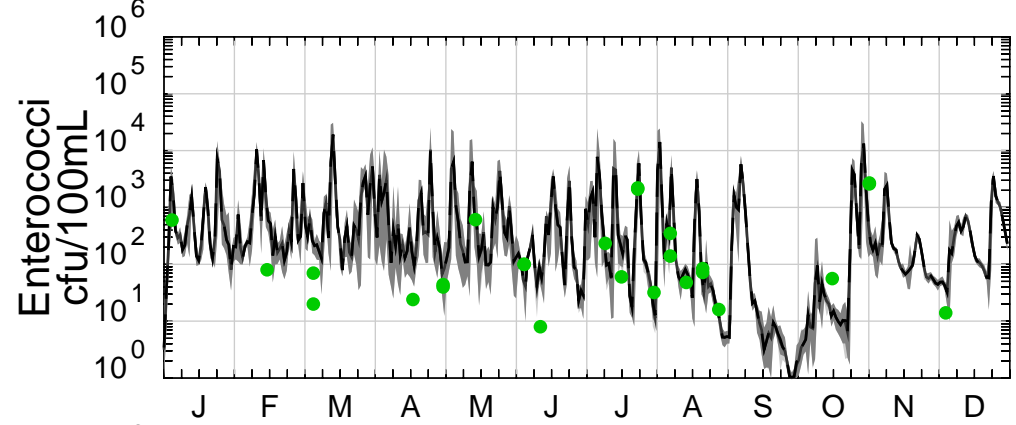
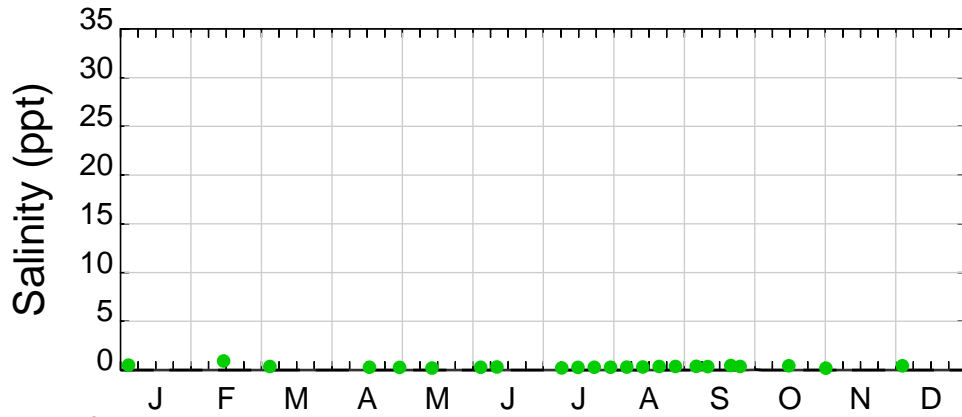
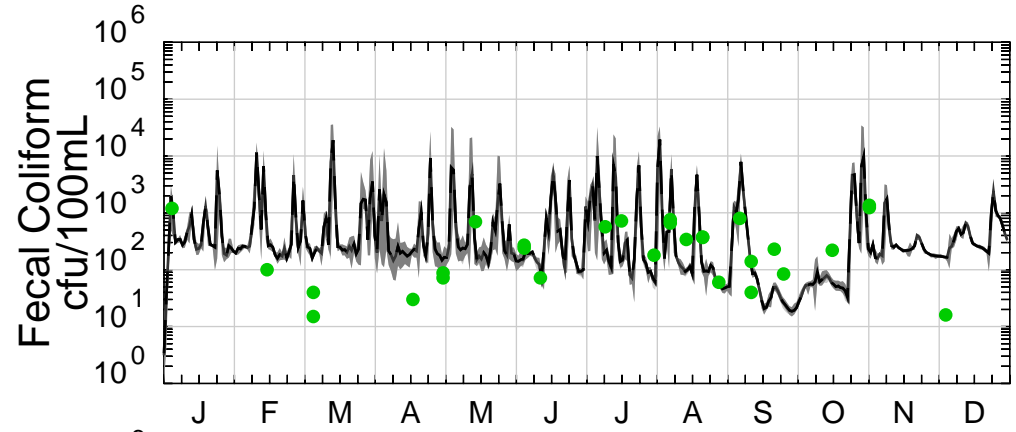
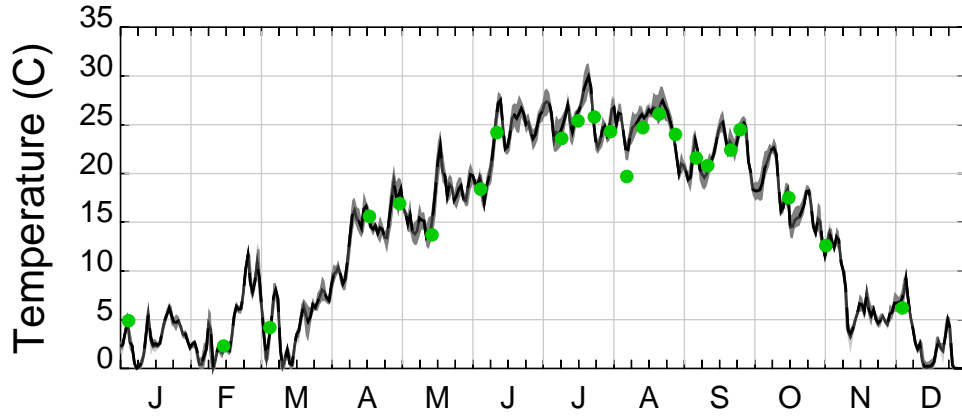


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 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 5

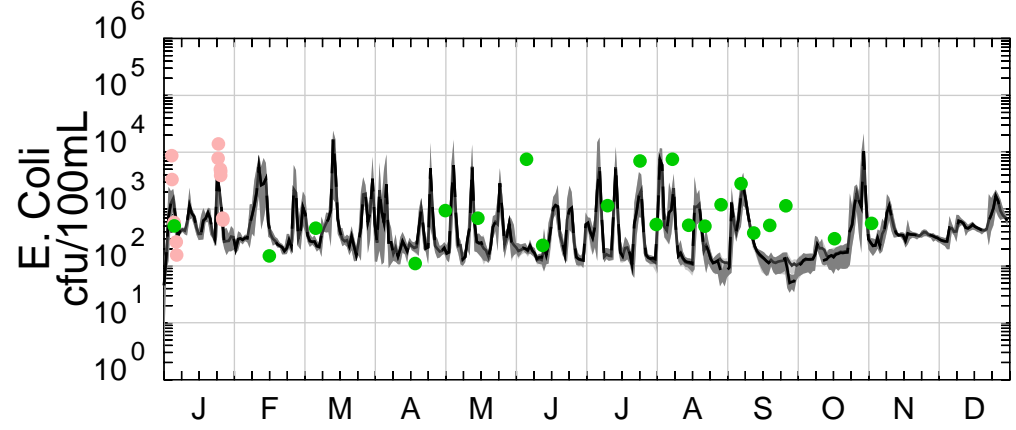
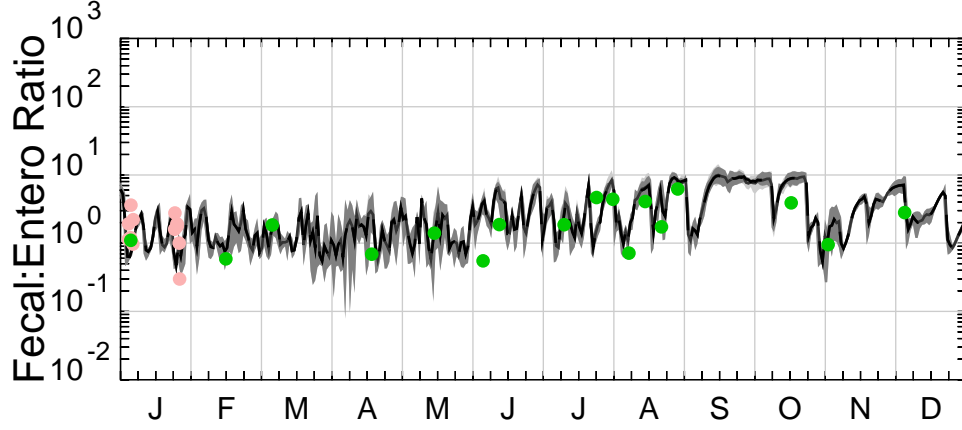
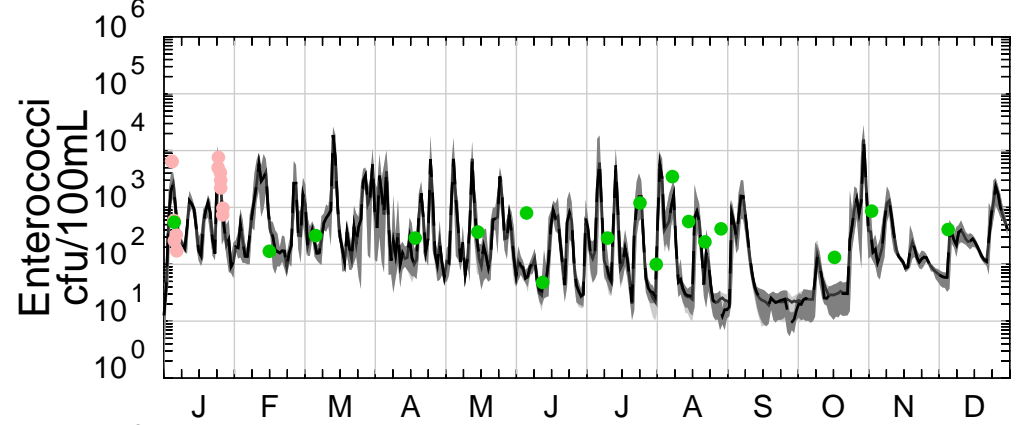
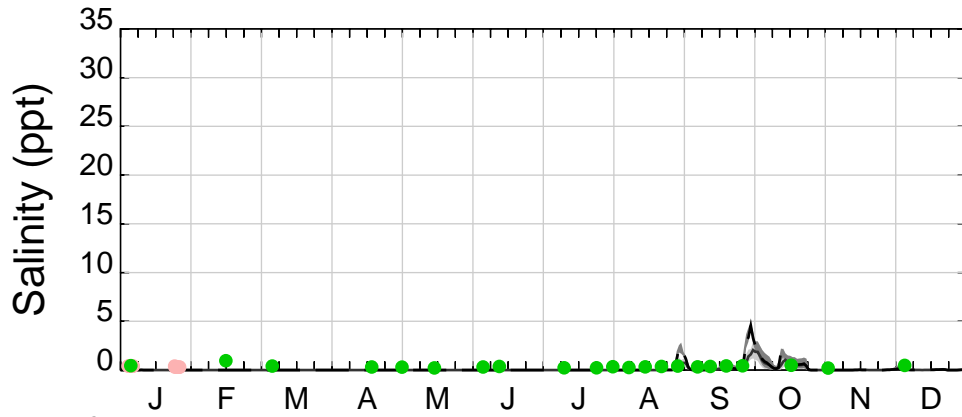
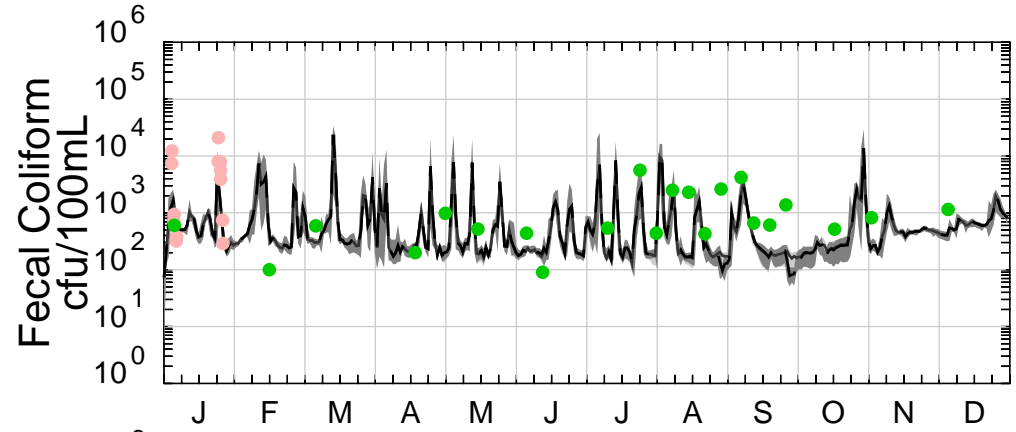
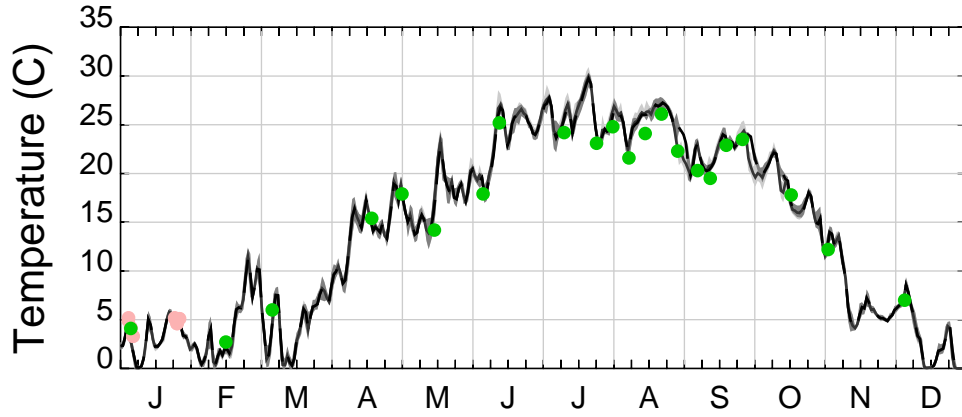


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- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



Station: 7

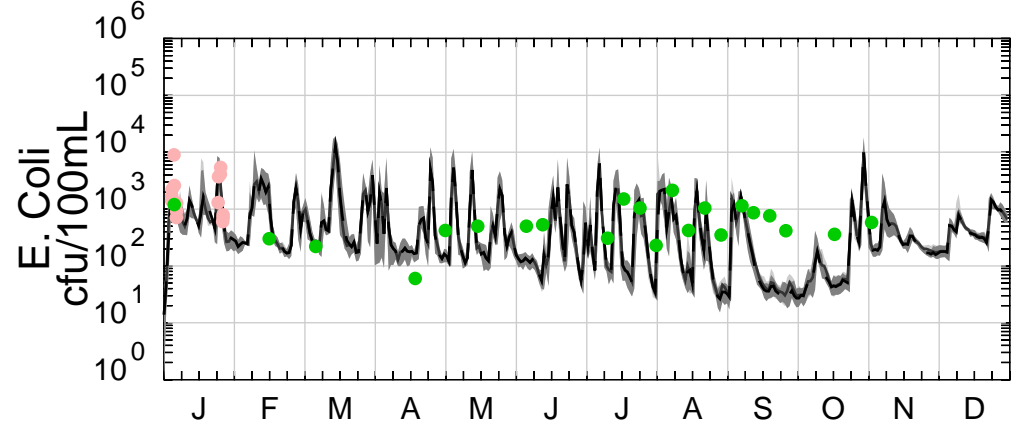
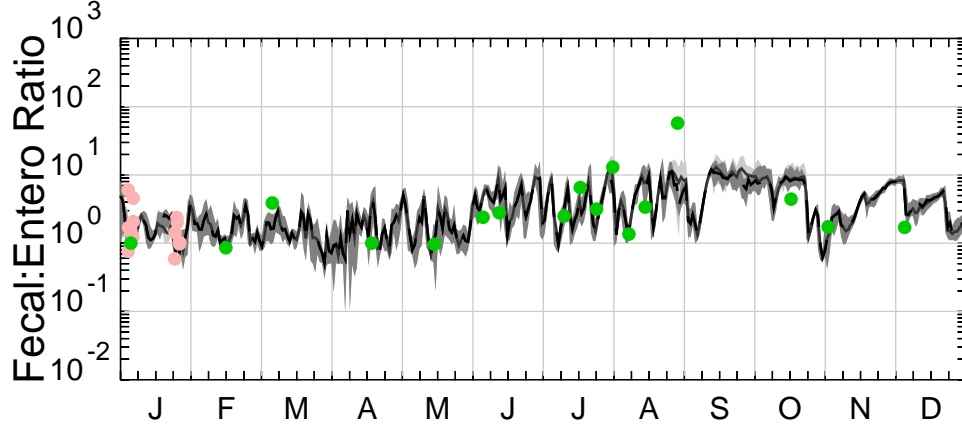
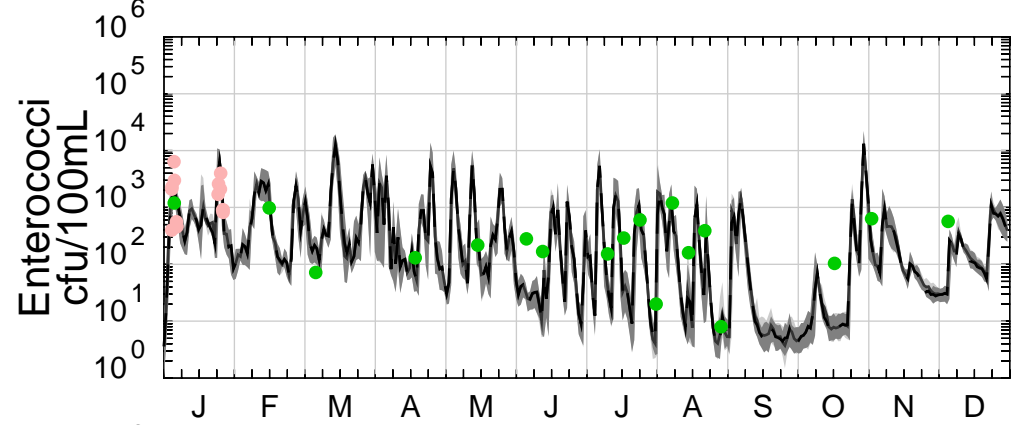
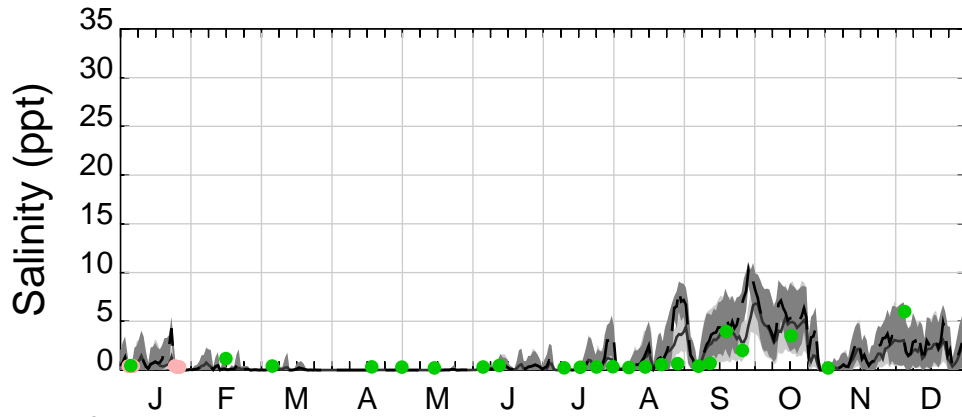
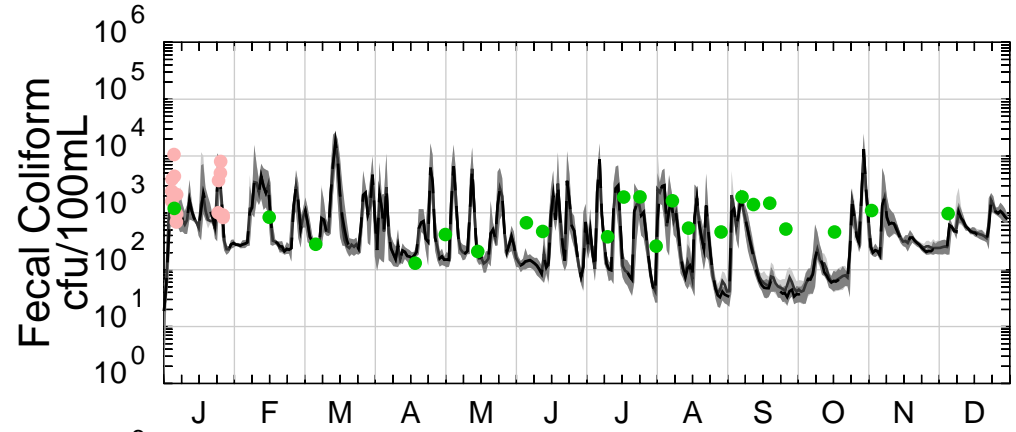
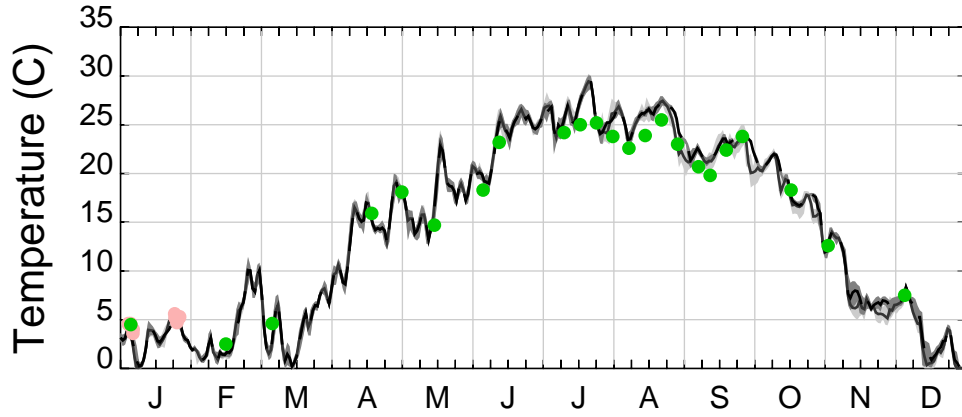


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— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 8



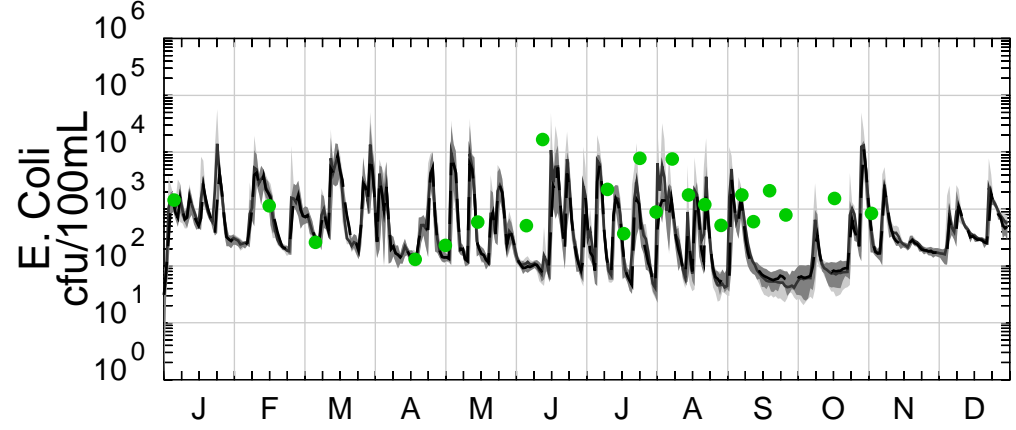
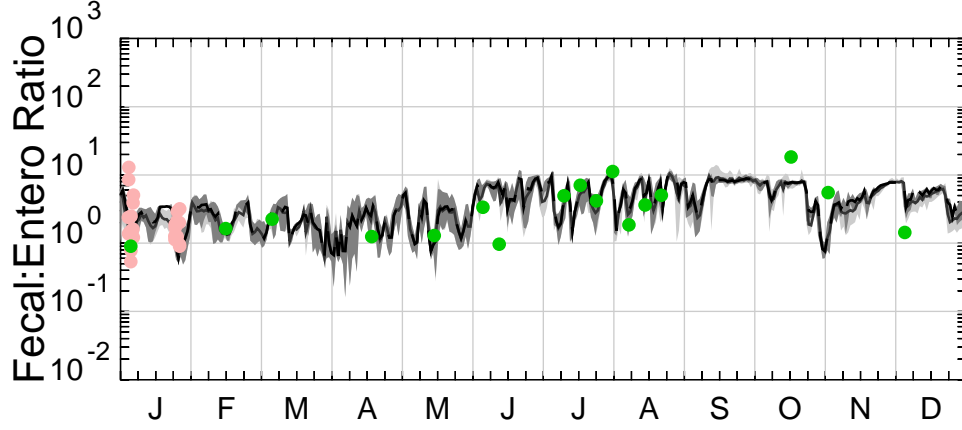
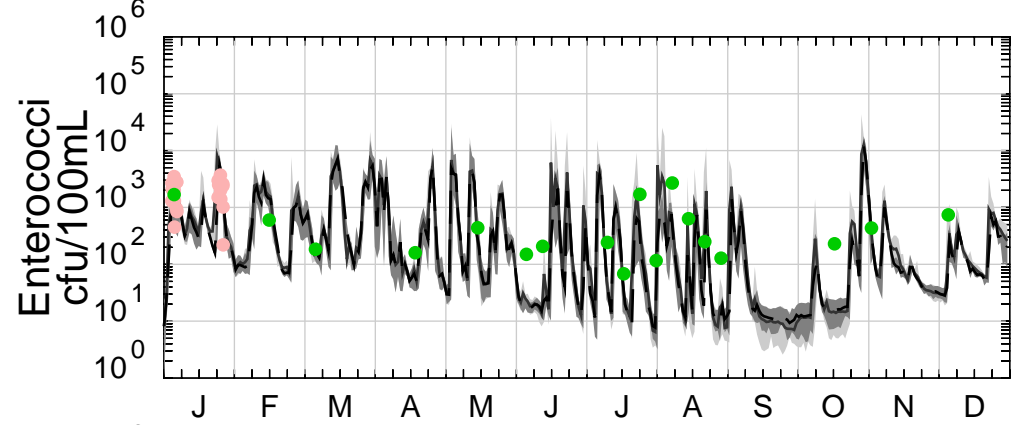
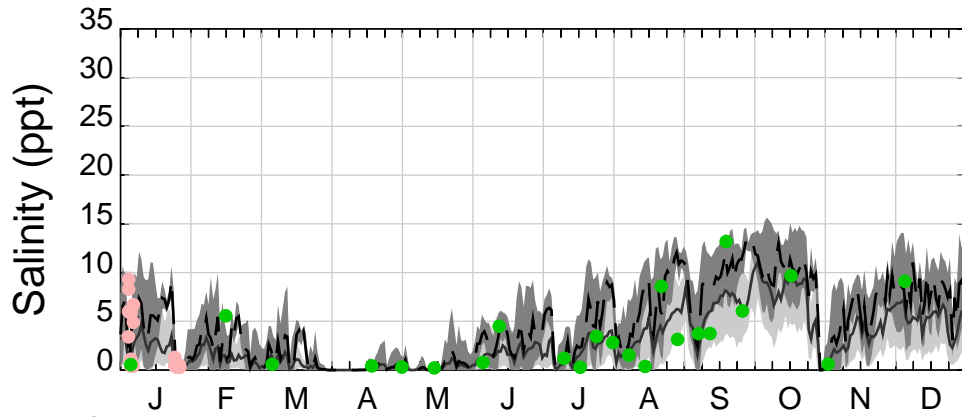
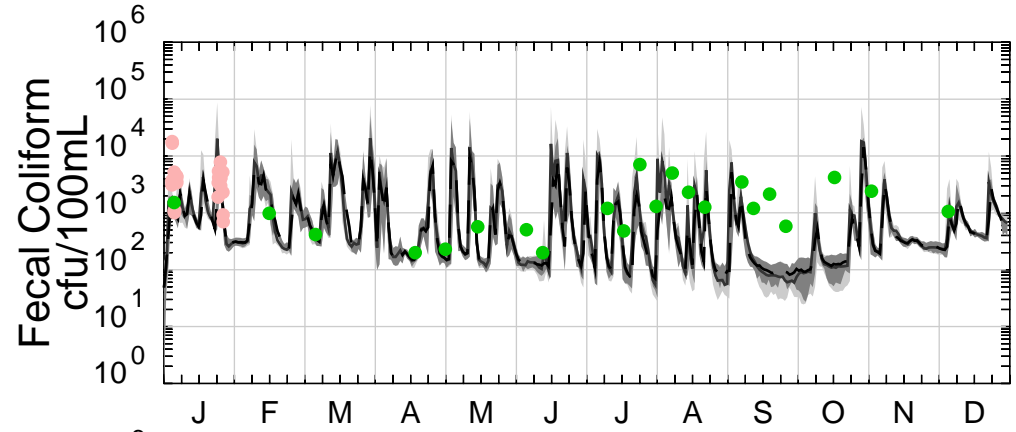
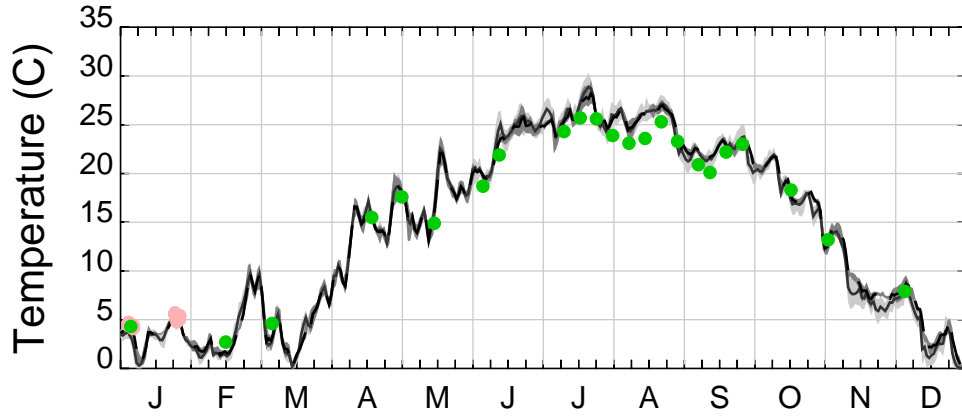
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Month

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 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 10



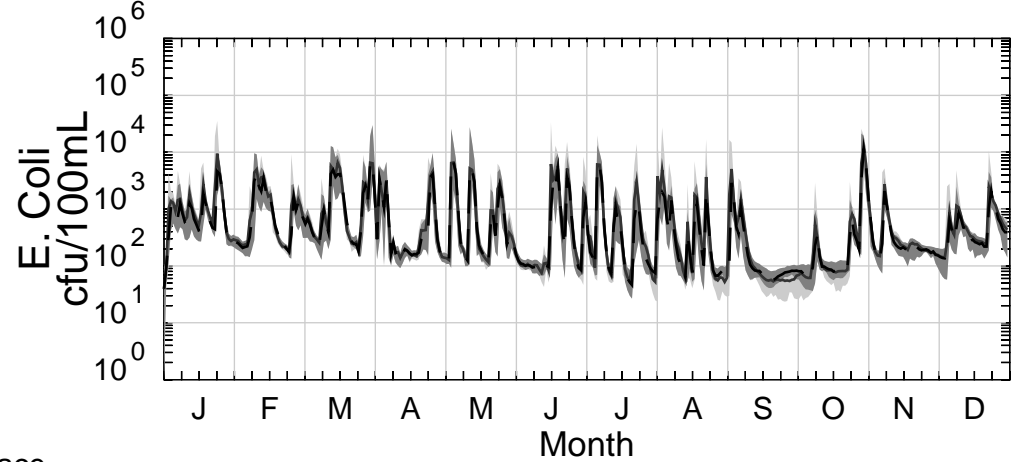
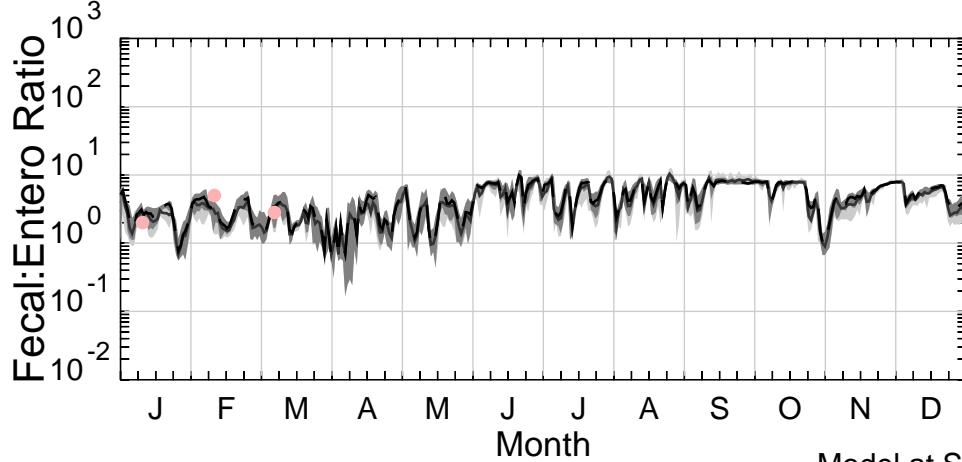
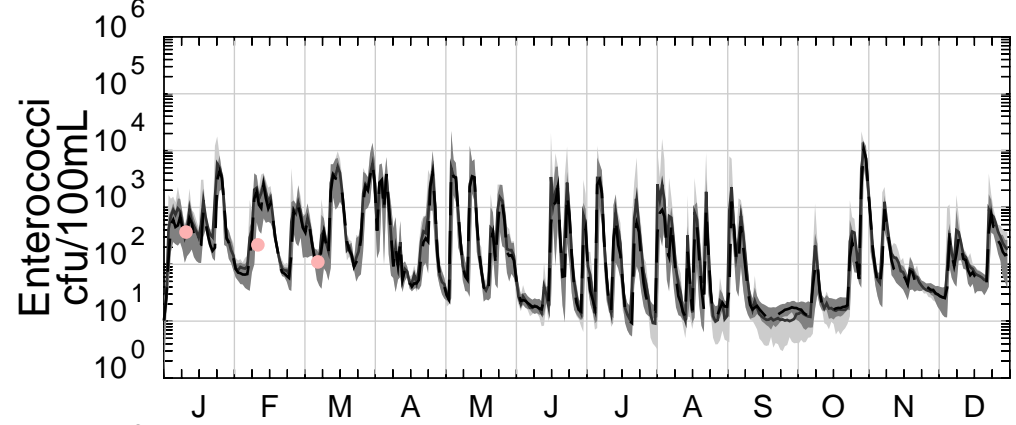
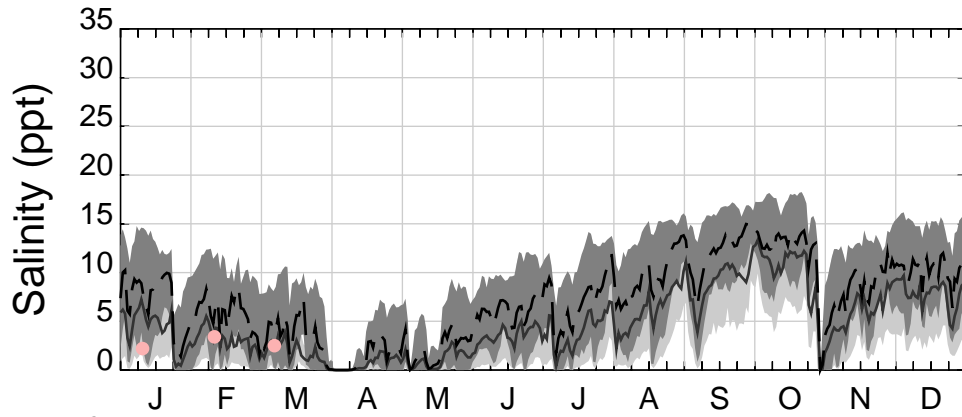
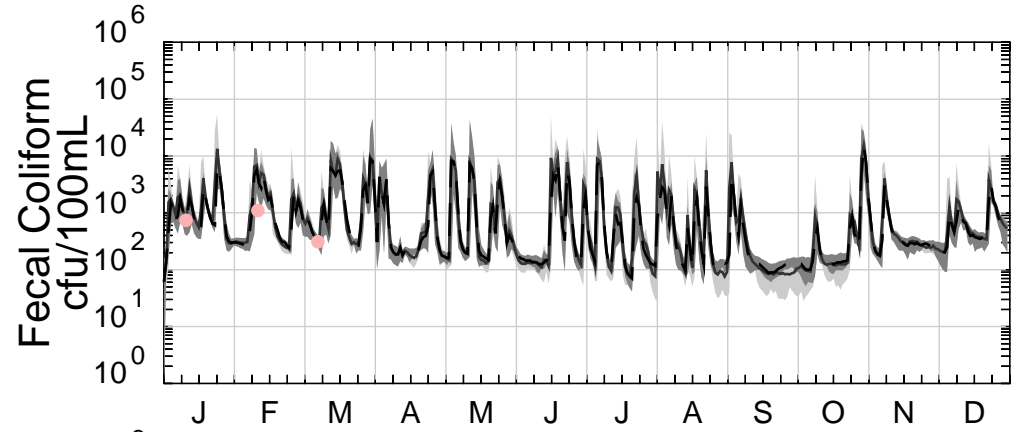
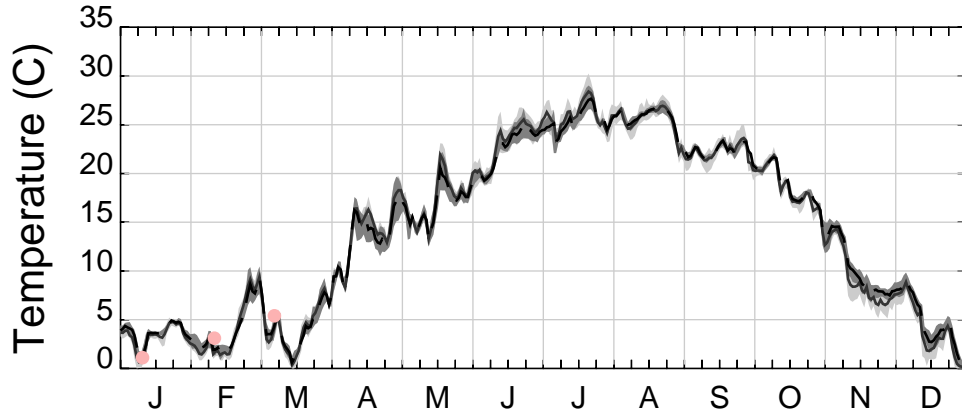
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- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

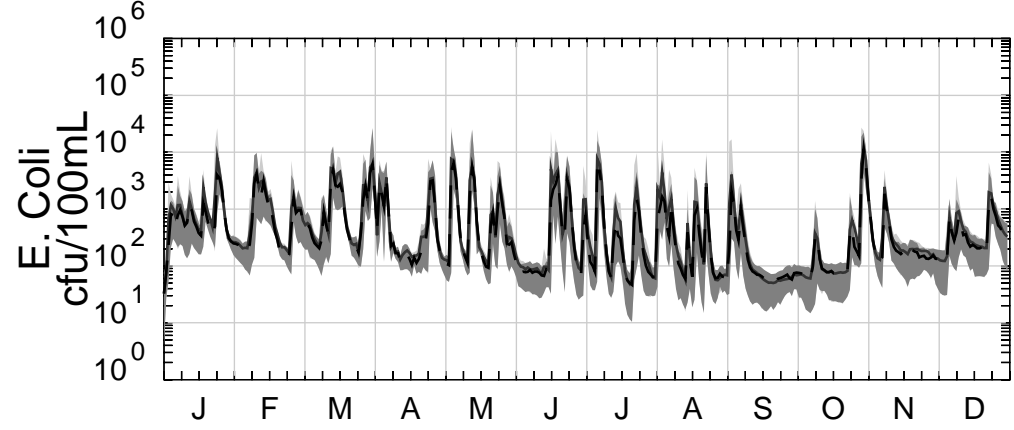
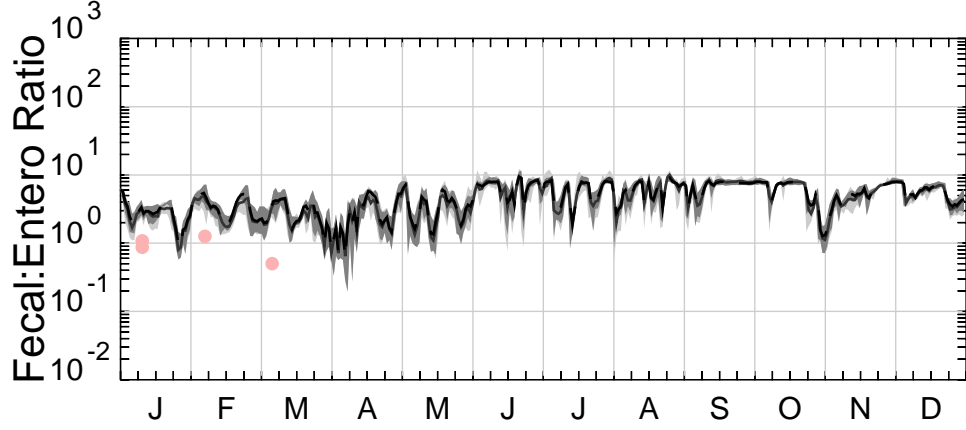
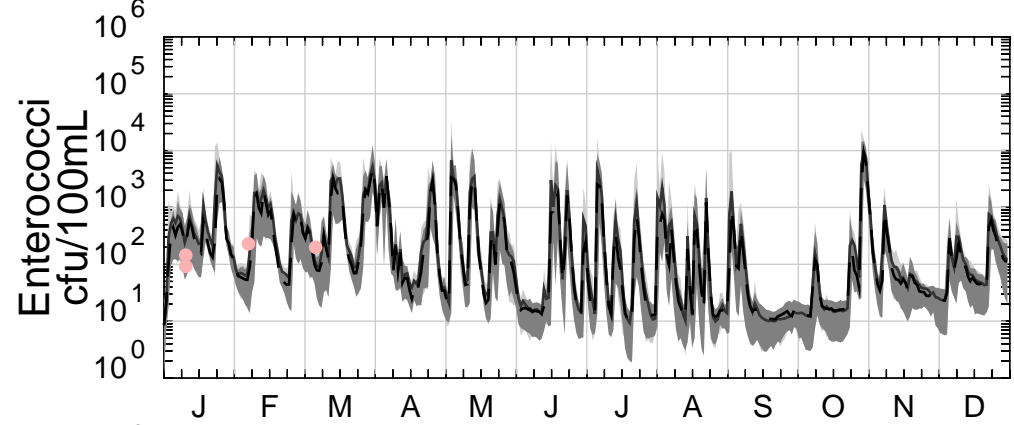
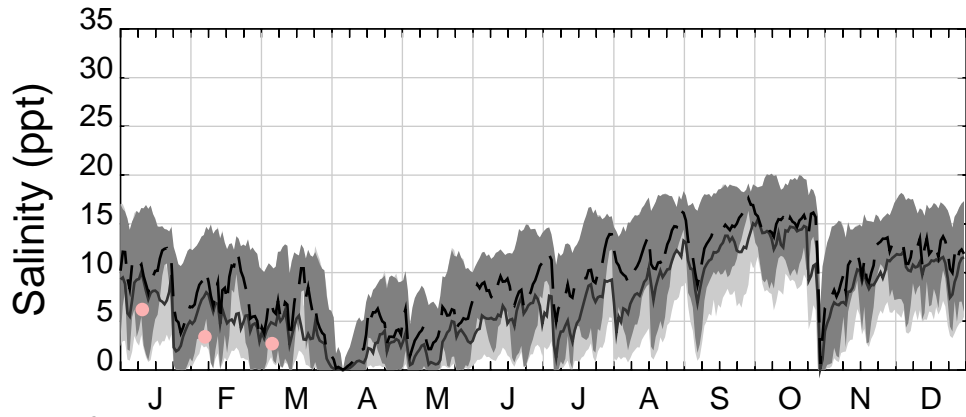
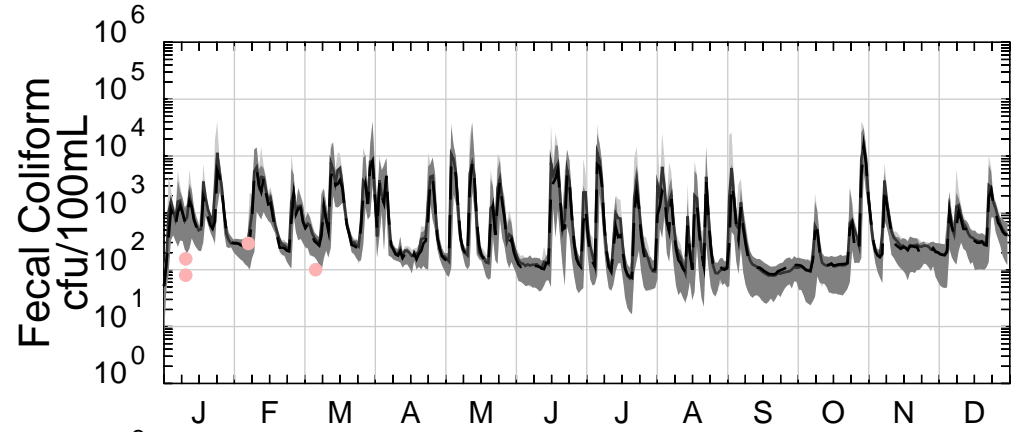
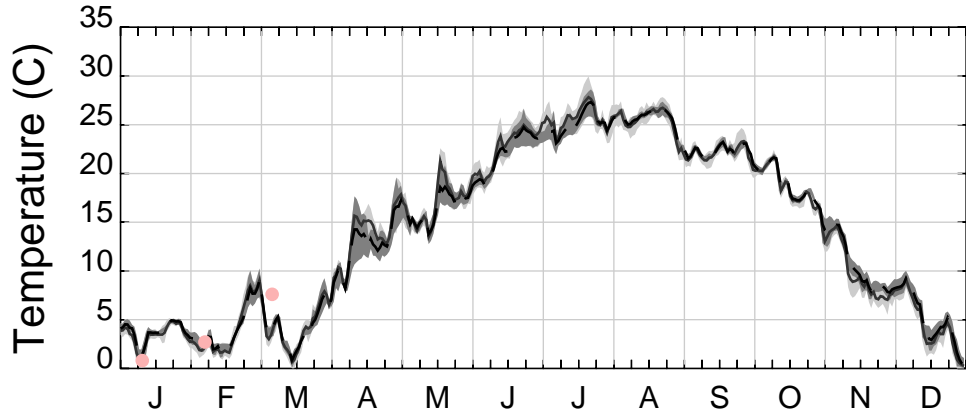
Station: 11



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- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

**Station: B8**

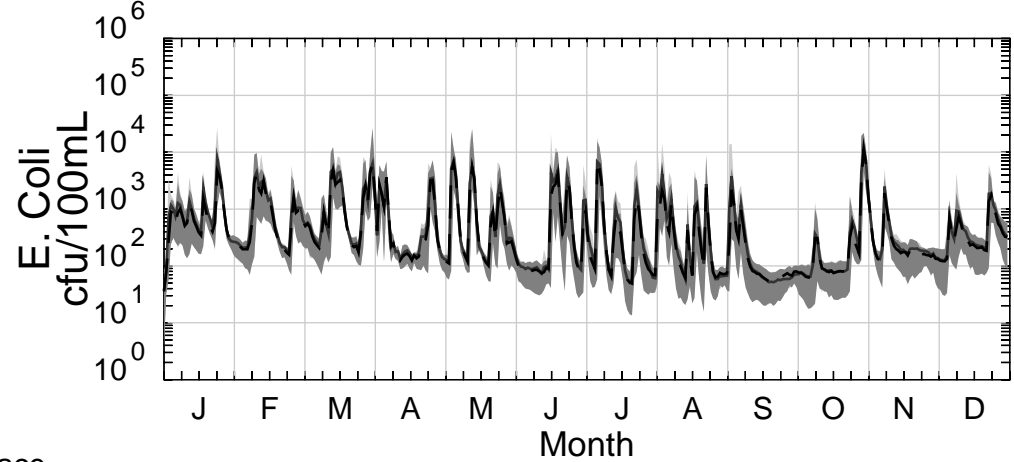
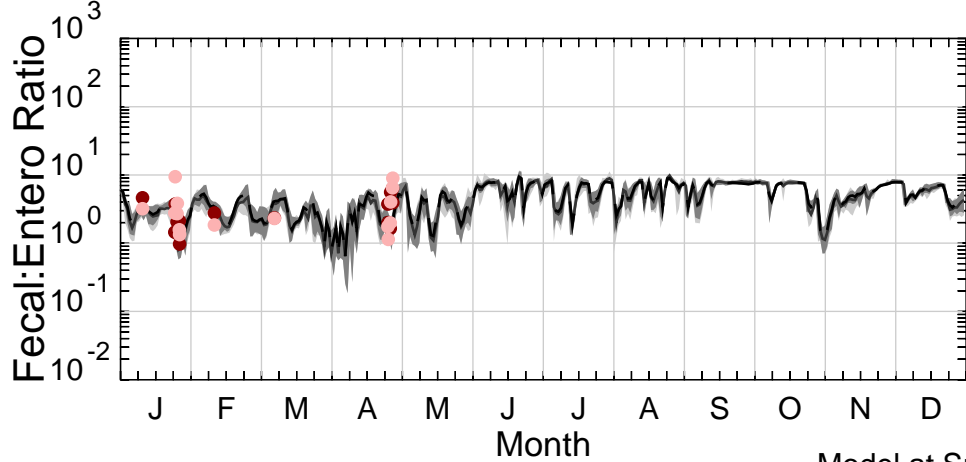
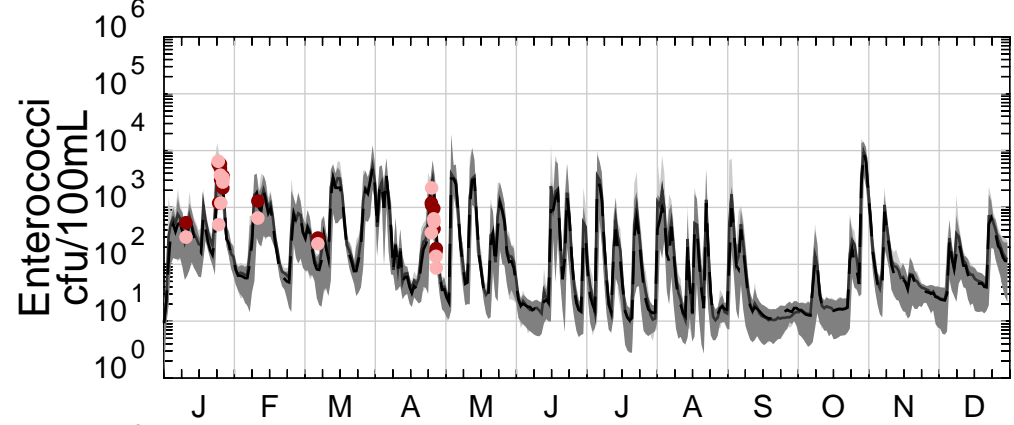
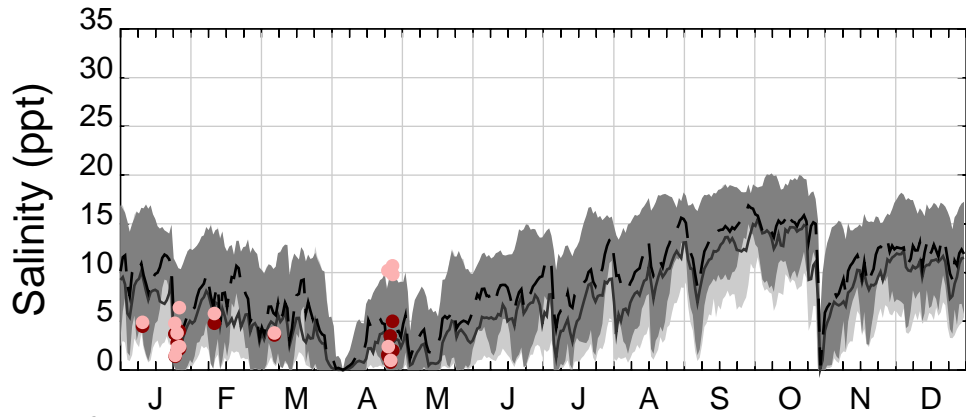
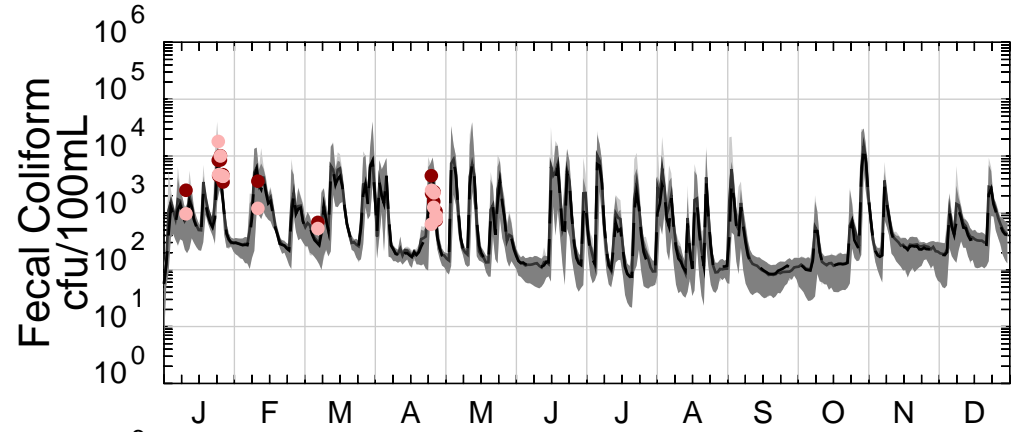
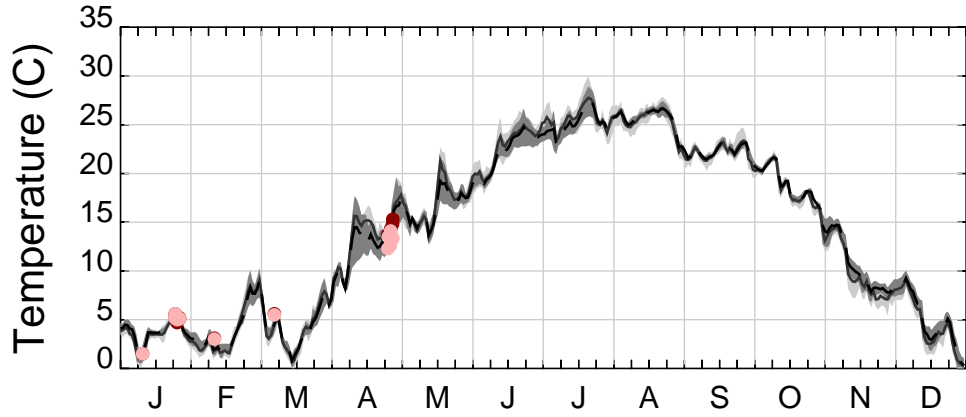


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 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

**Station: B6**



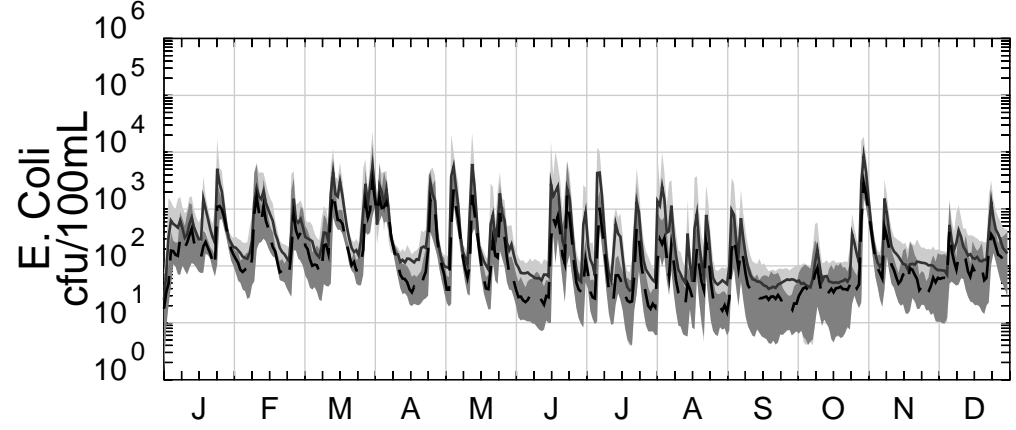
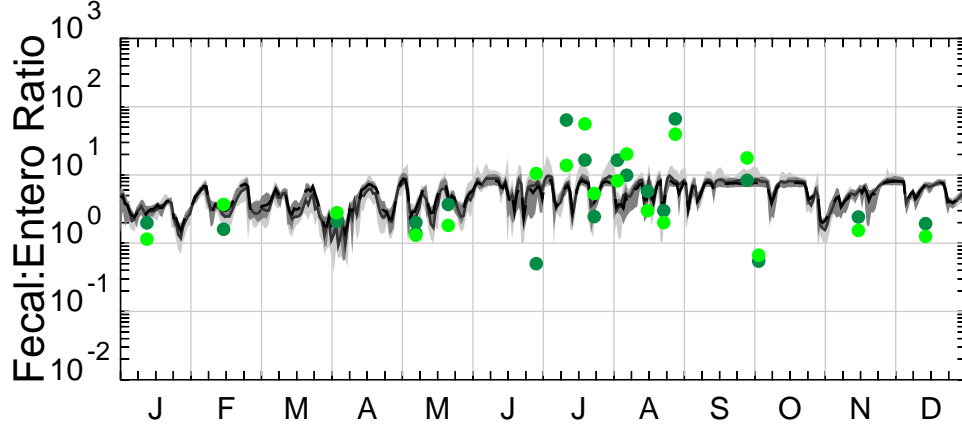
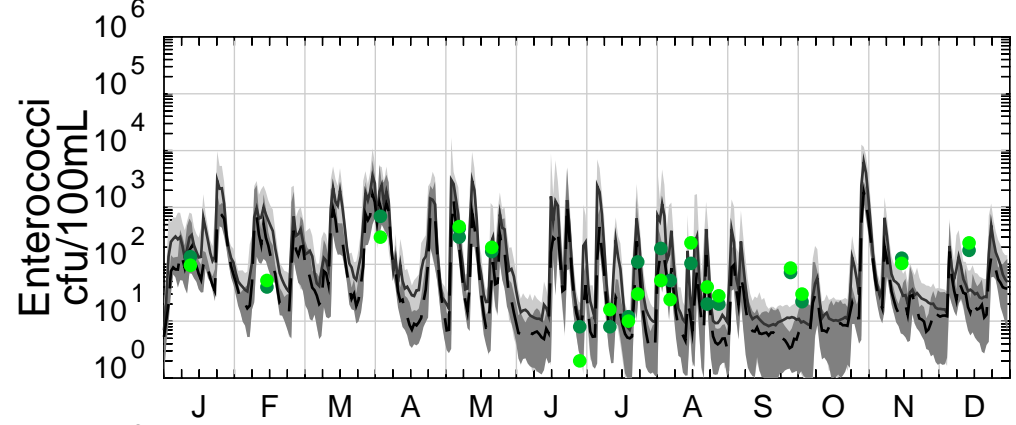
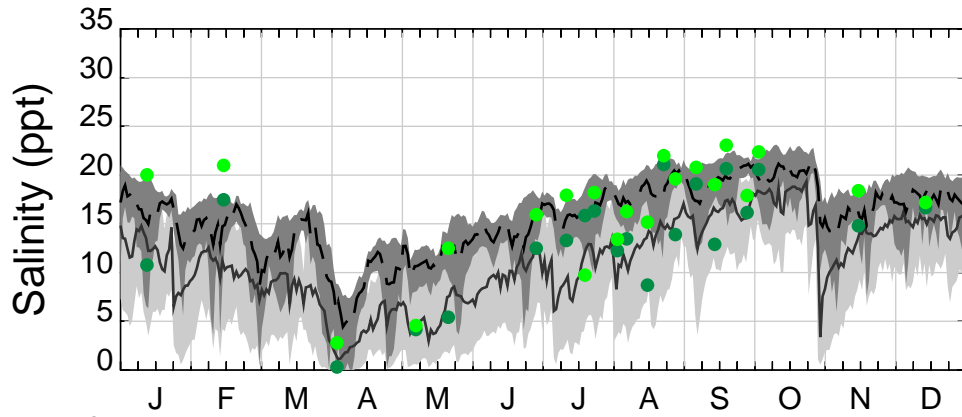
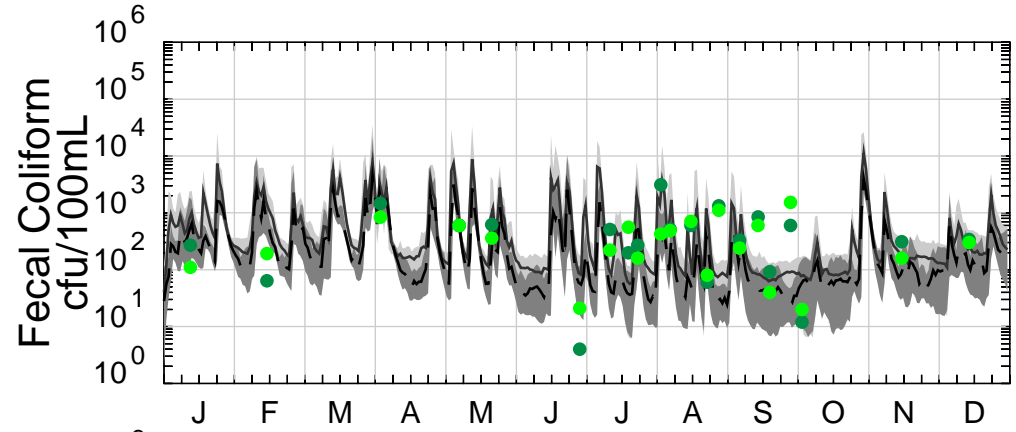
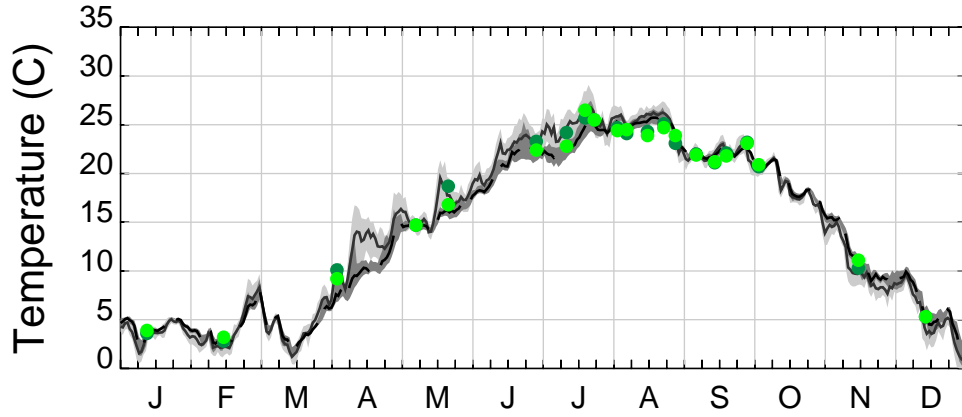
Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
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 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



Station: 12

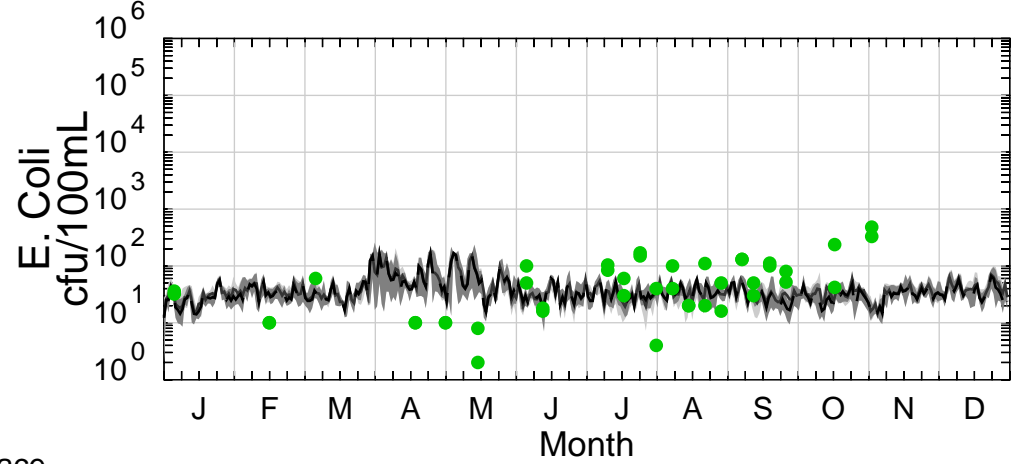
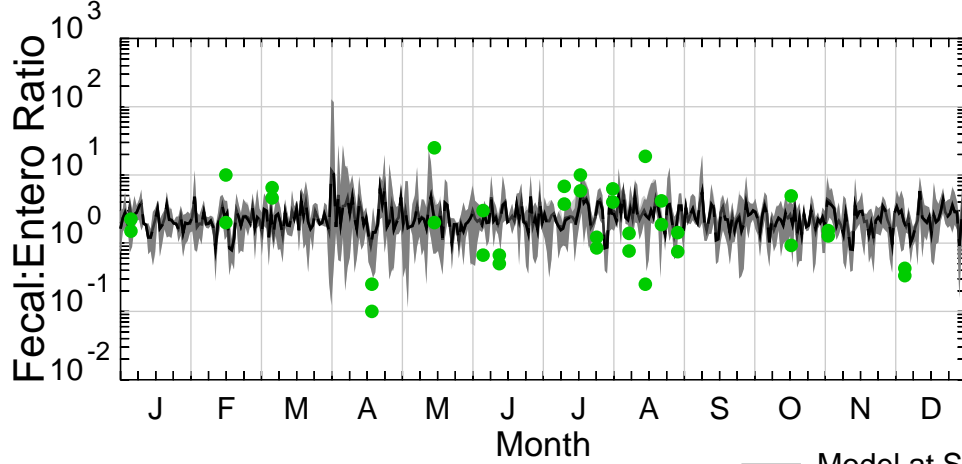
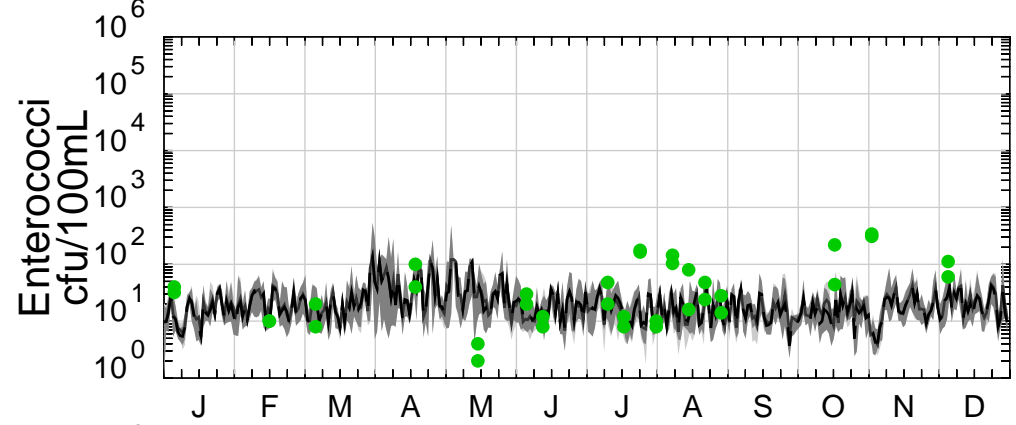
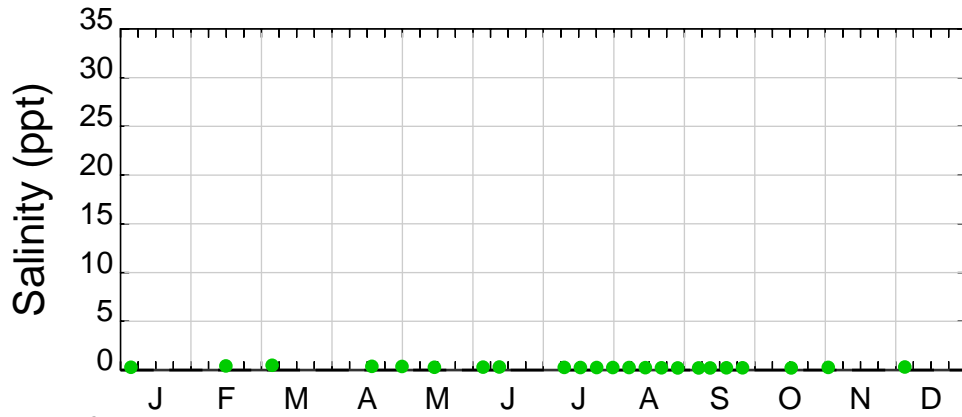
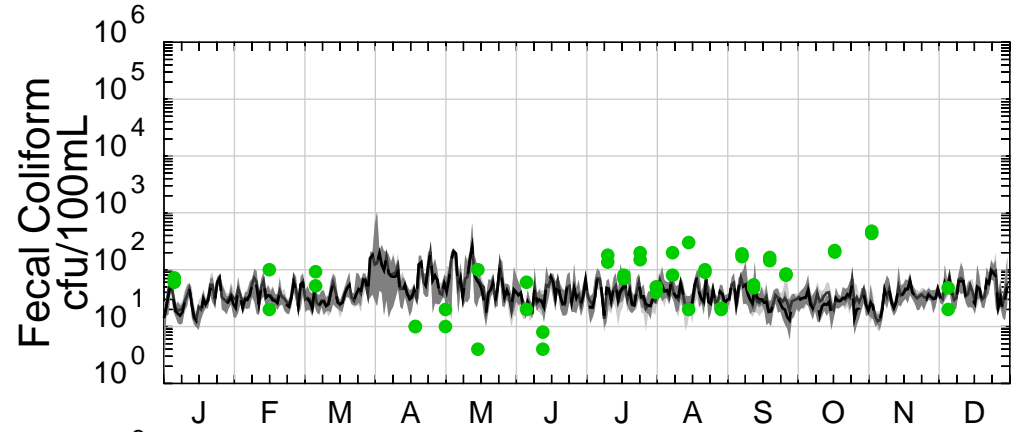
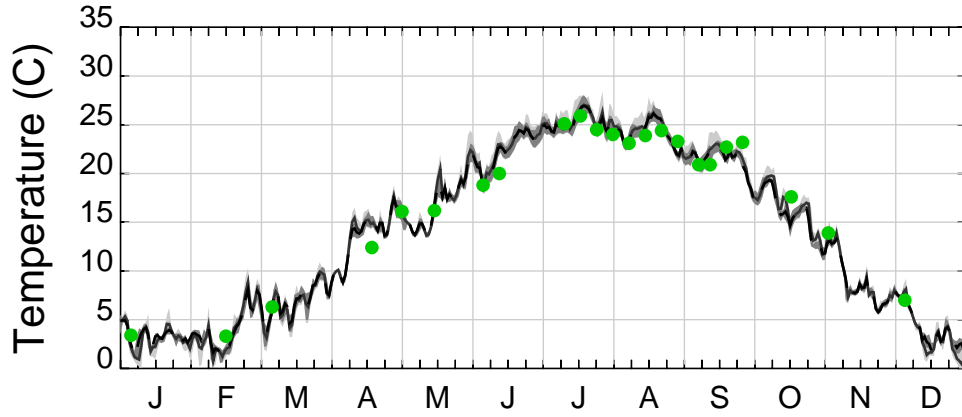


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— Model at Surface  
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 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 13

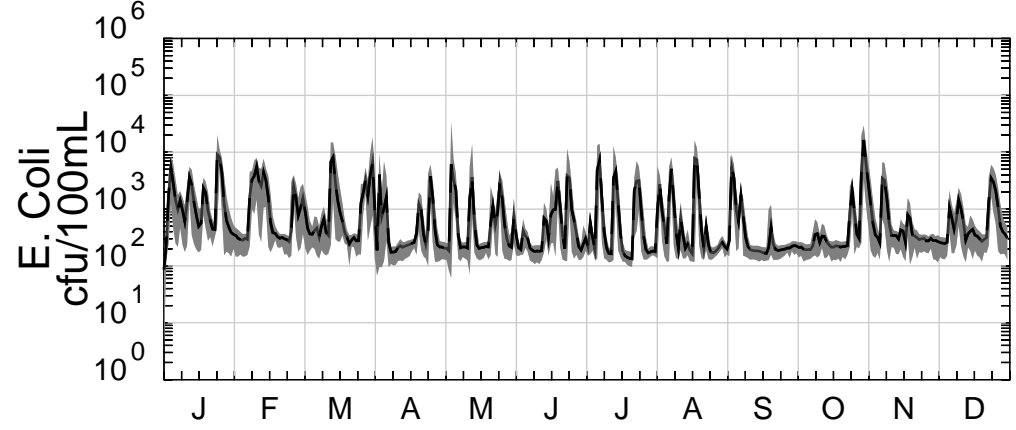
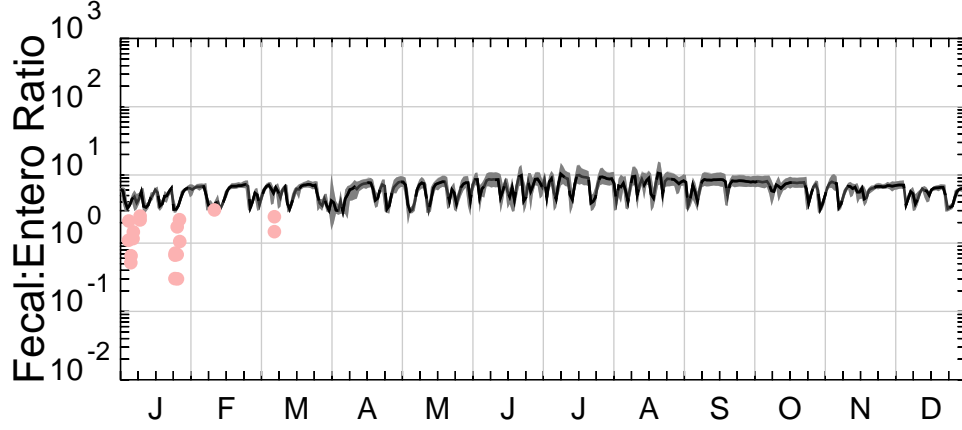
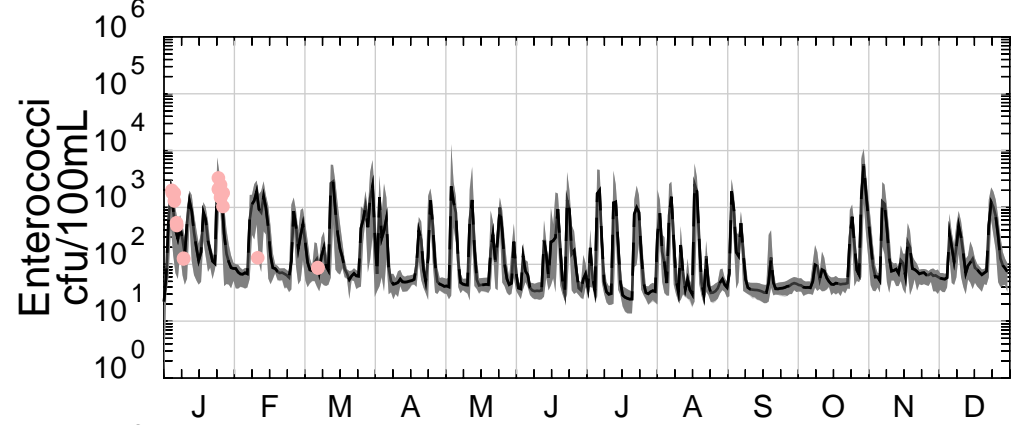
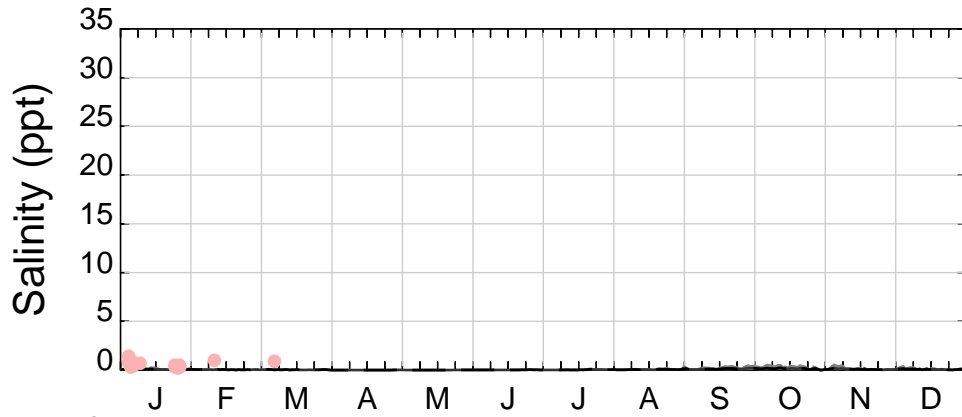
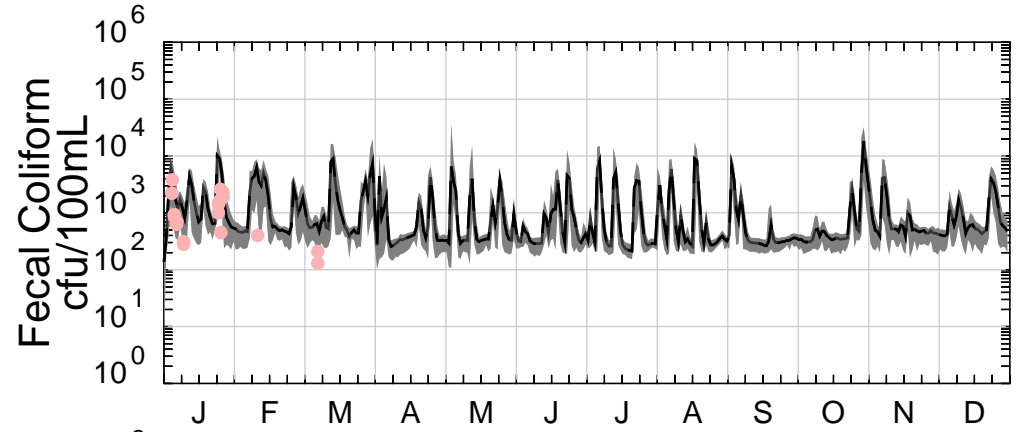
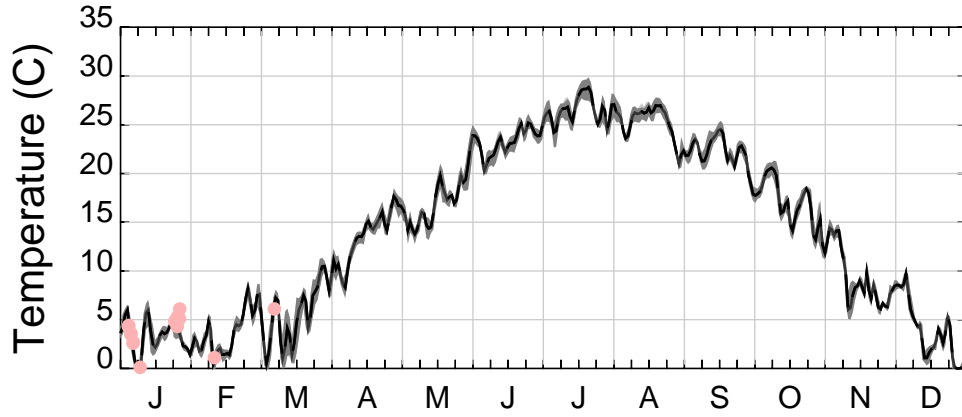


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



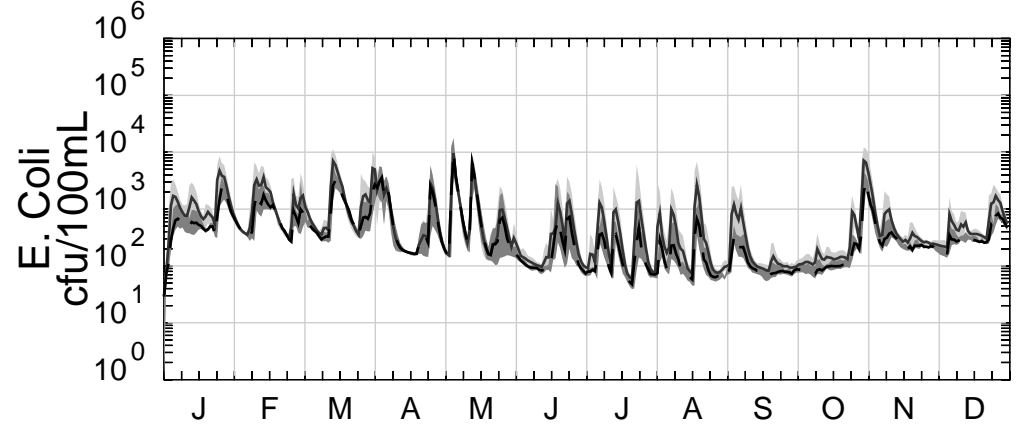
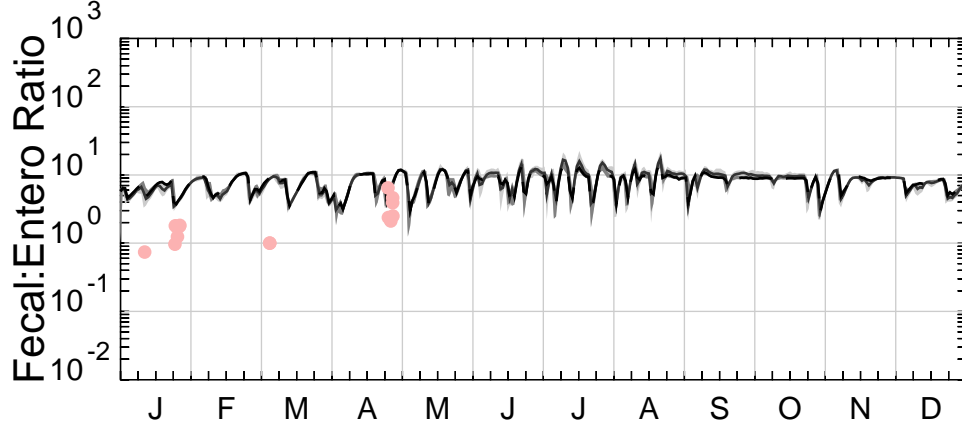
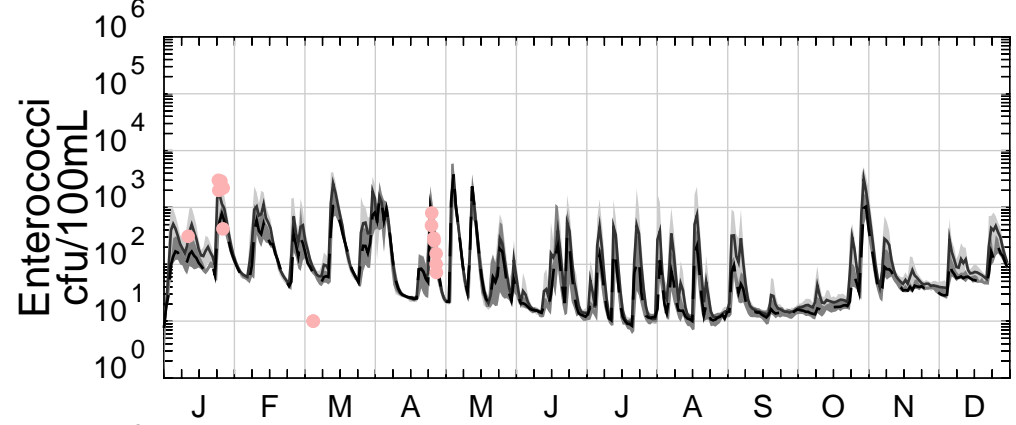
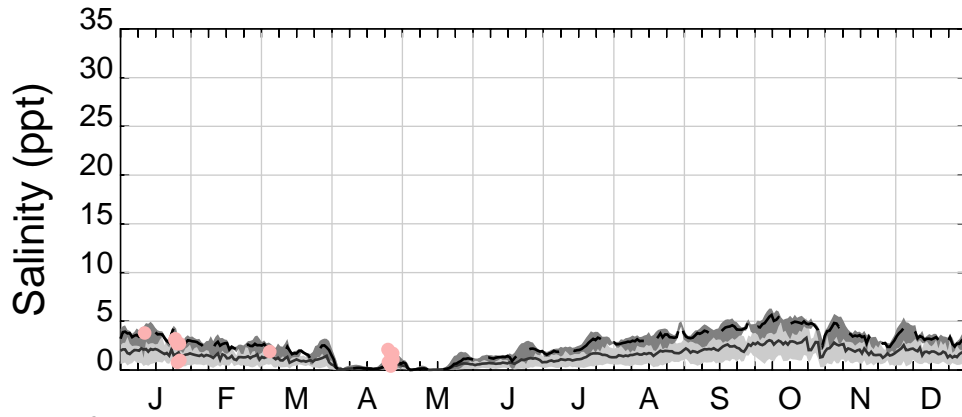
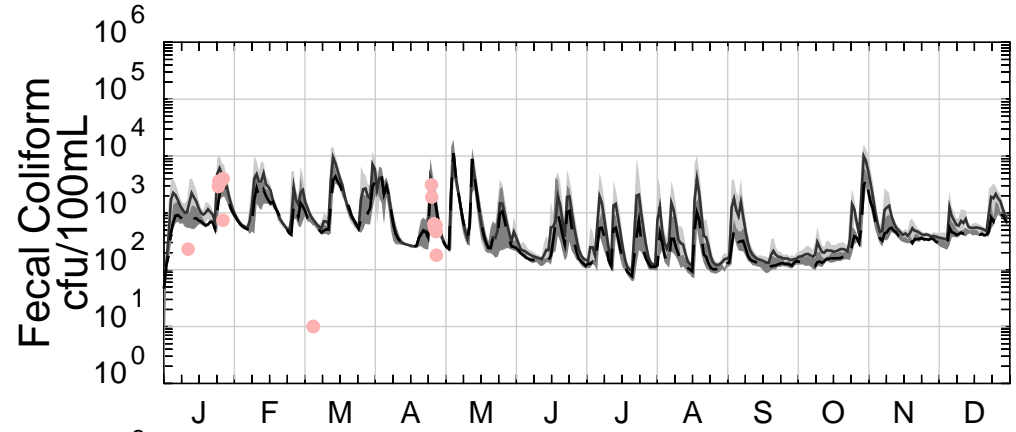
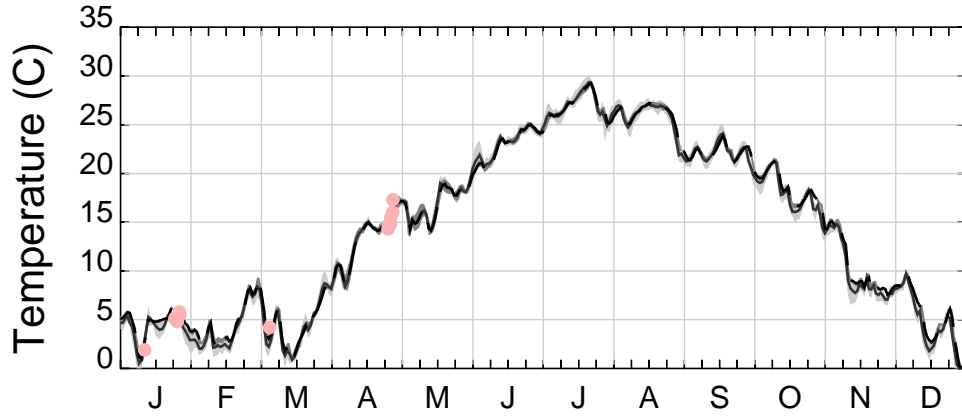
Station: B1



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

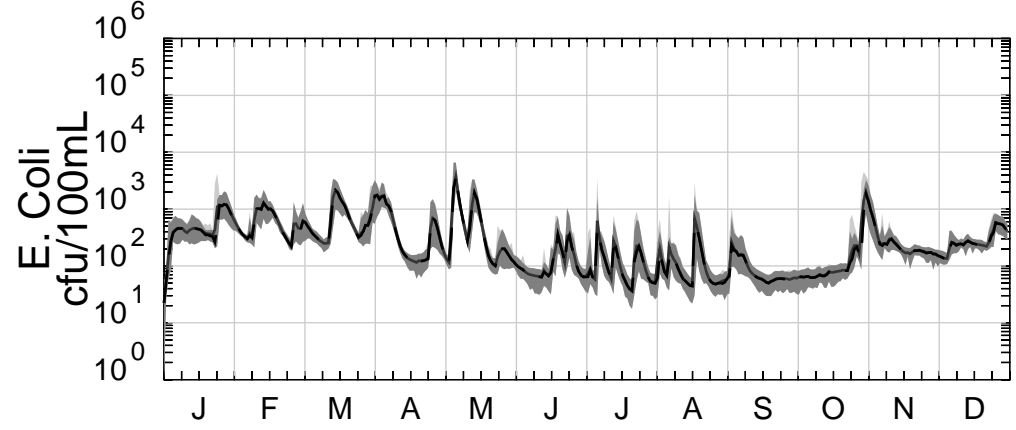
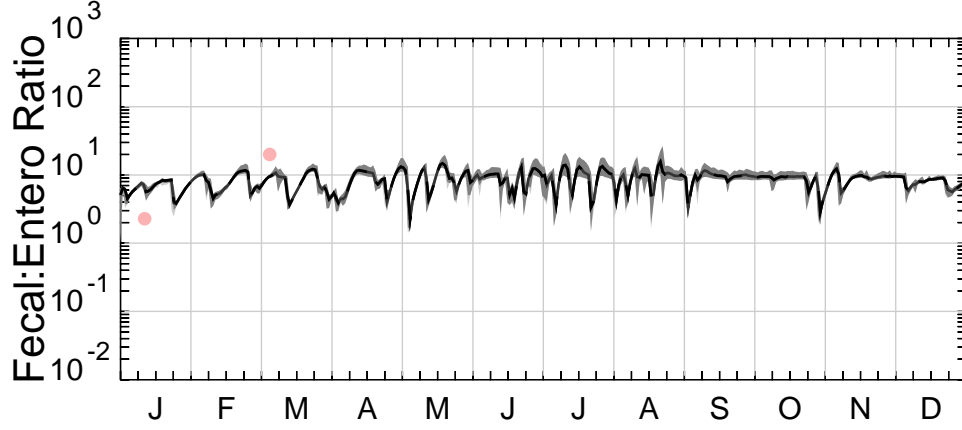
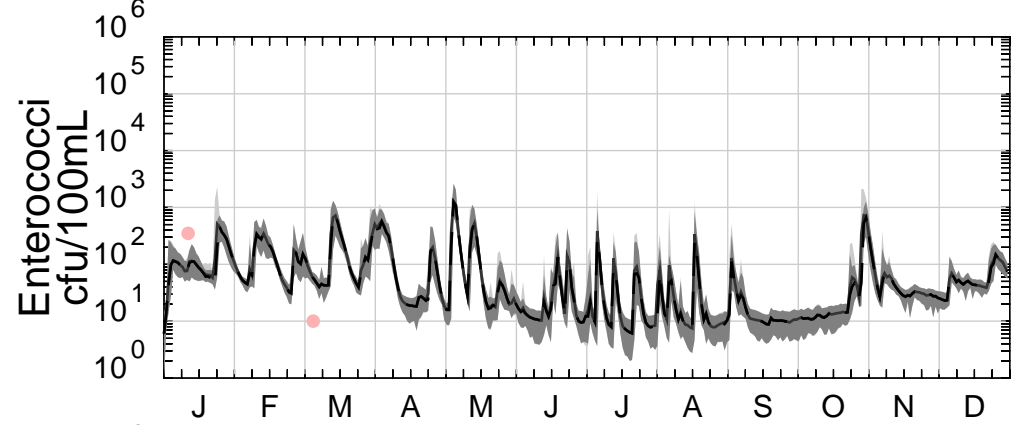
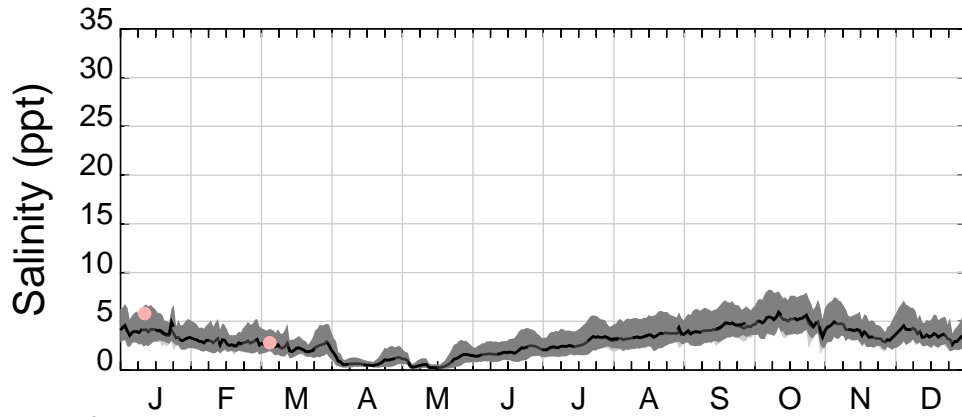
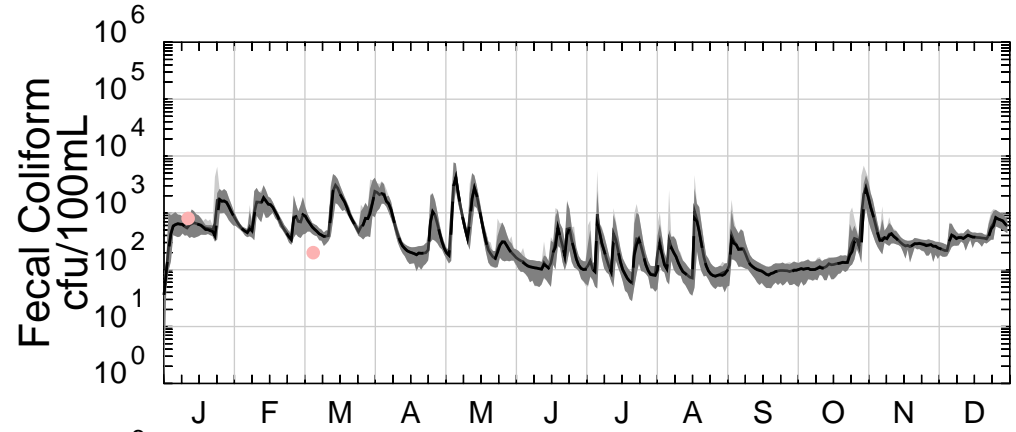
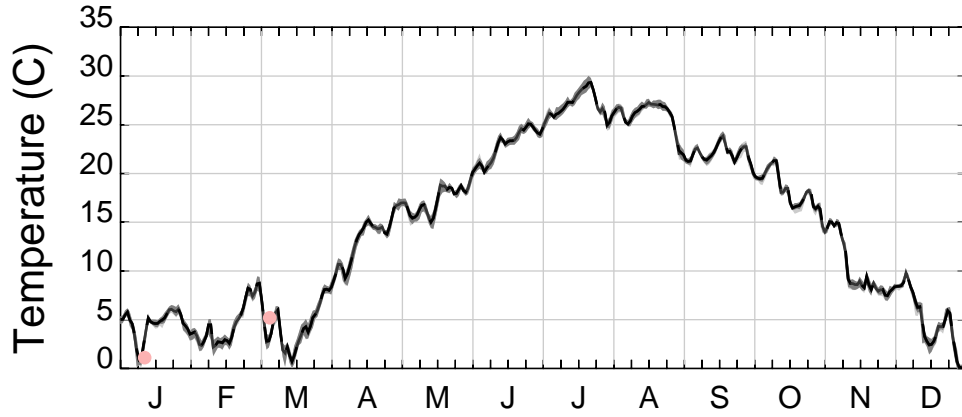
Station: B2



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- - Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

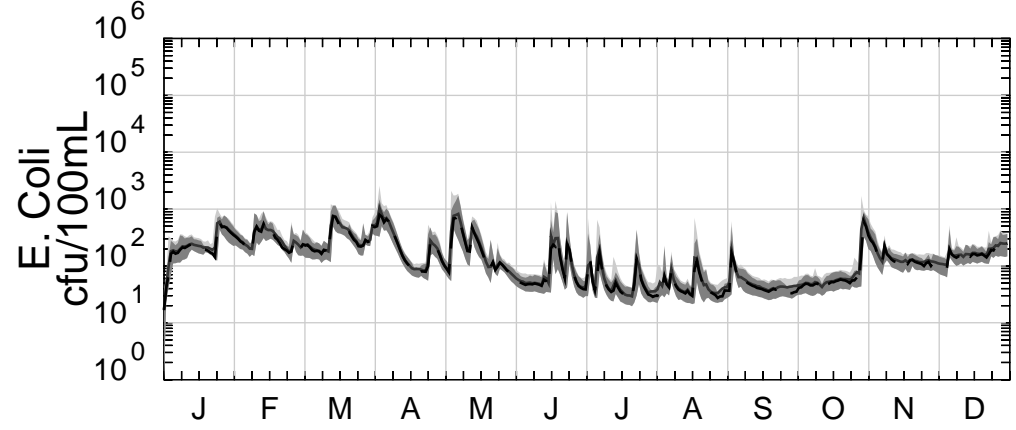
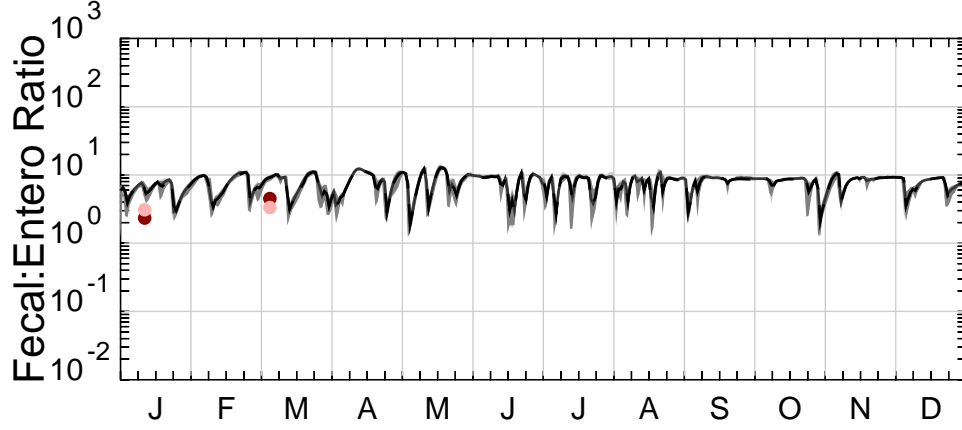
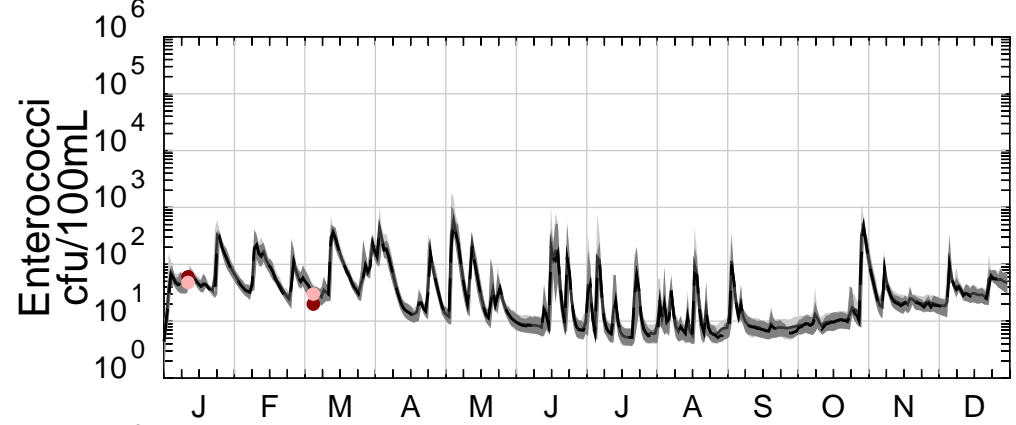
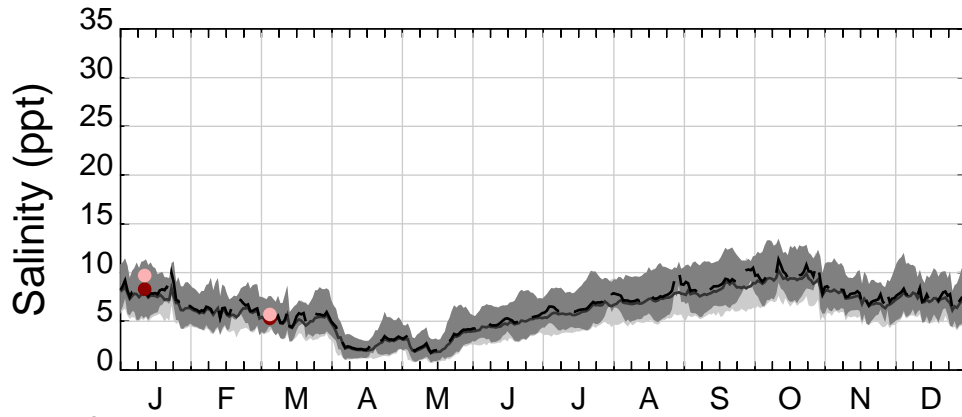
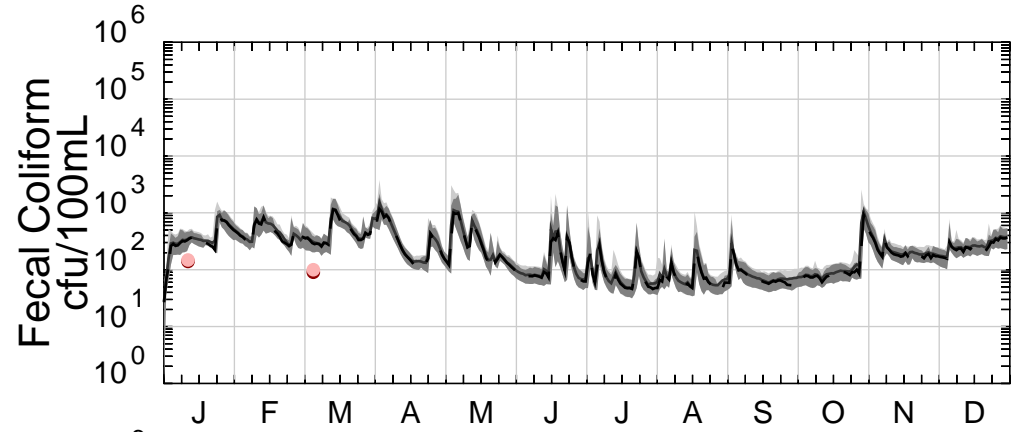
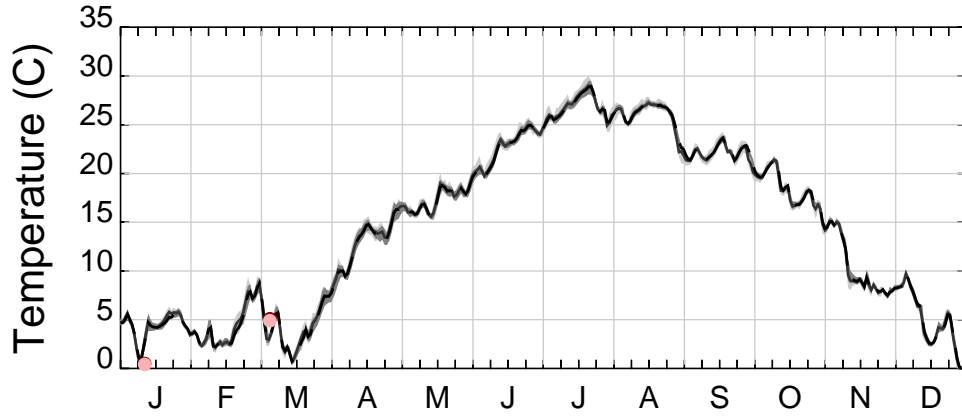
Station: B11



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: B3

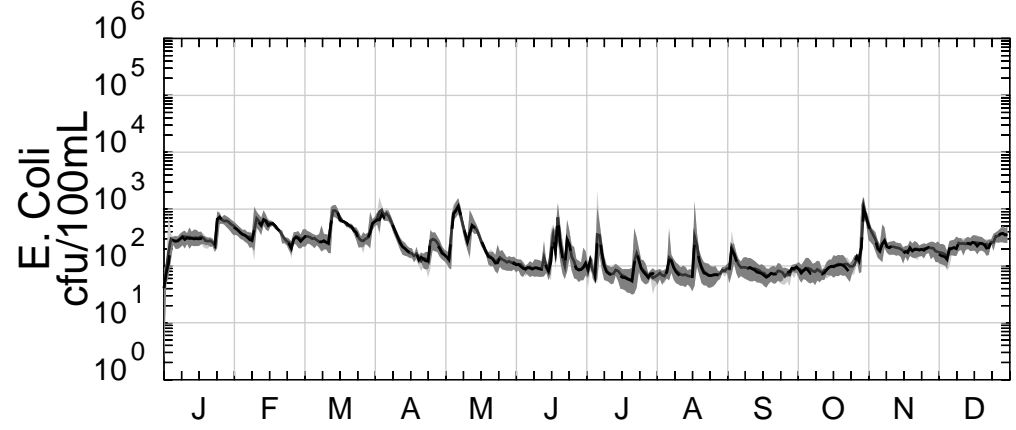
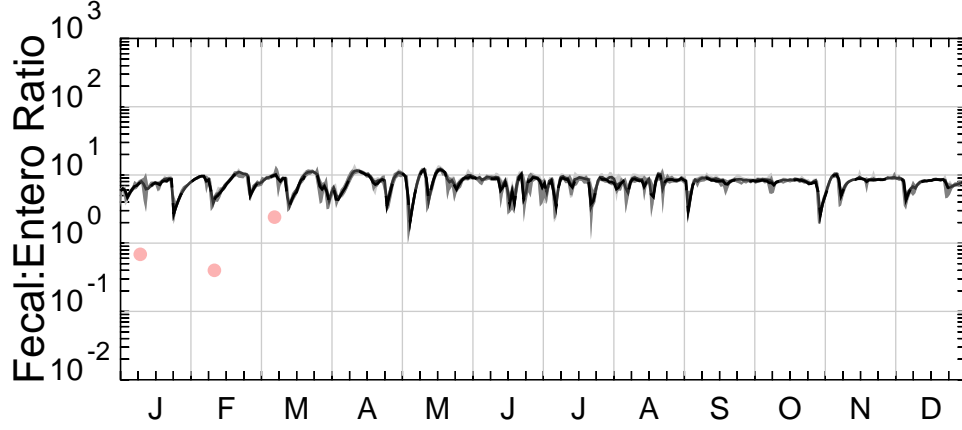
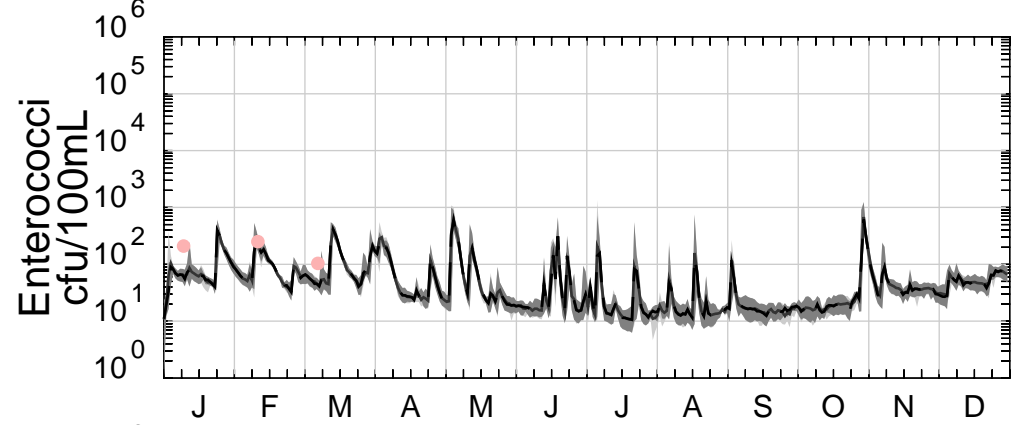
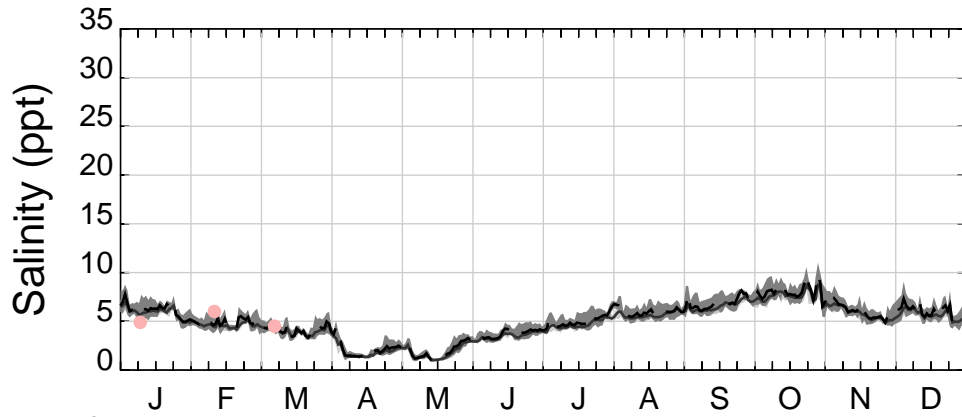
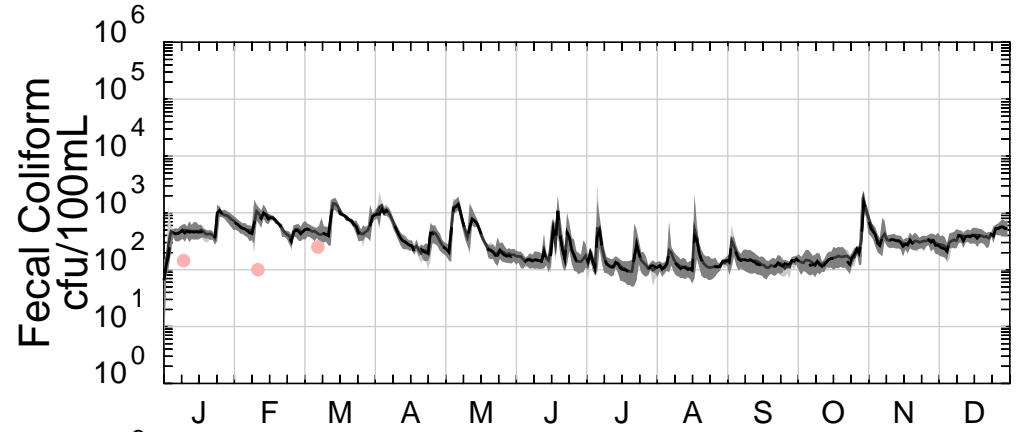
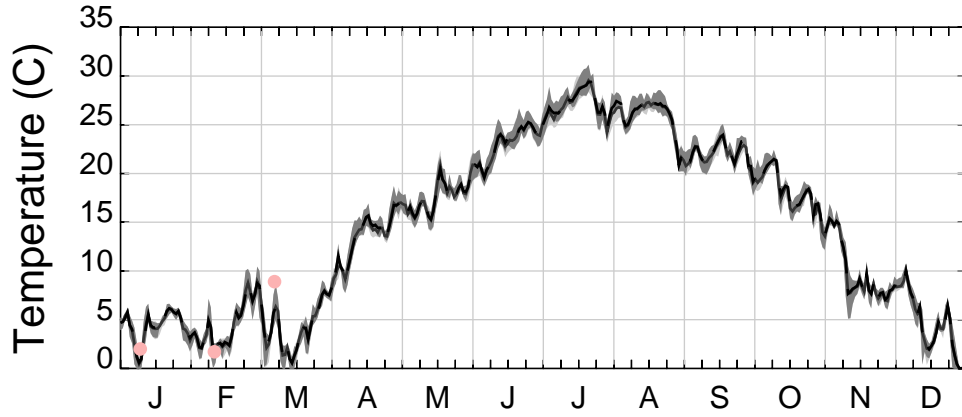


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

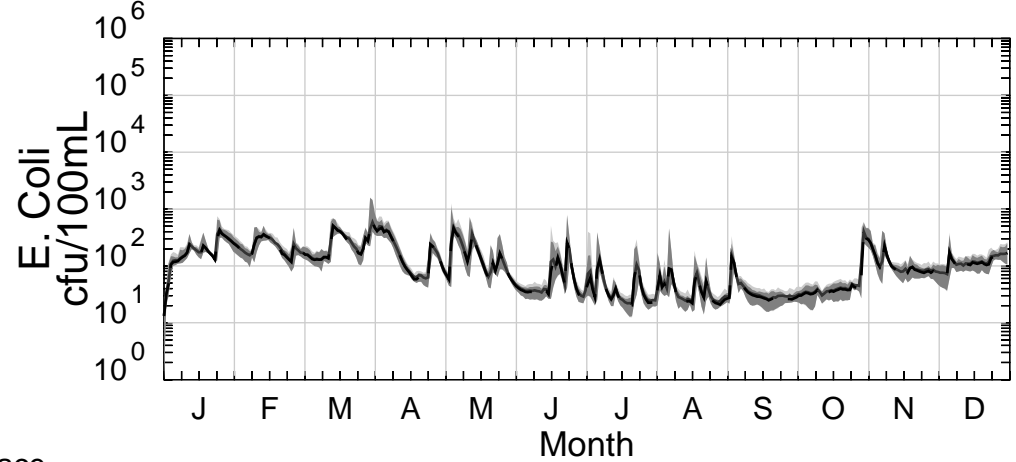
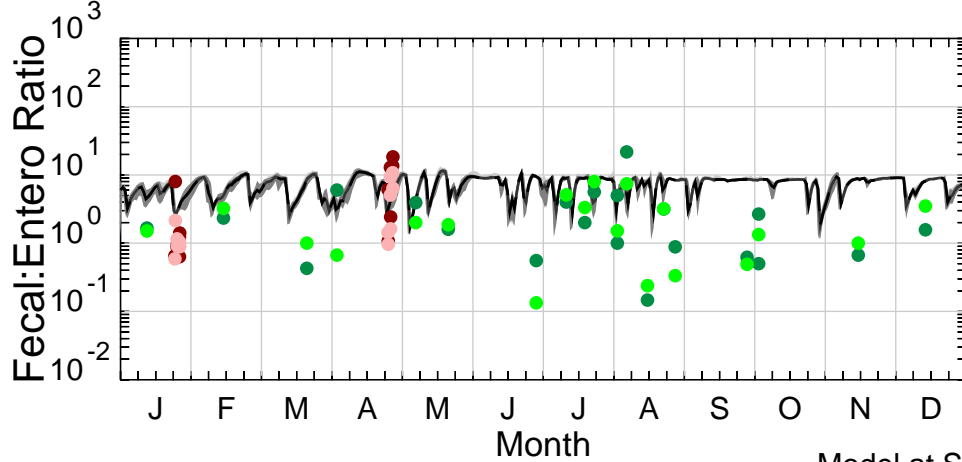
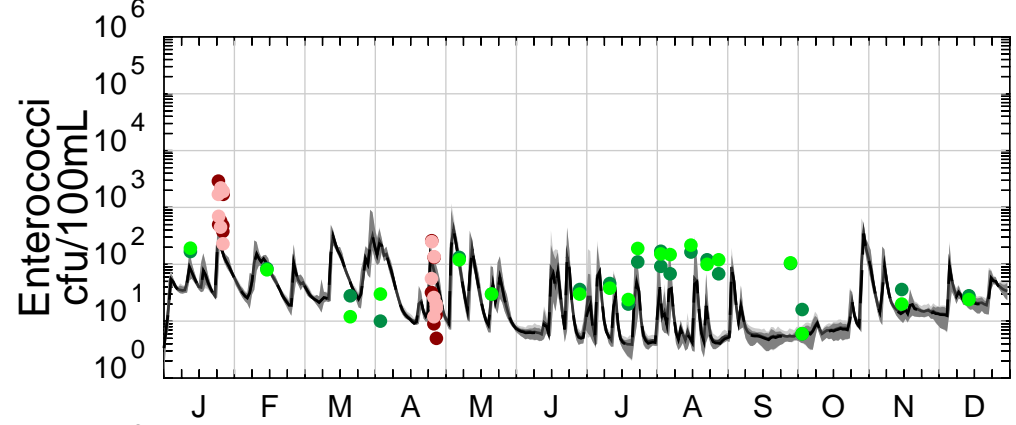
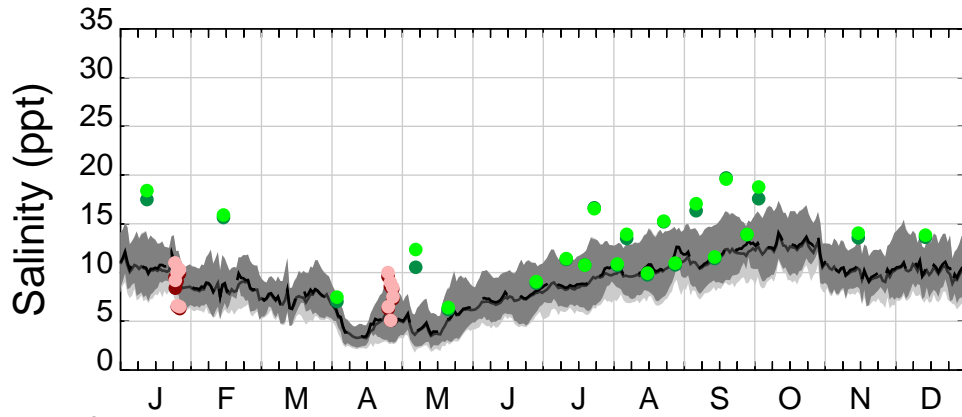
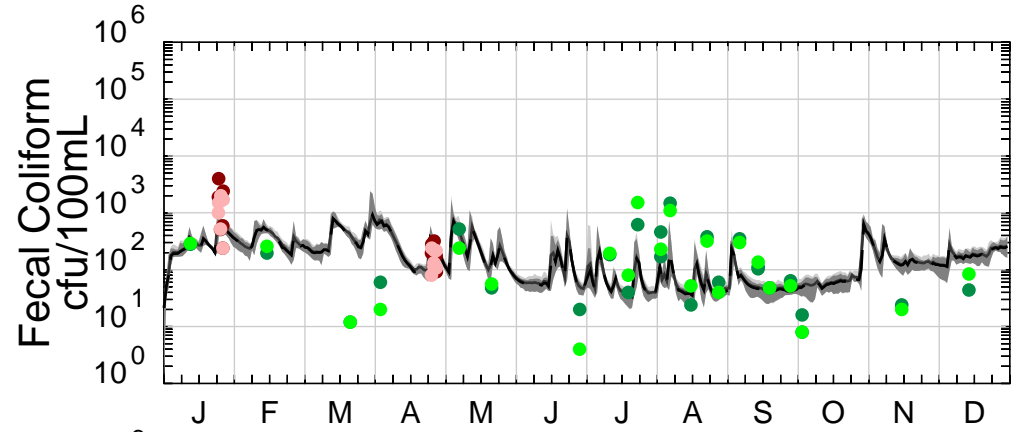
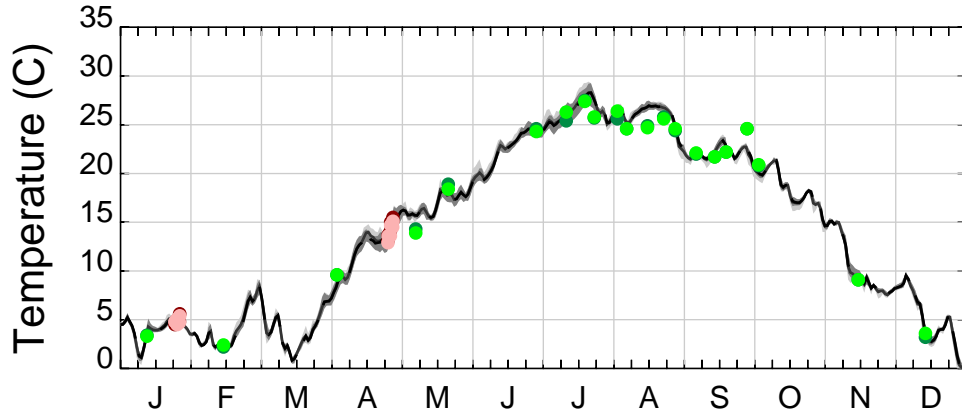
Station: B4



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

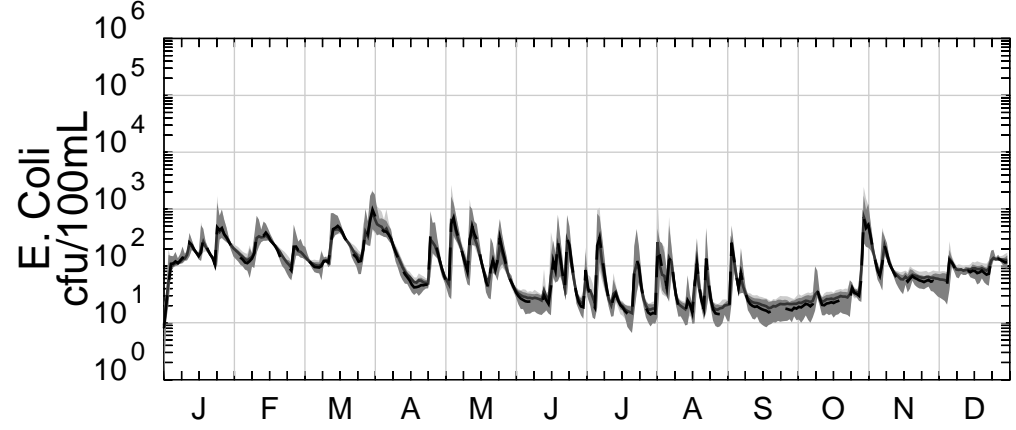
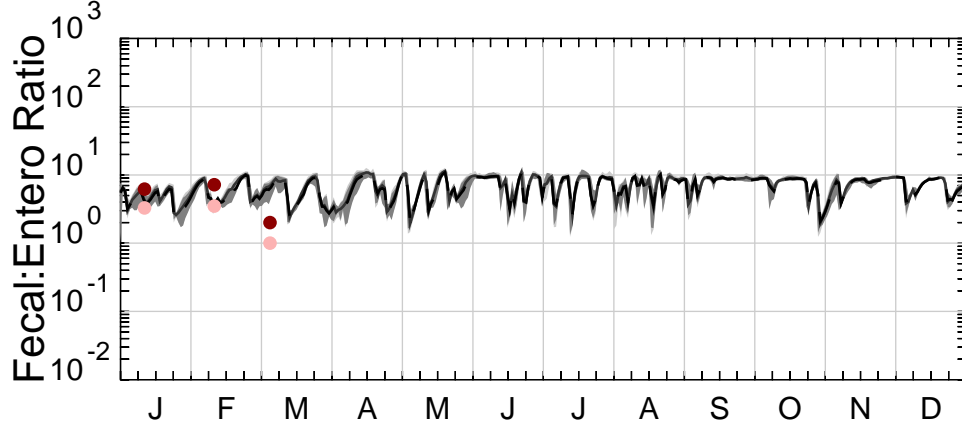
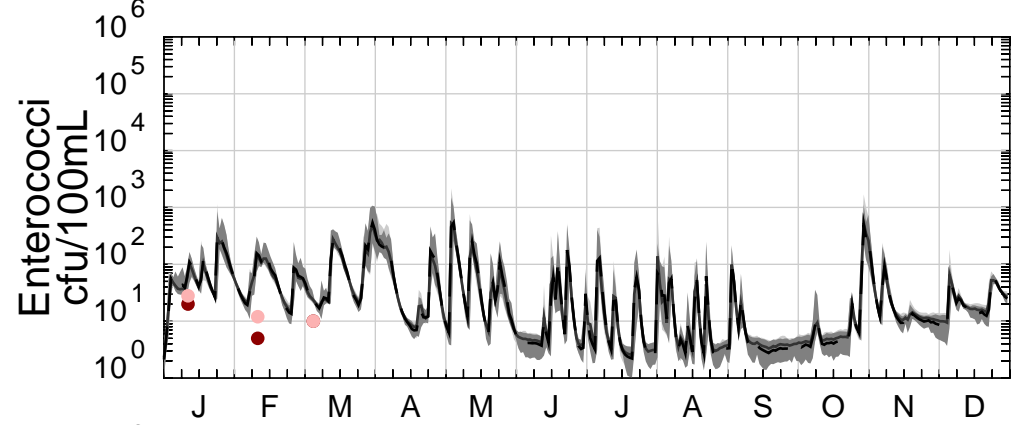
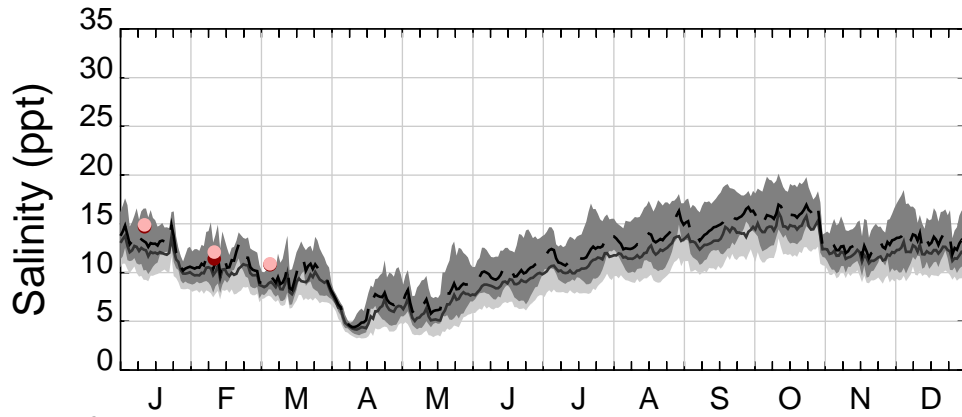
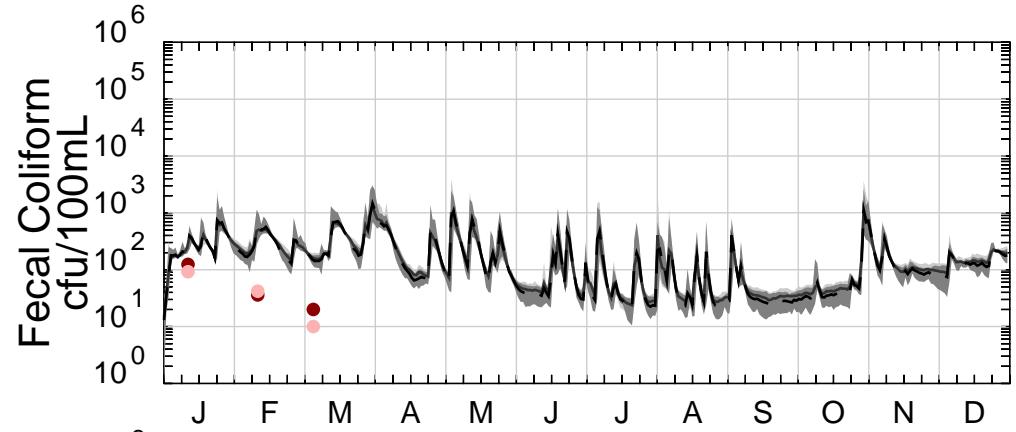
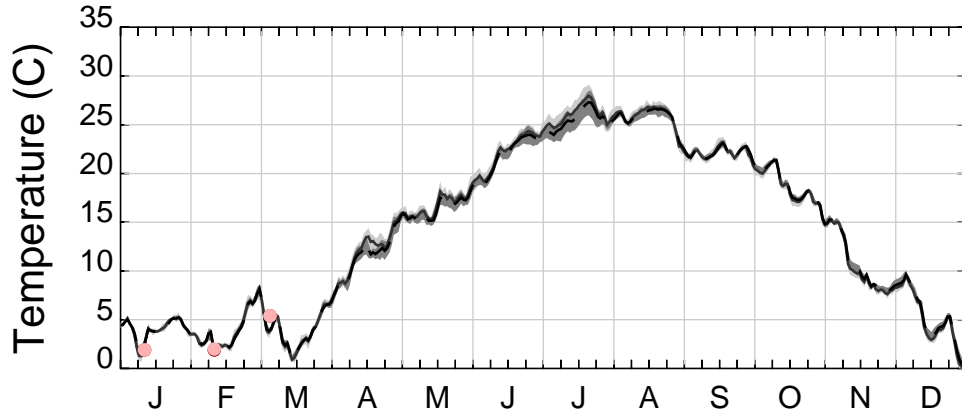
Station: 14



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- - Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: B7

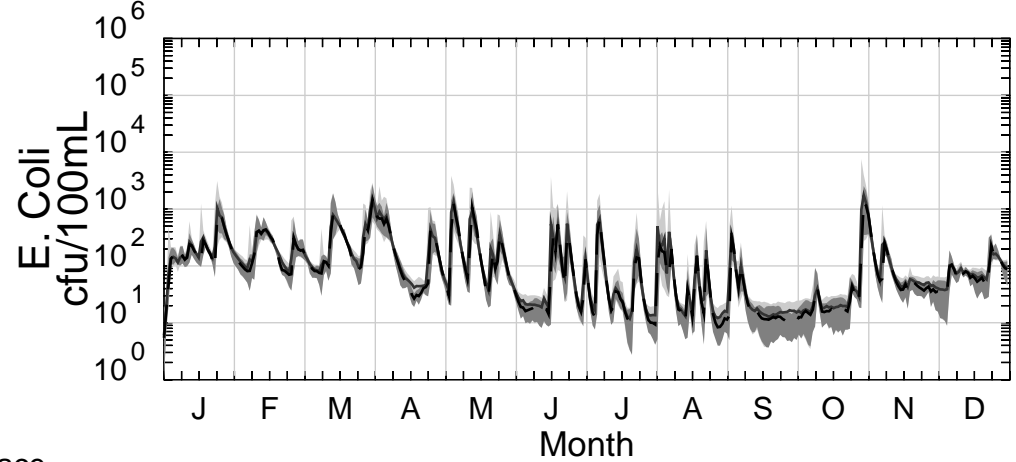
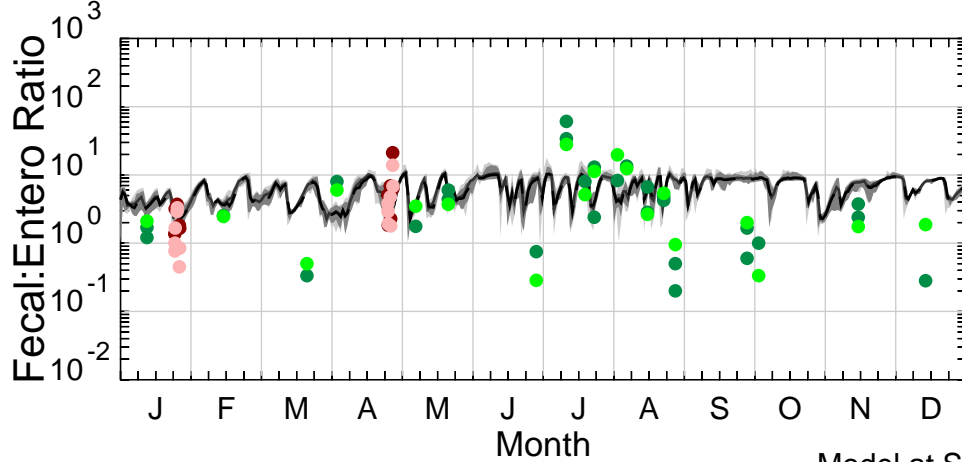
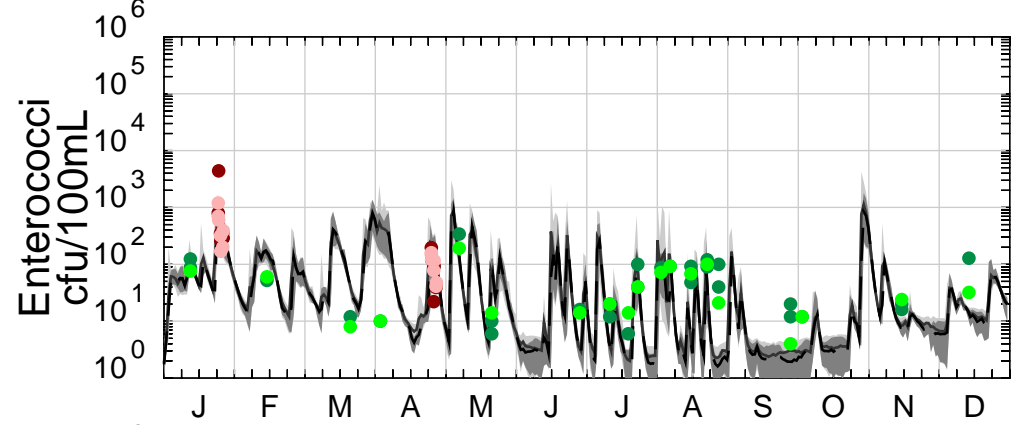
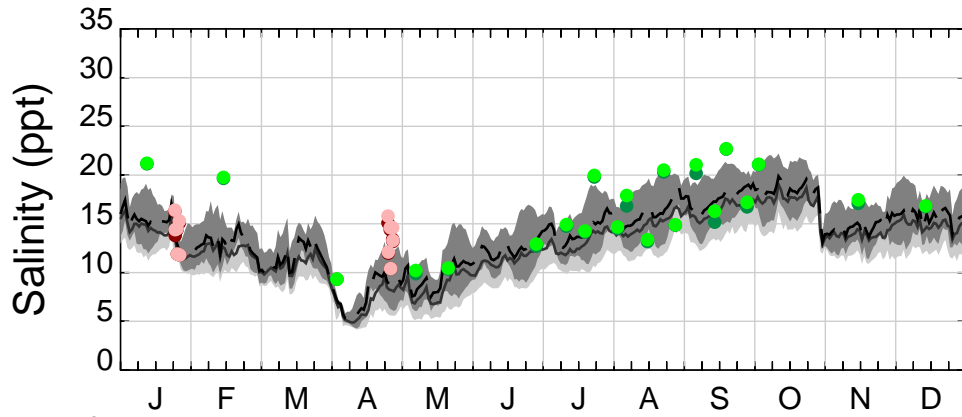
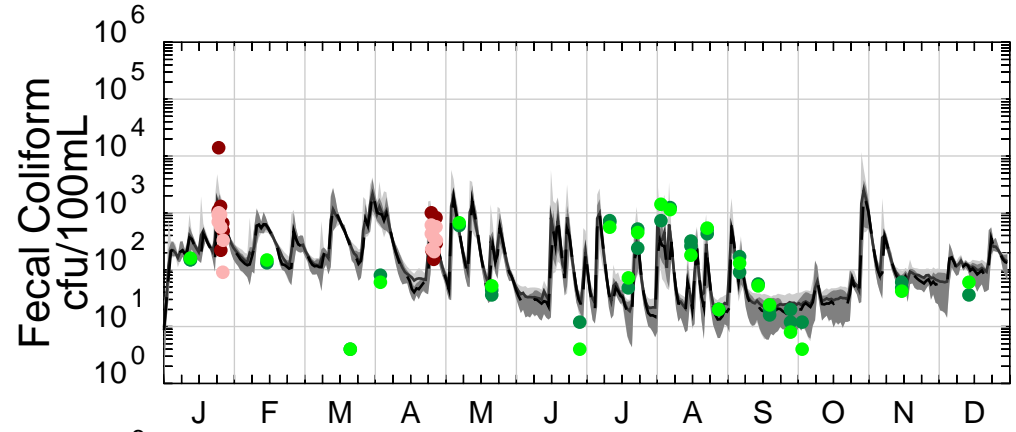
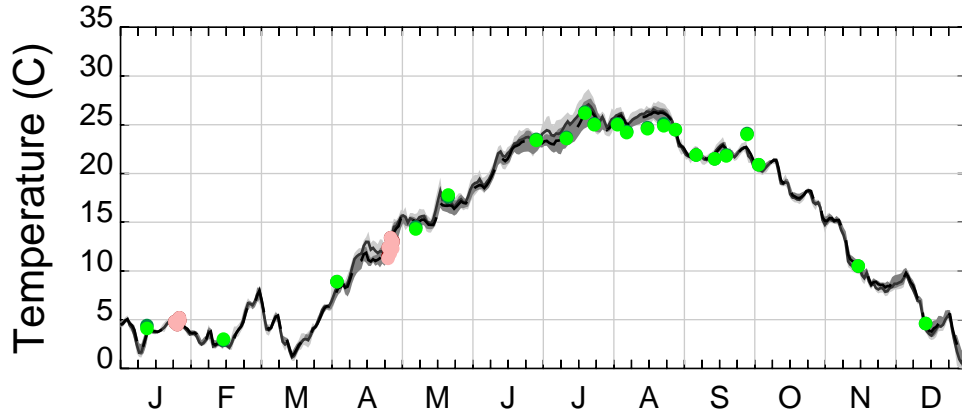


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



Station: 15

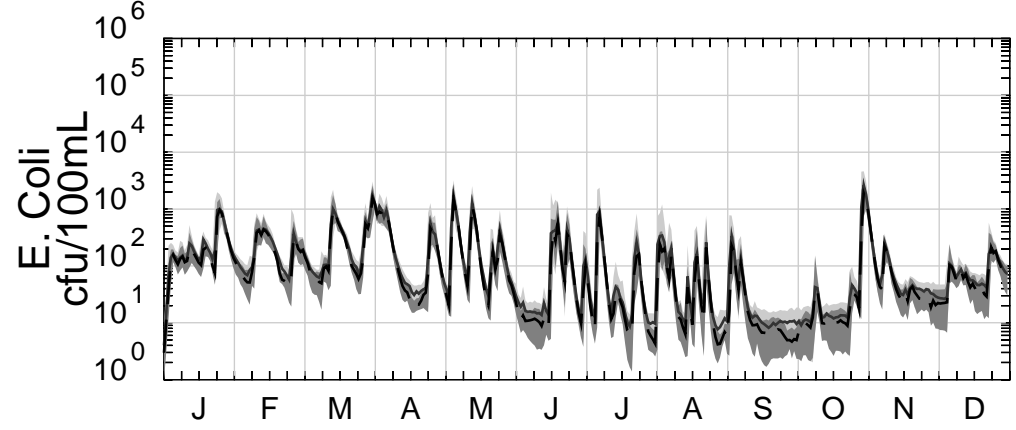
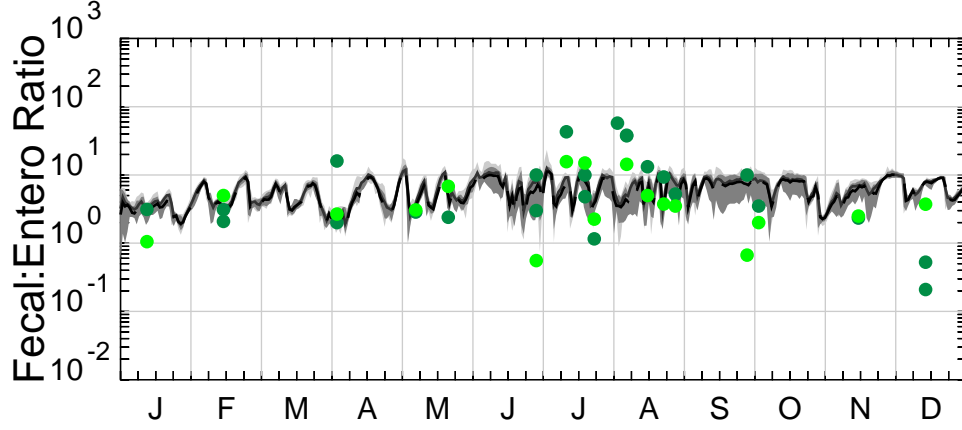
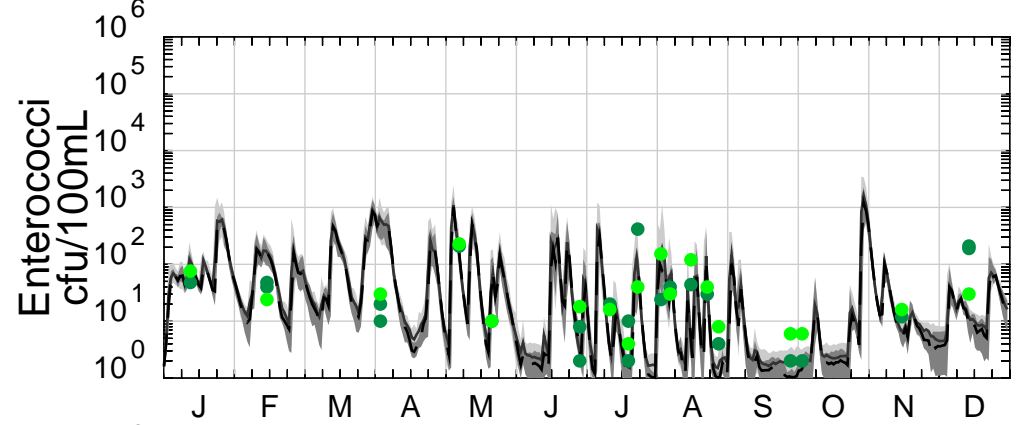
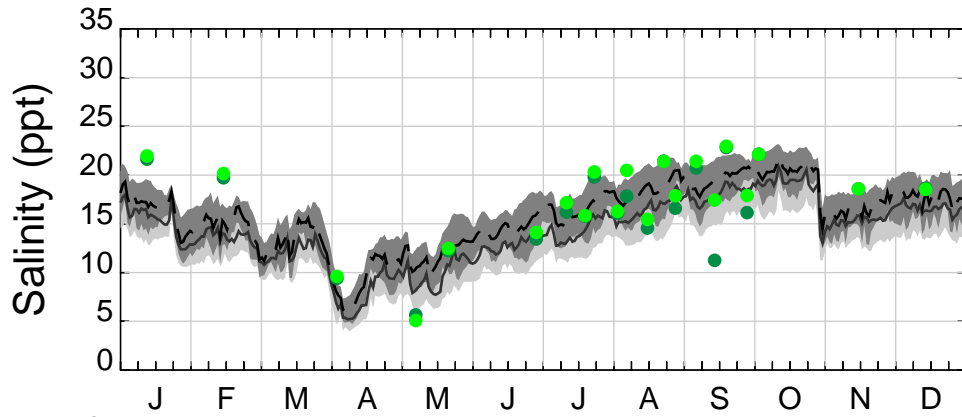
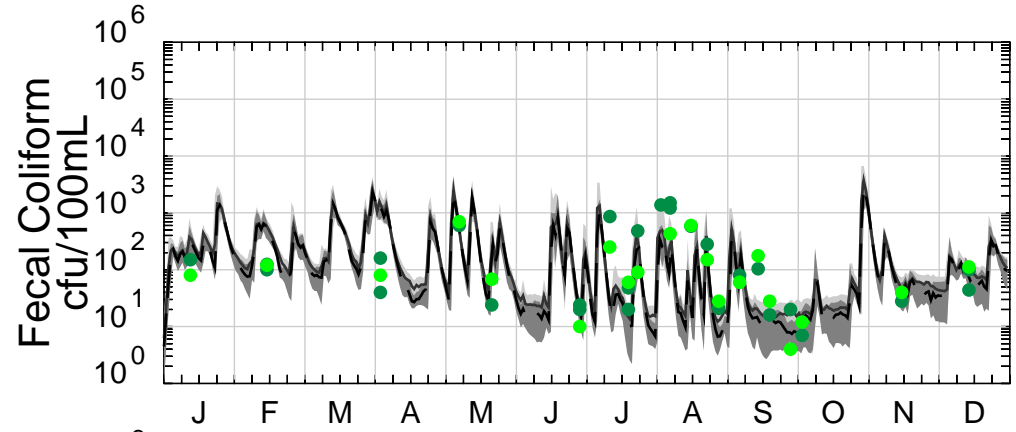
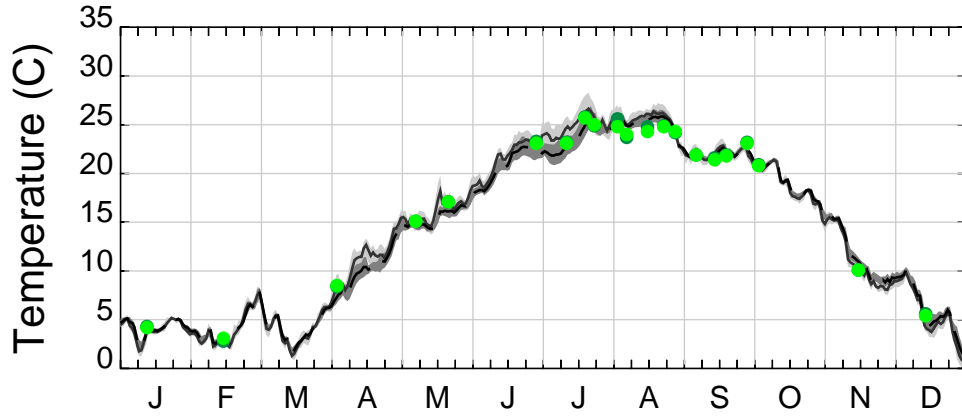


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- - Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



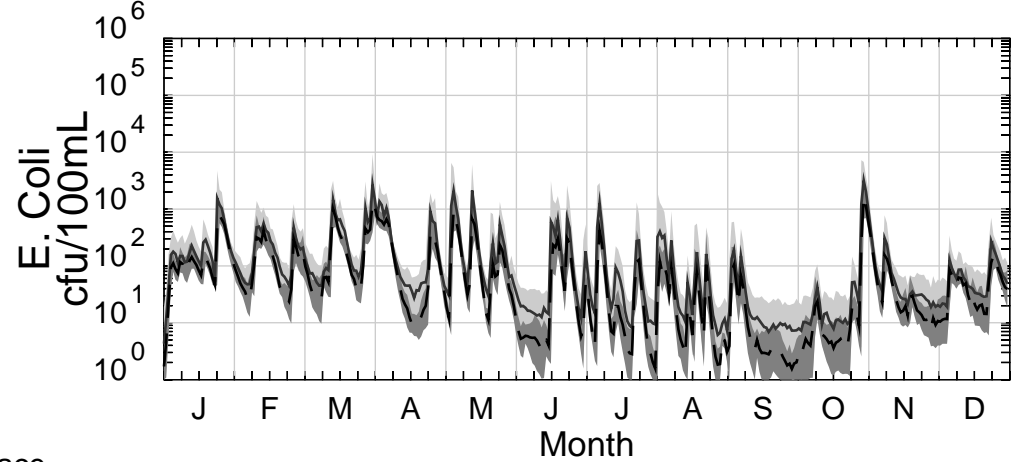
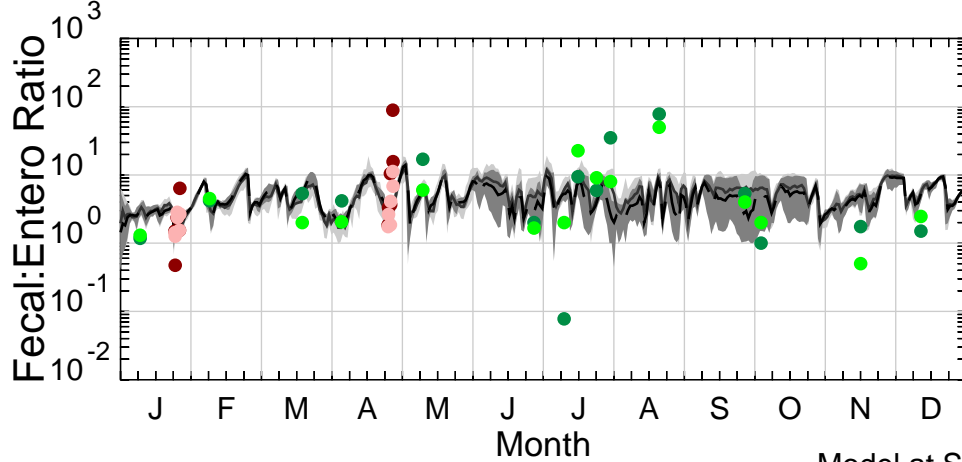
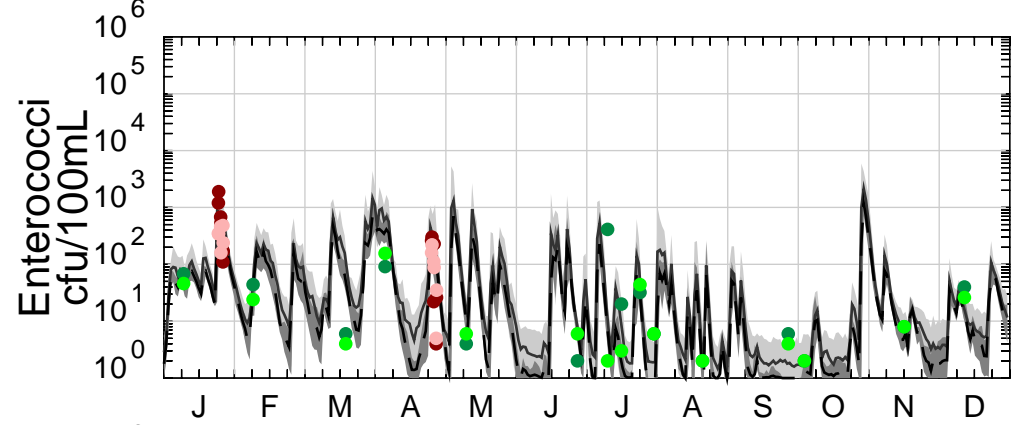
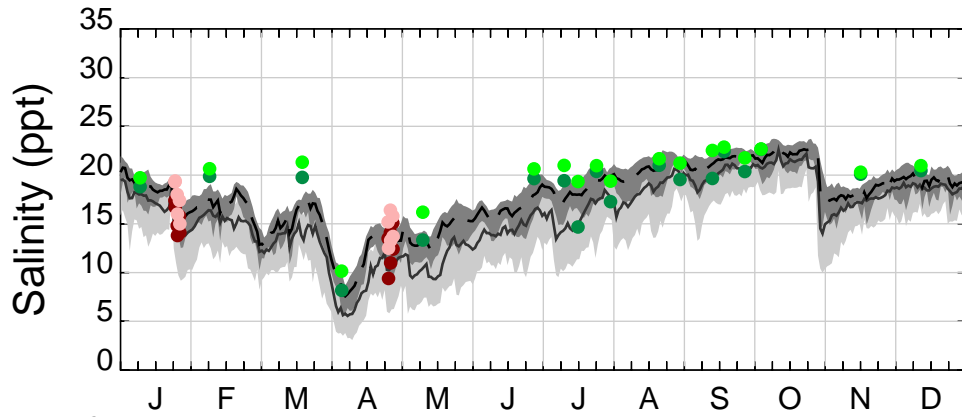
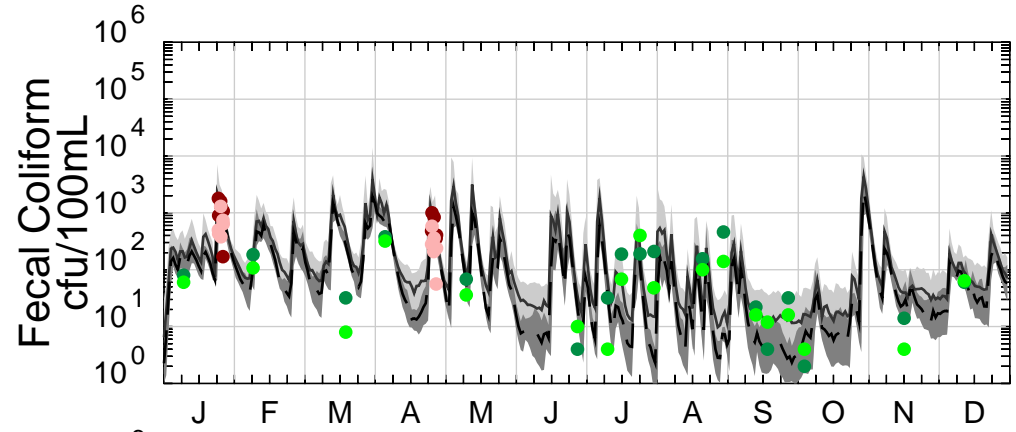
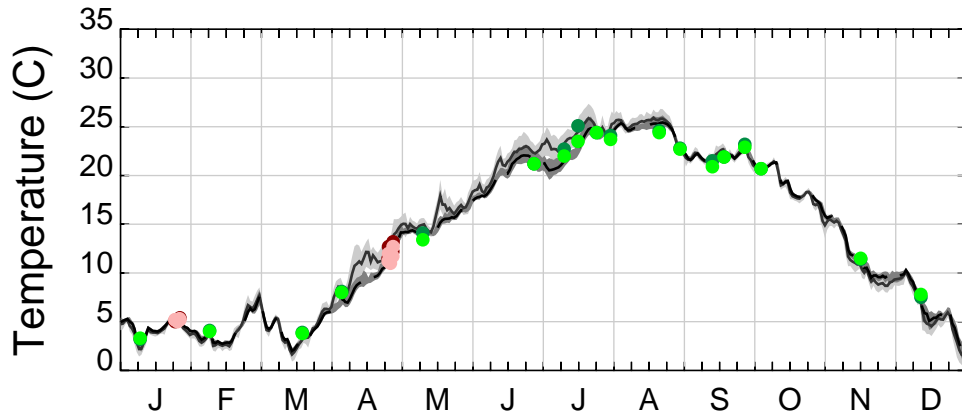
Station: 16



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- - Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

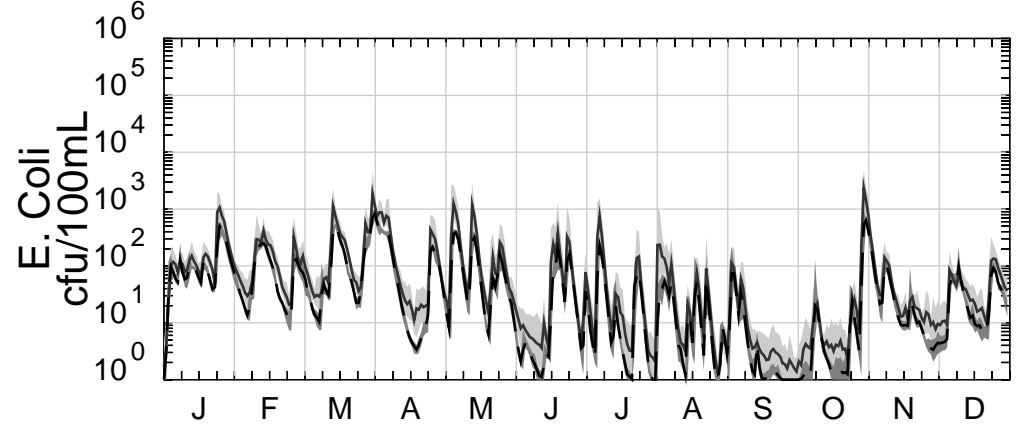
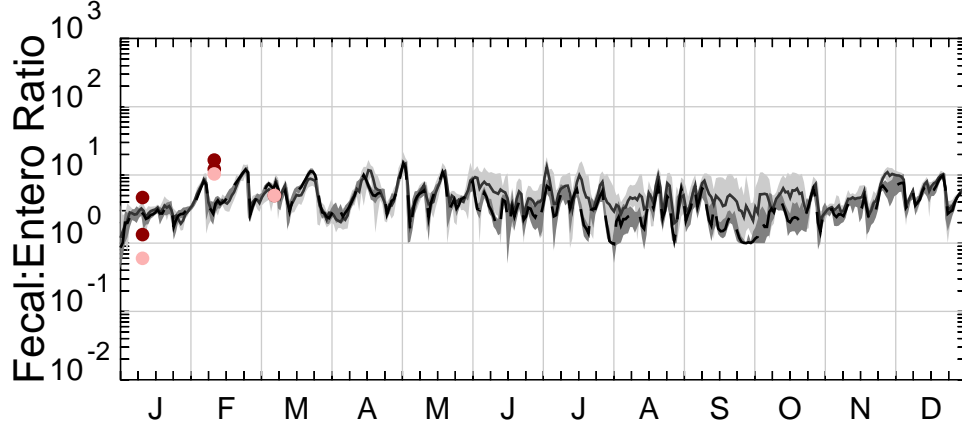
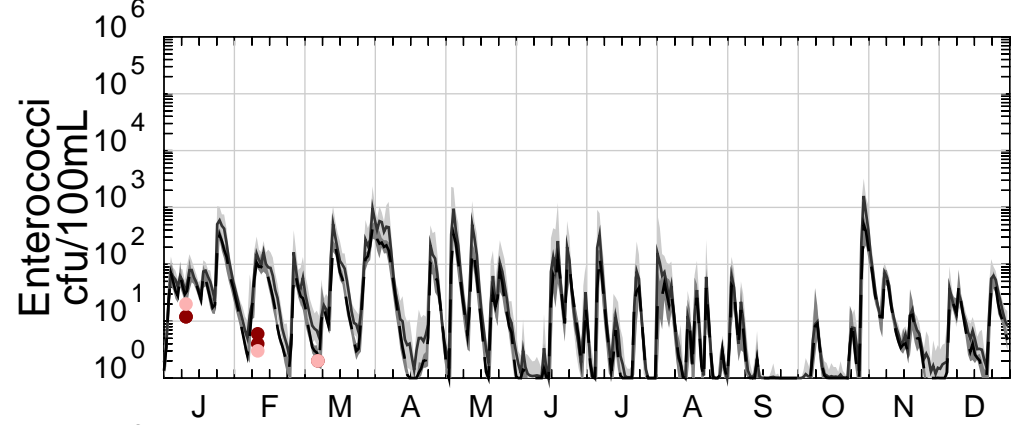
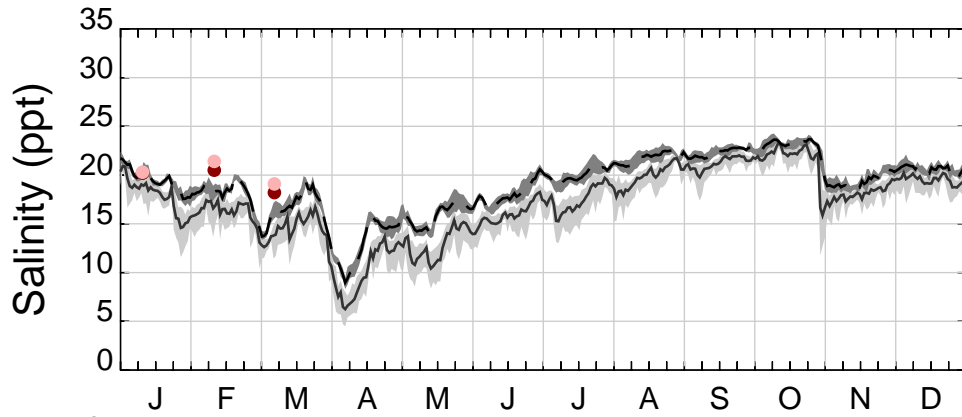
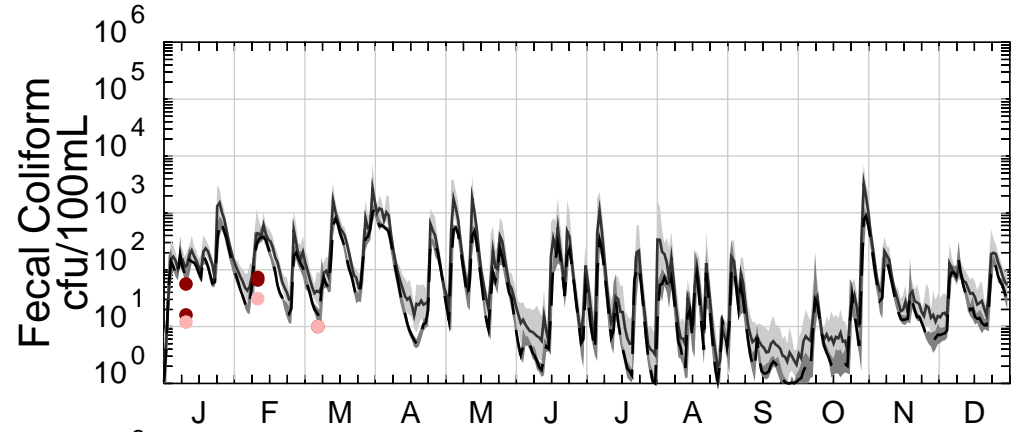
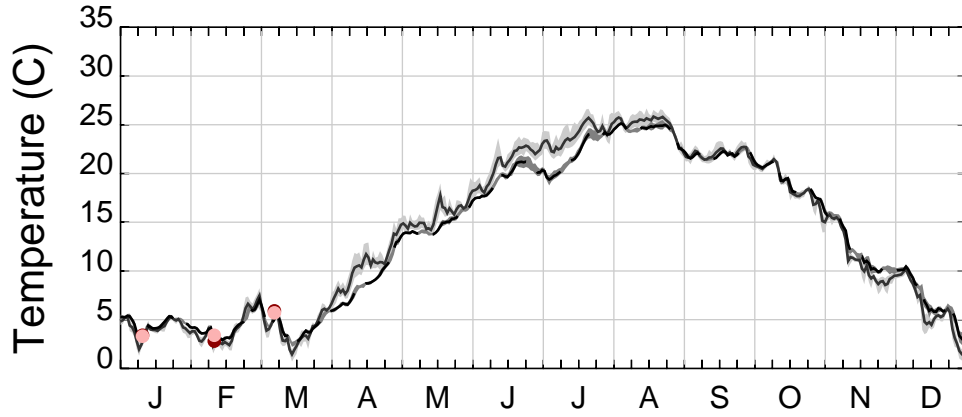
Station: 17



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

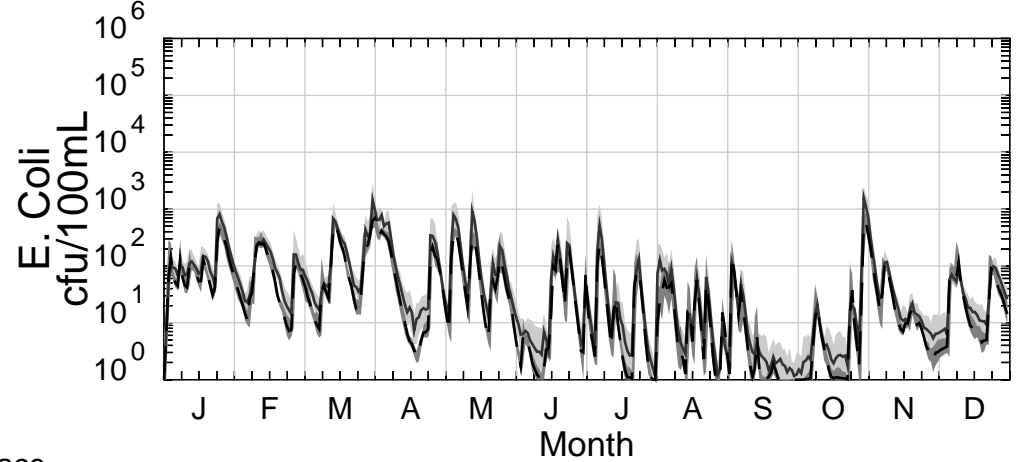
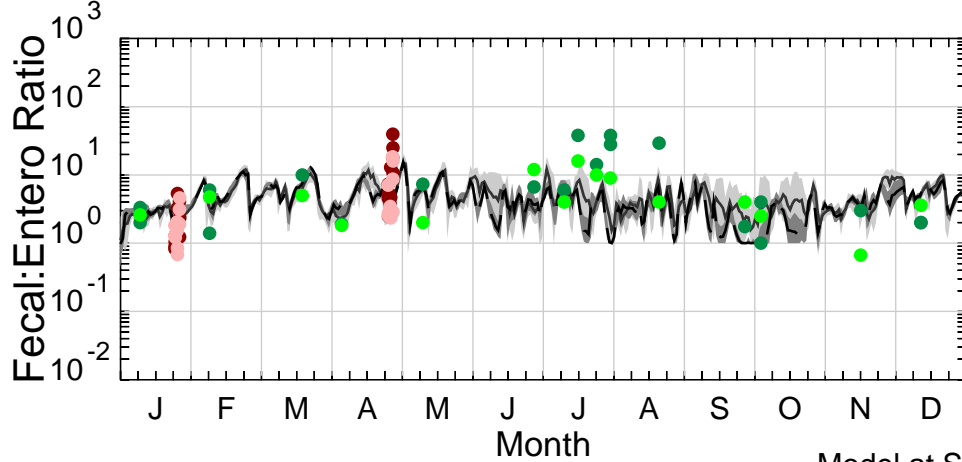
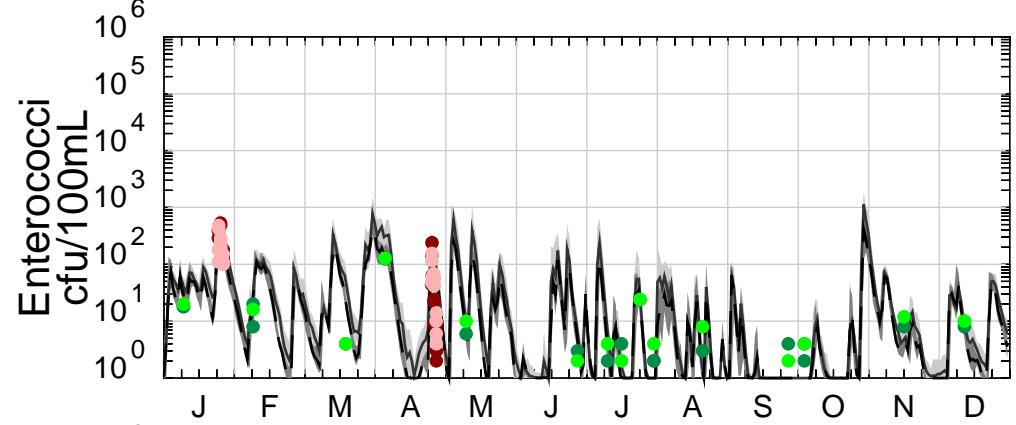
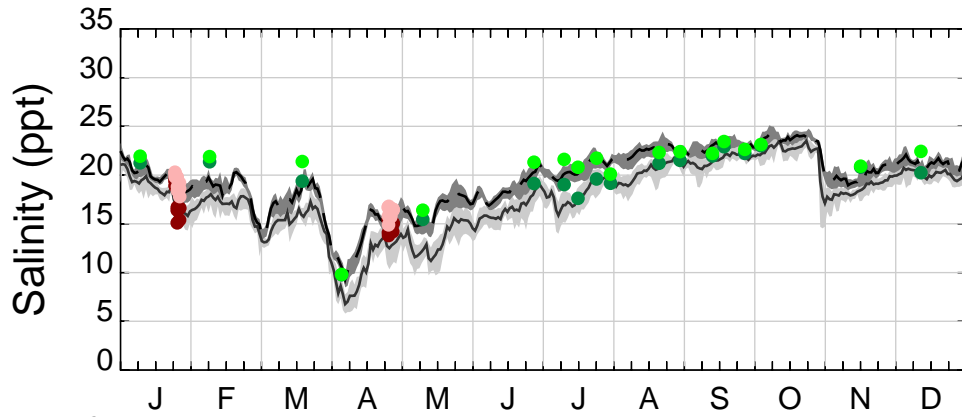
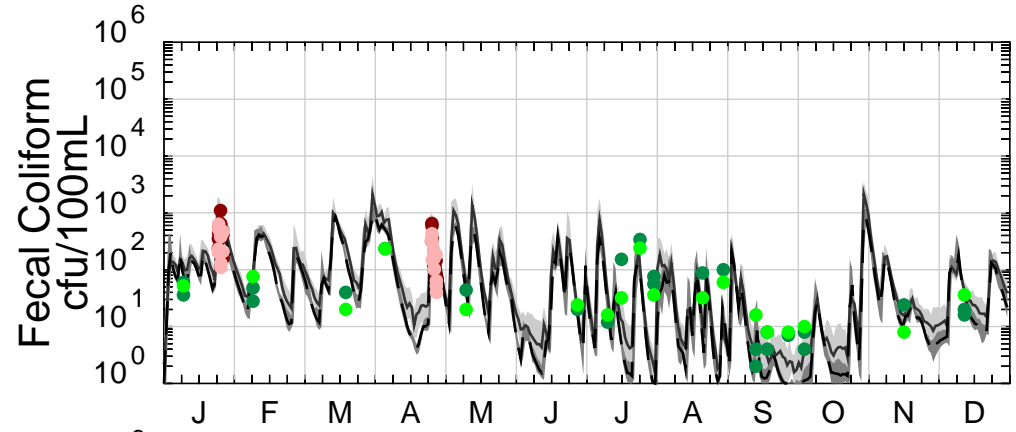
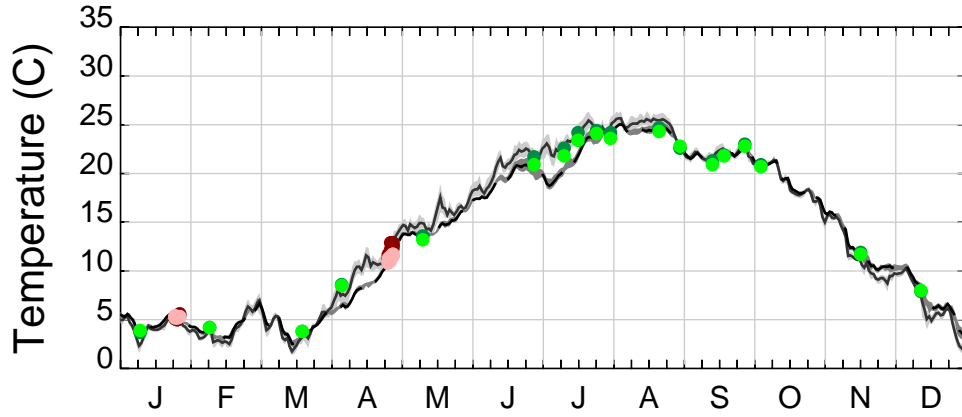
**Station: B10**



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

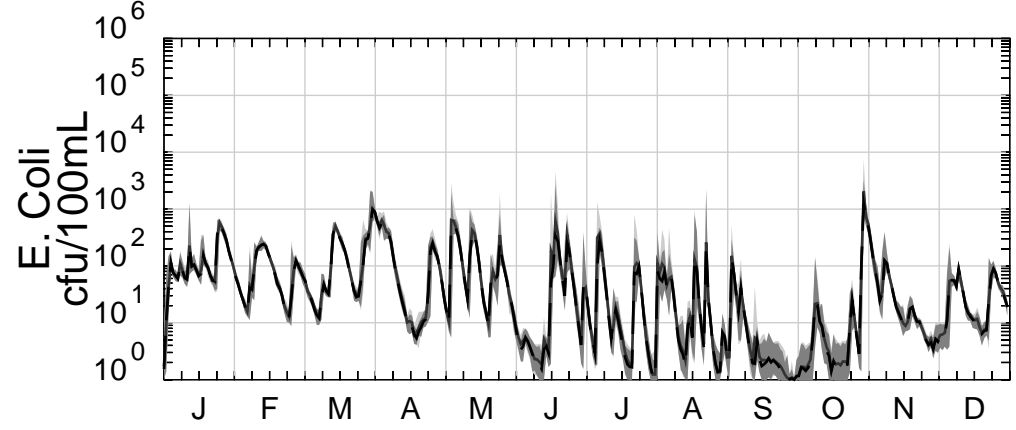
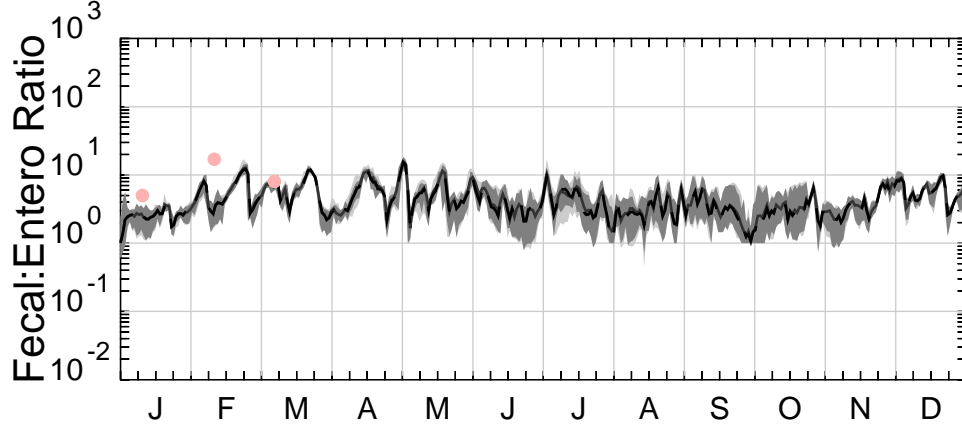
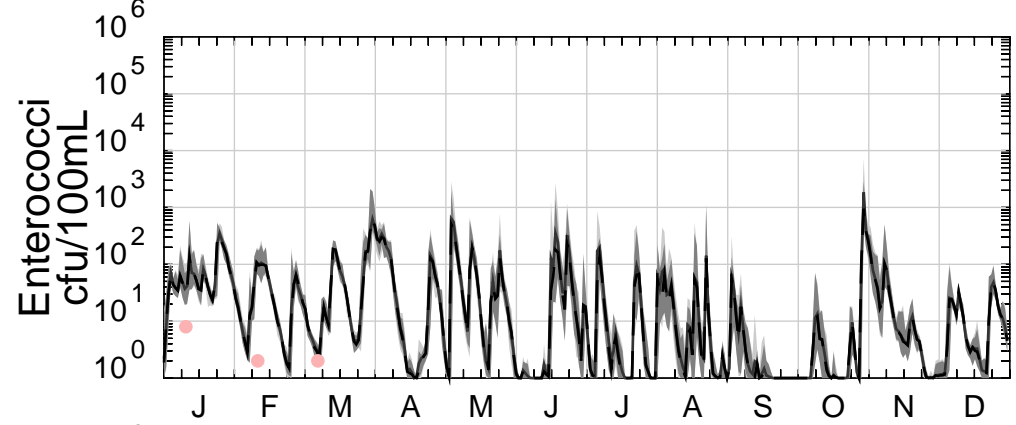
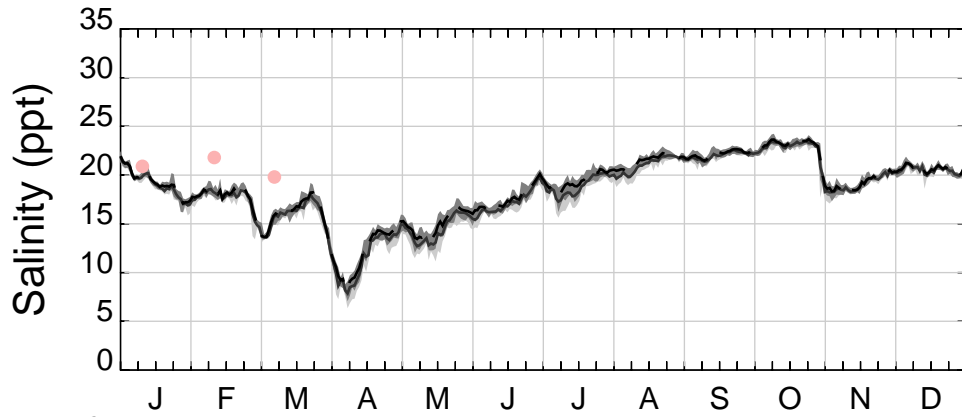
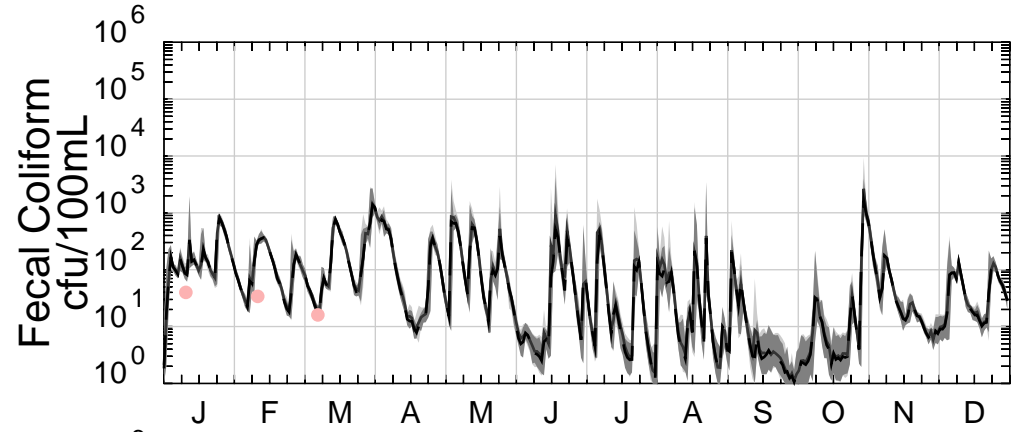
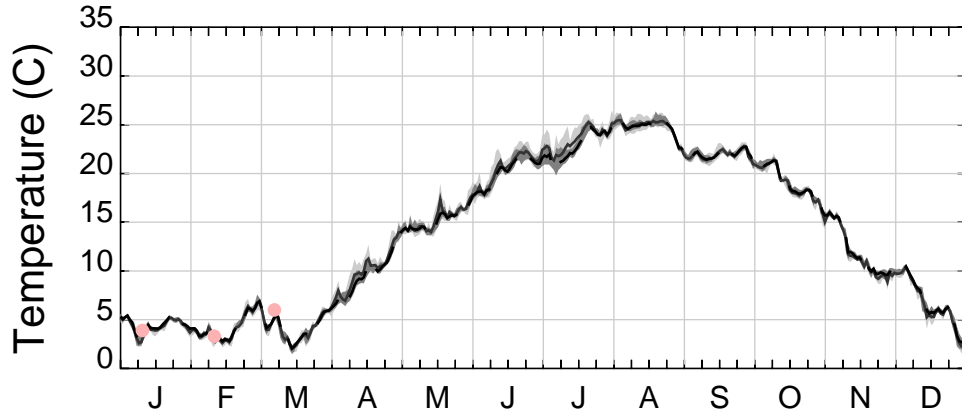
Station: 18



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- - Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

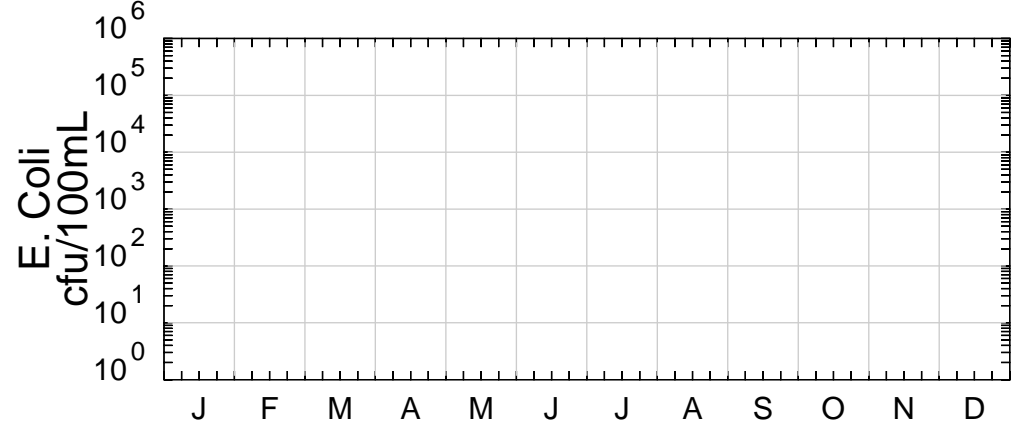
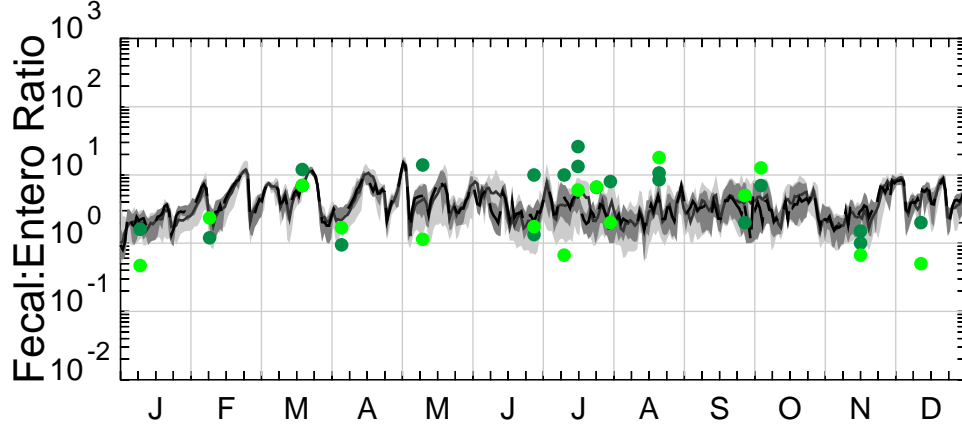
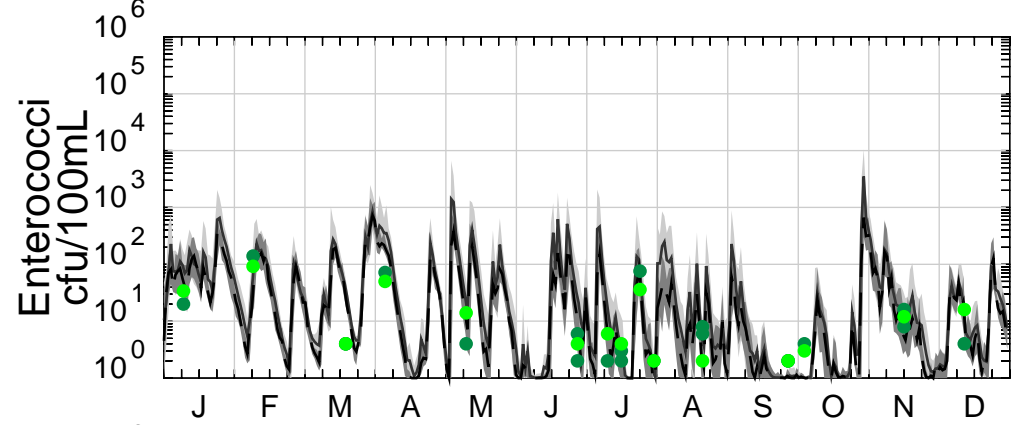
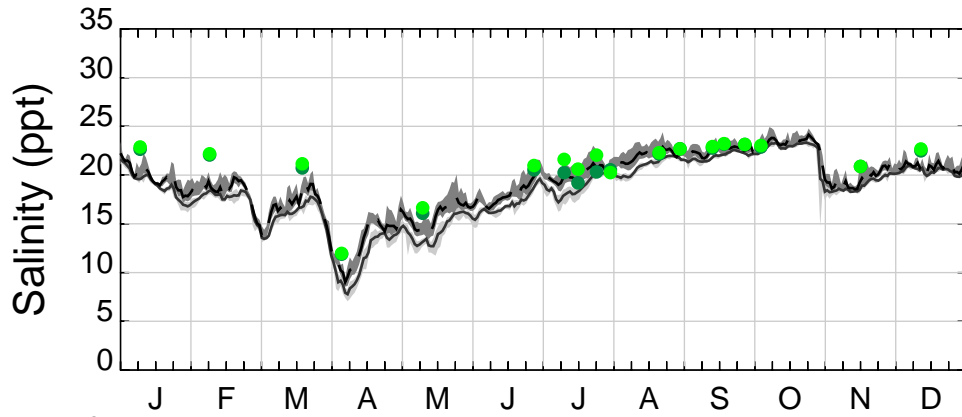
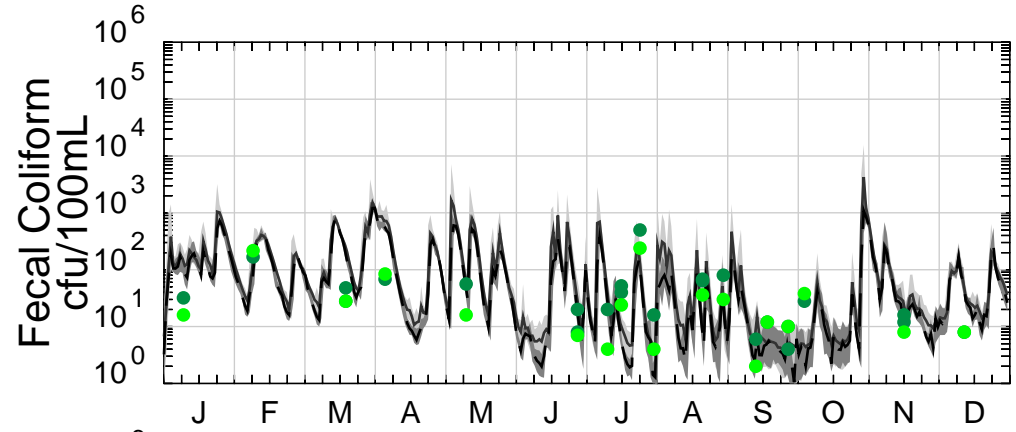
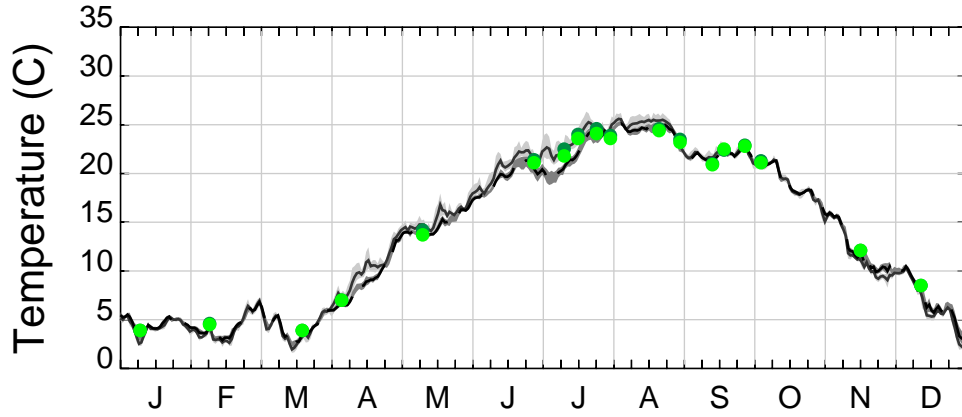
Station: B17



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 19

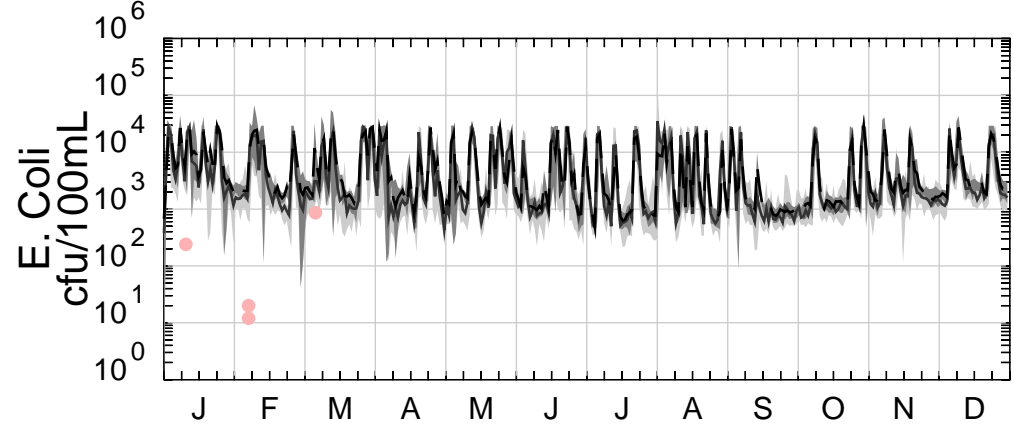
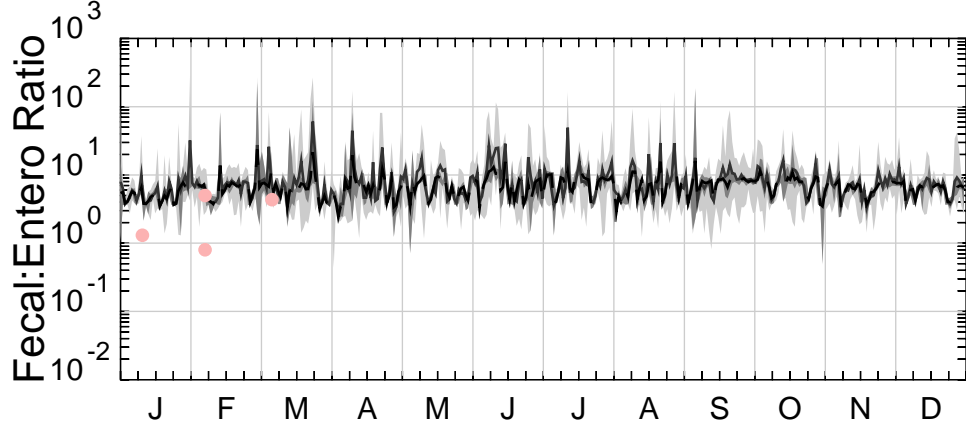
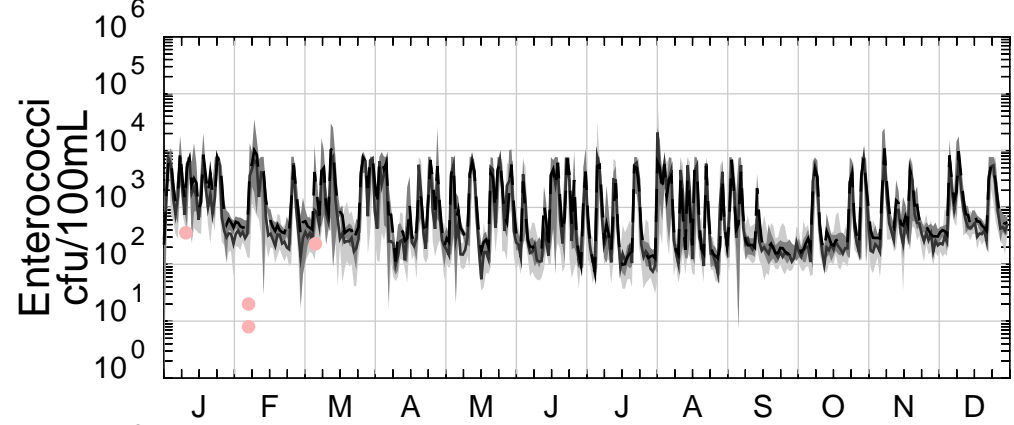
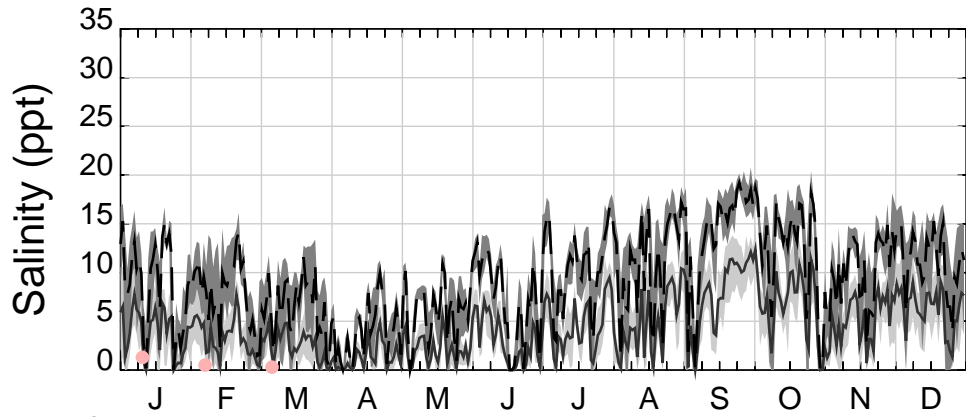
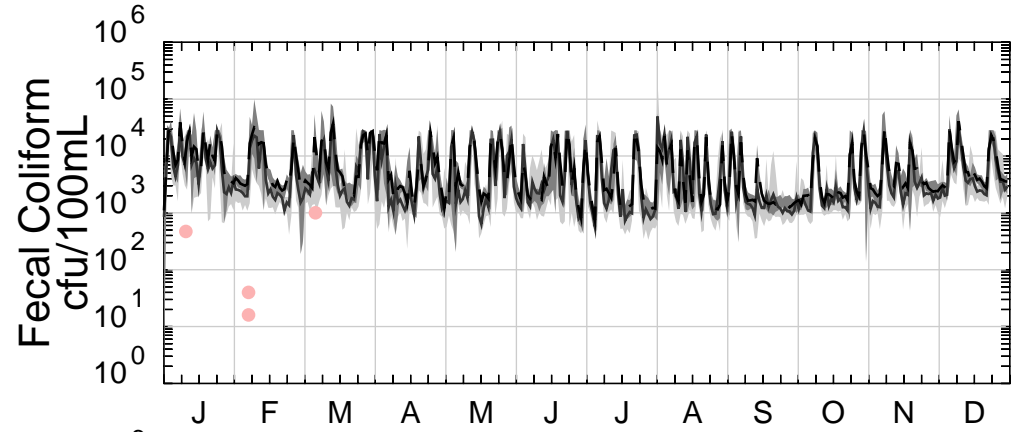
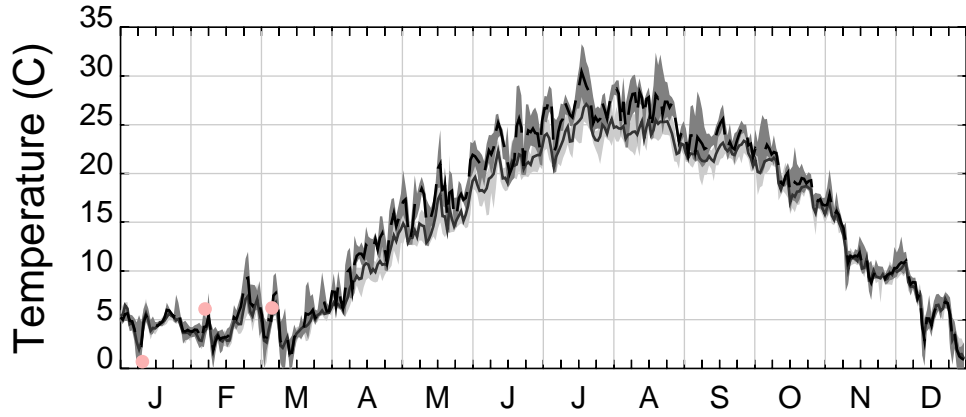


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



**Station: B16**

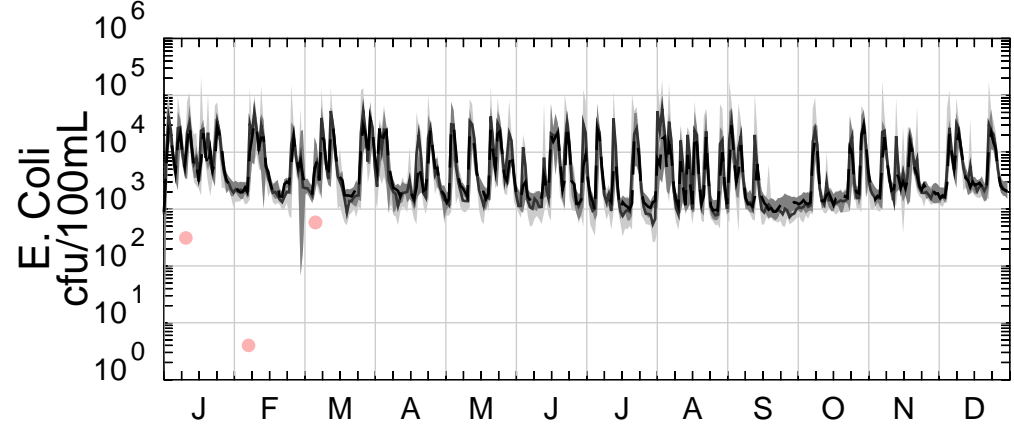
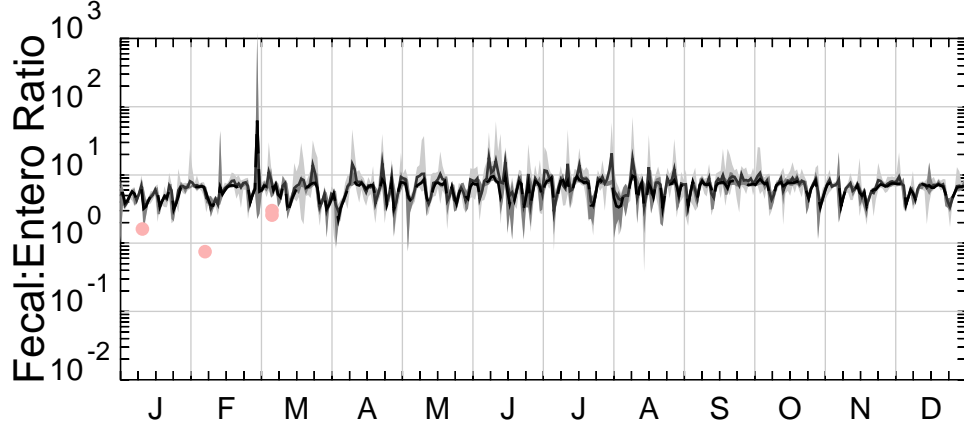
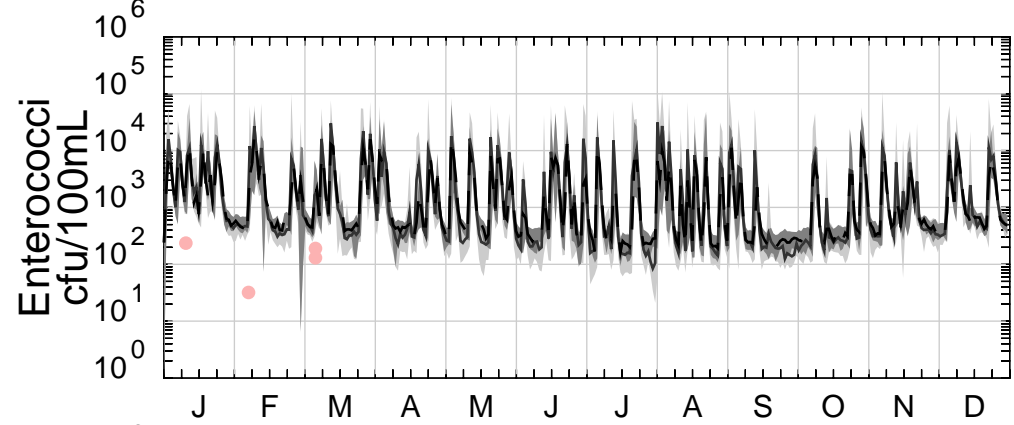
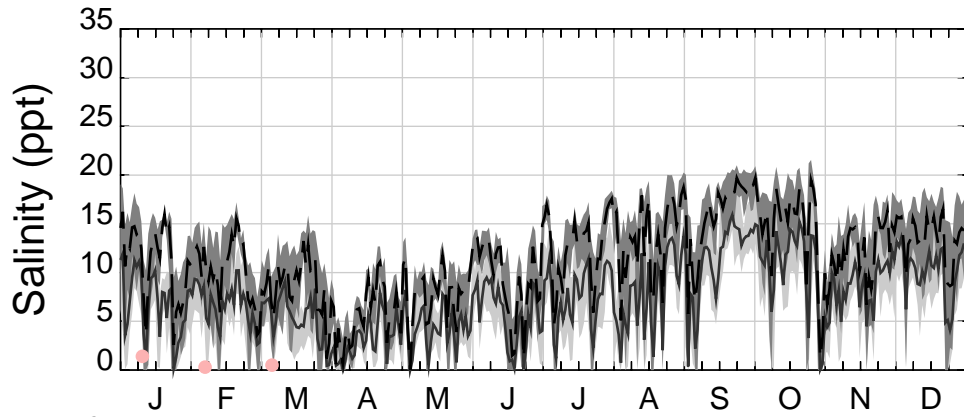
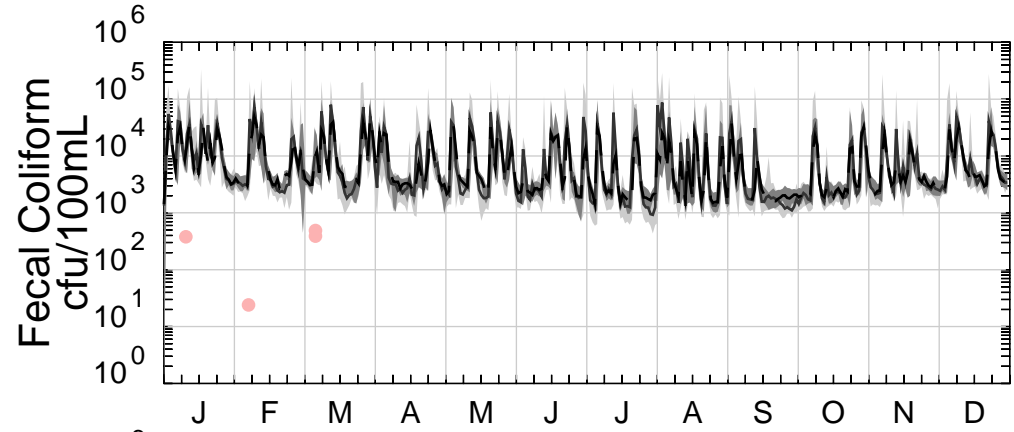
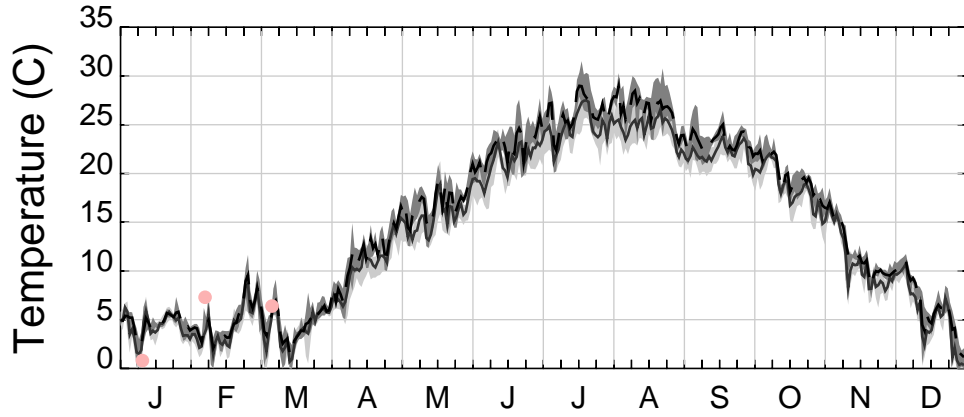


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: B14

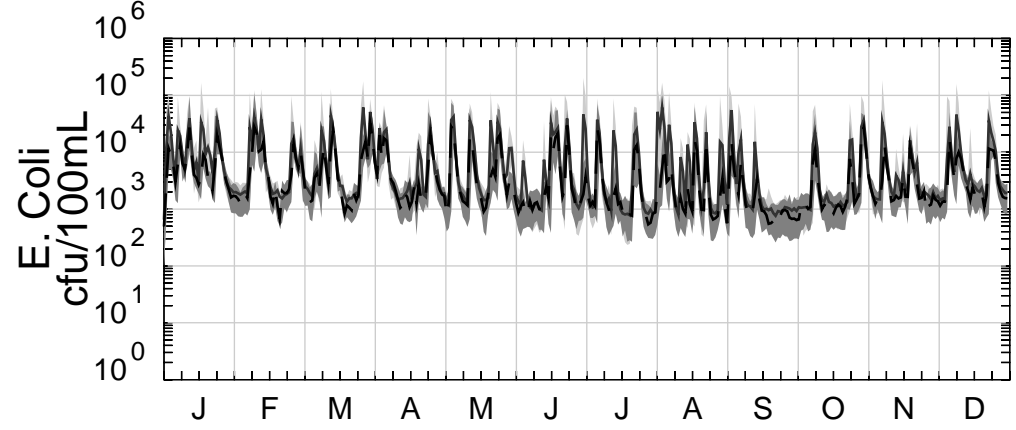
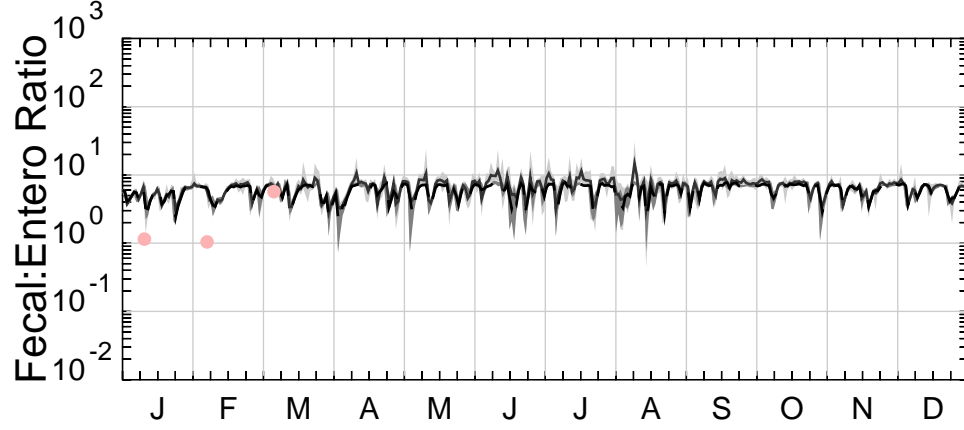
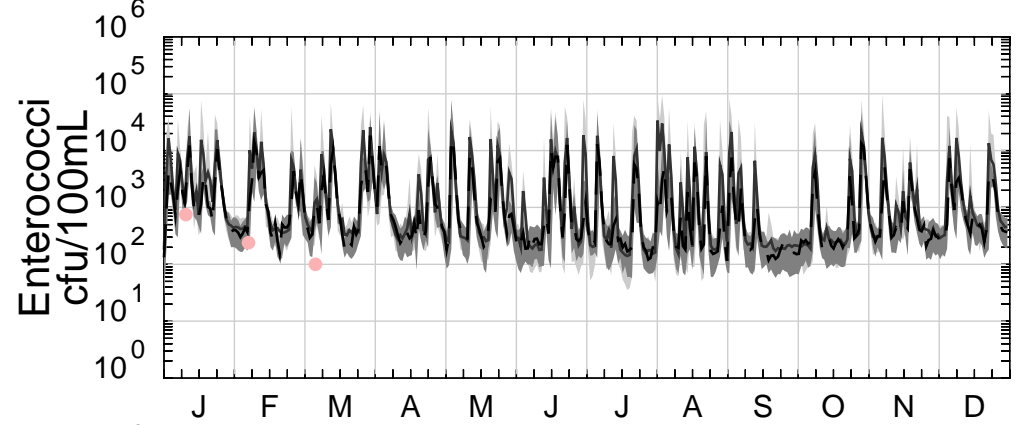
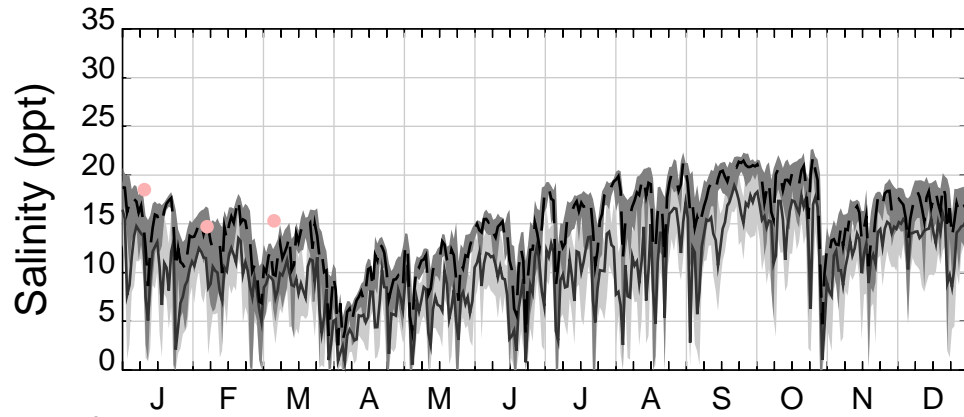
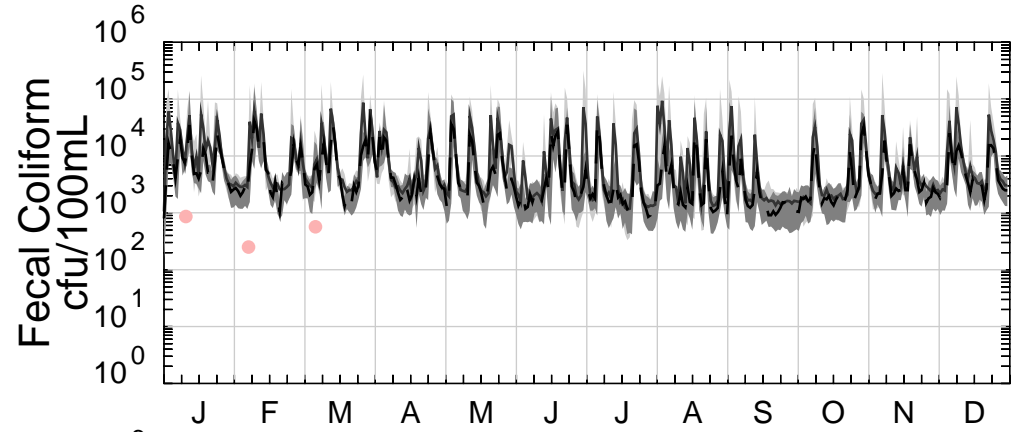
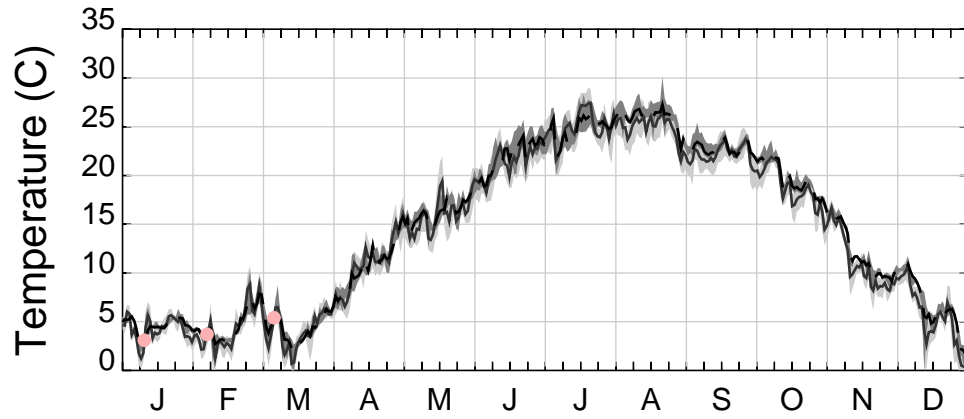


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



**Station: B13**

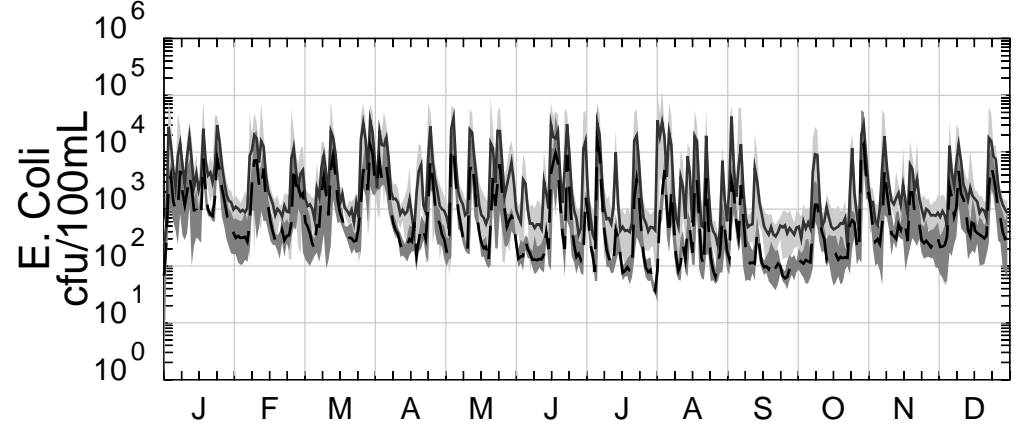
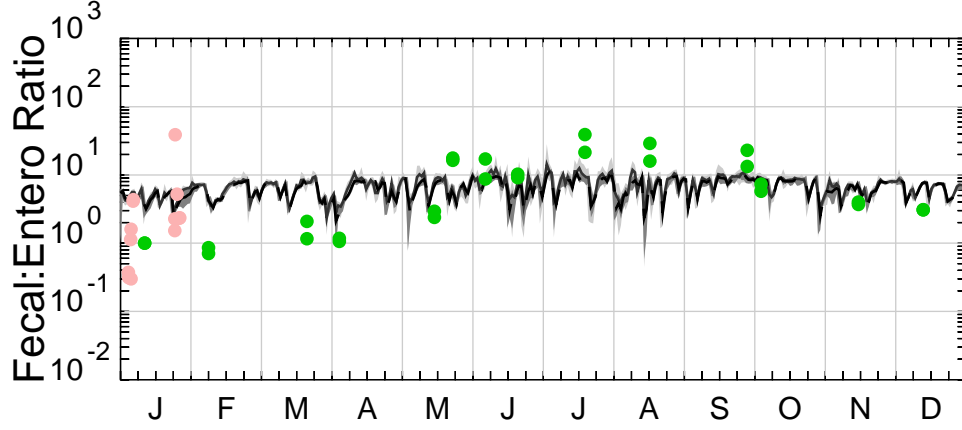
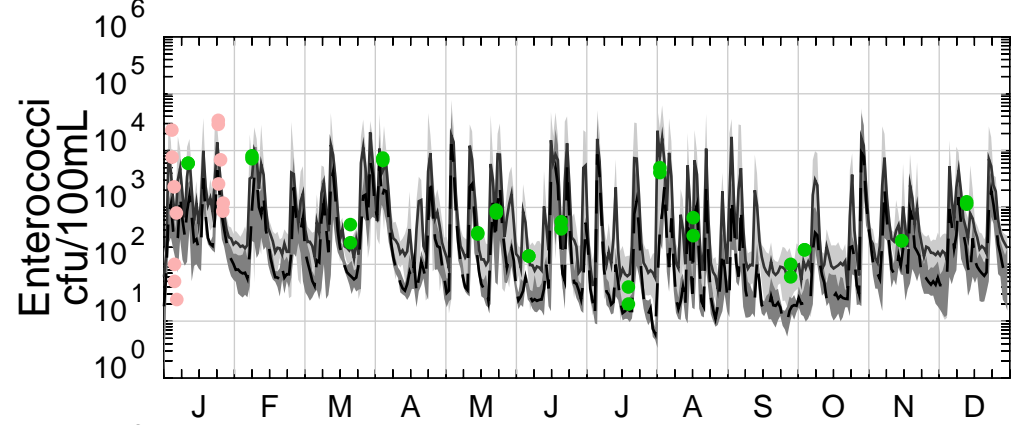
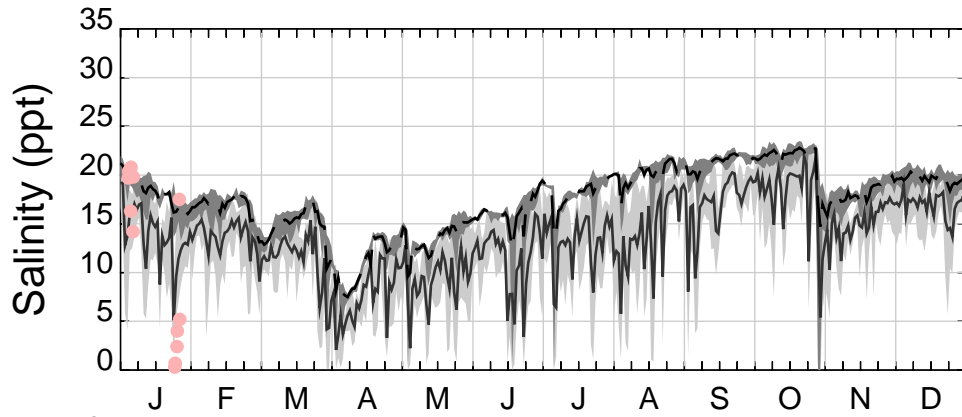
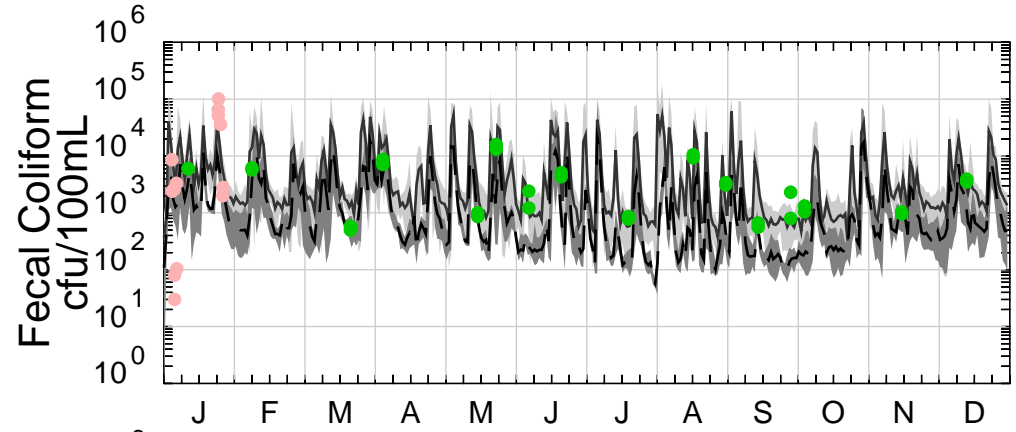
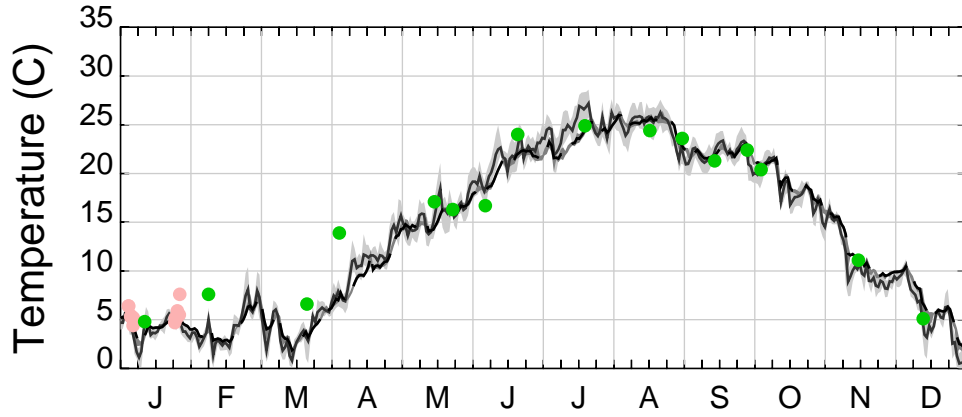


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 20

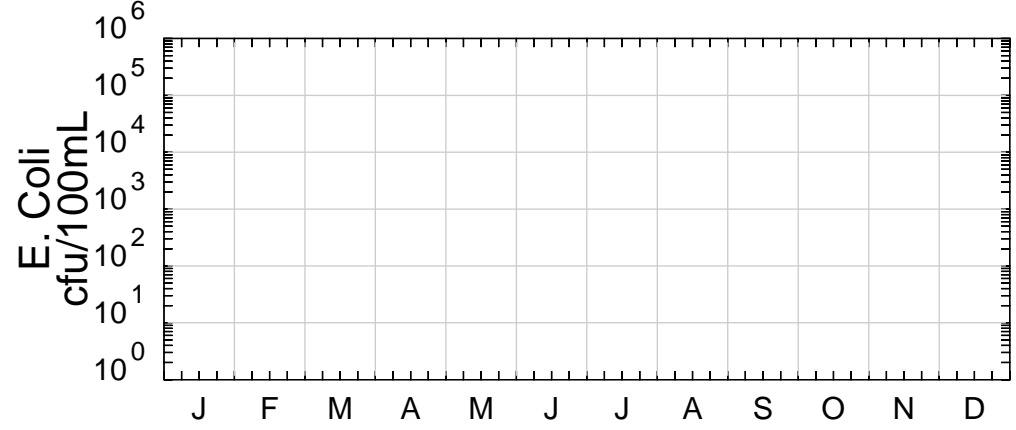
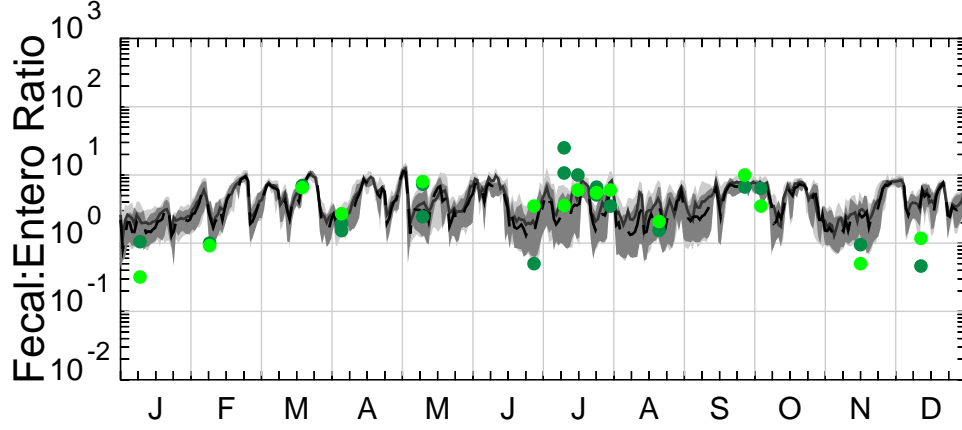
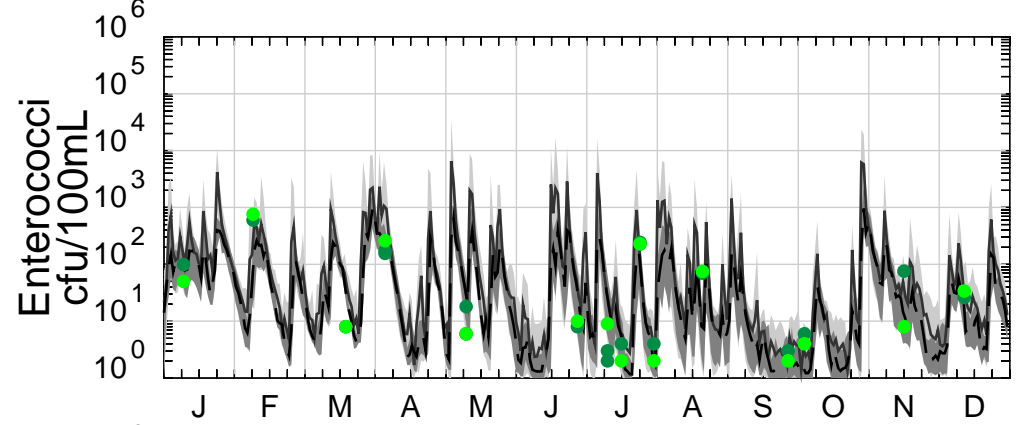
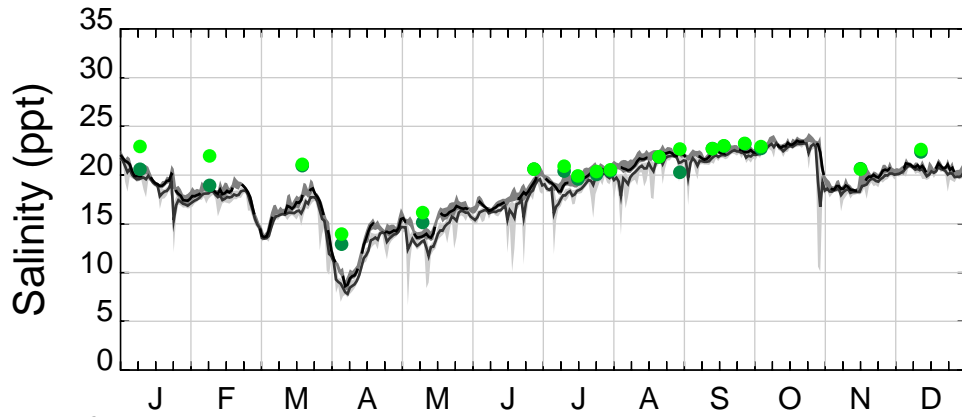
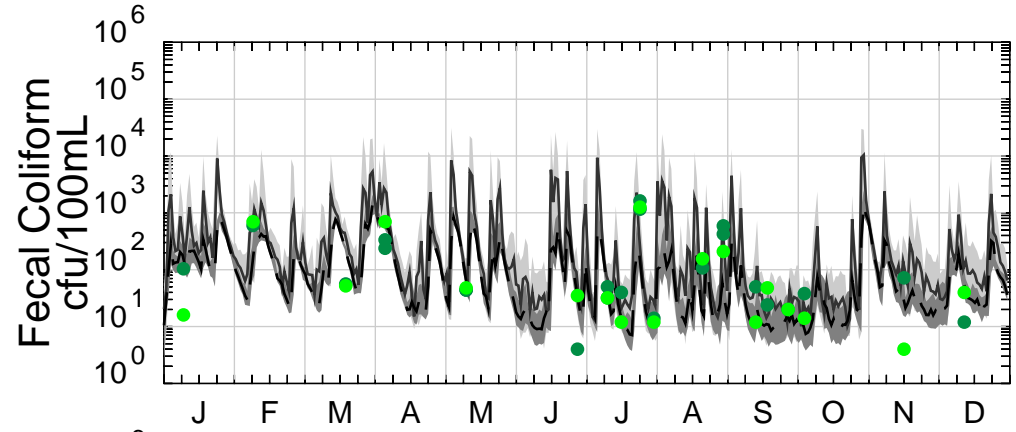
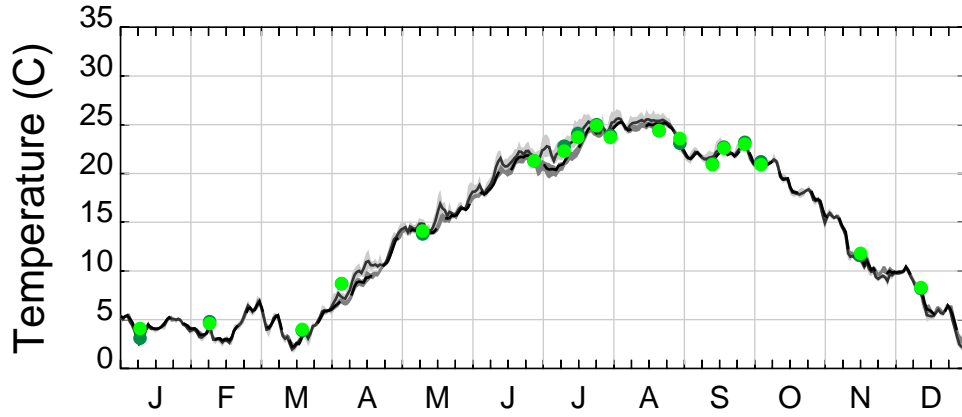


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

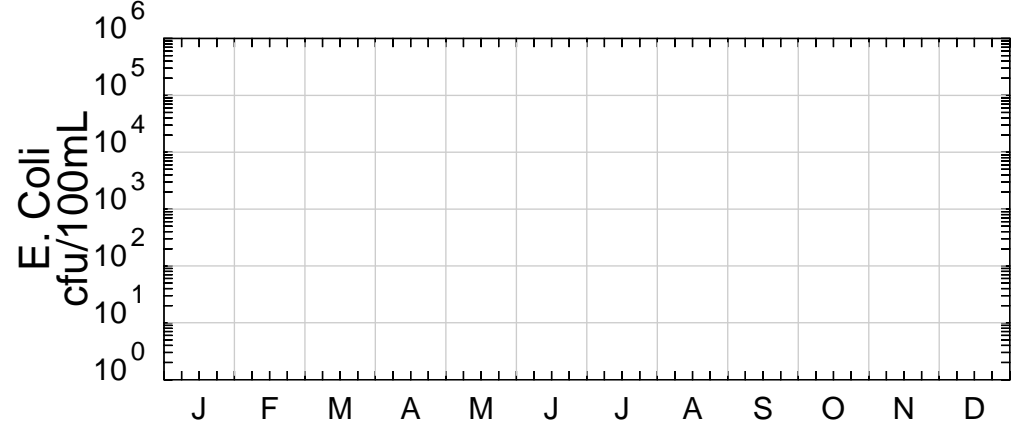
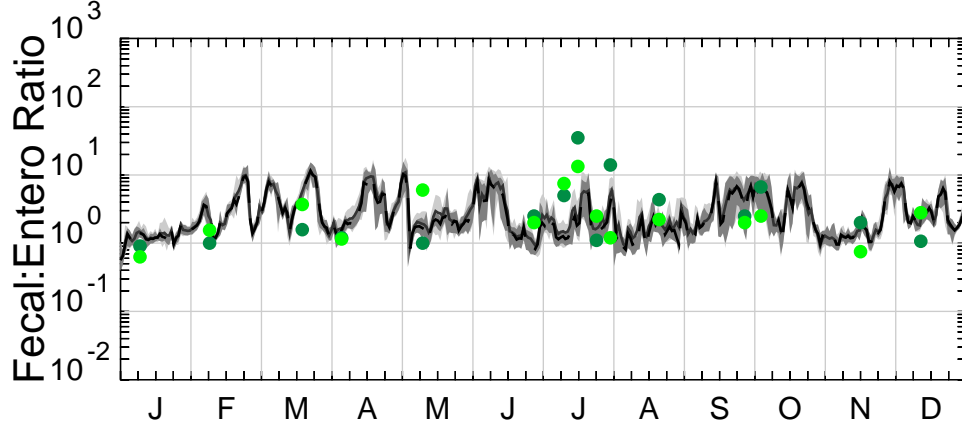
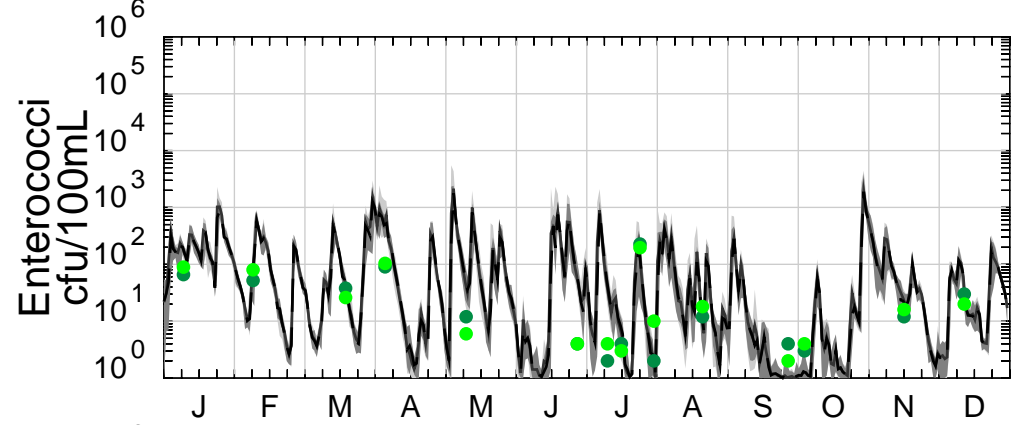
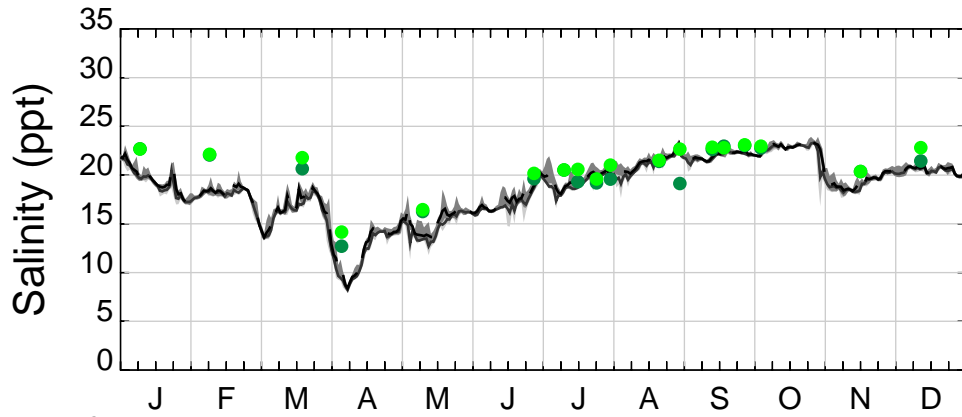
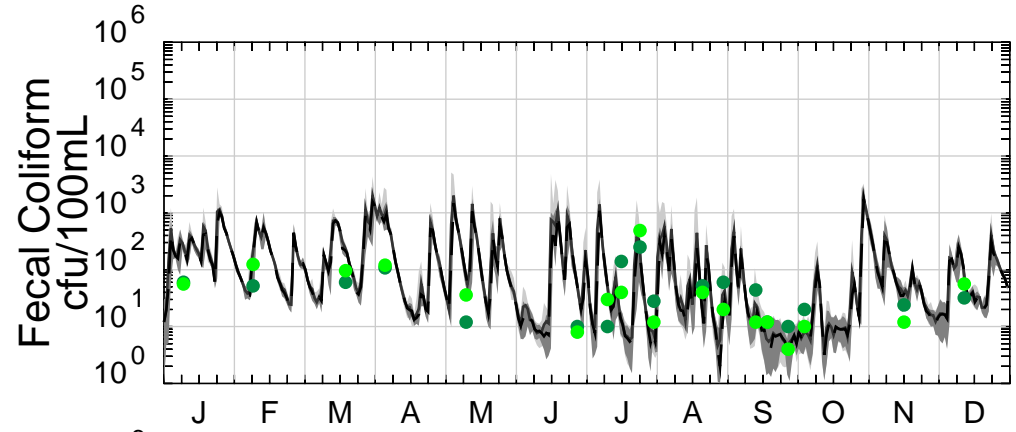
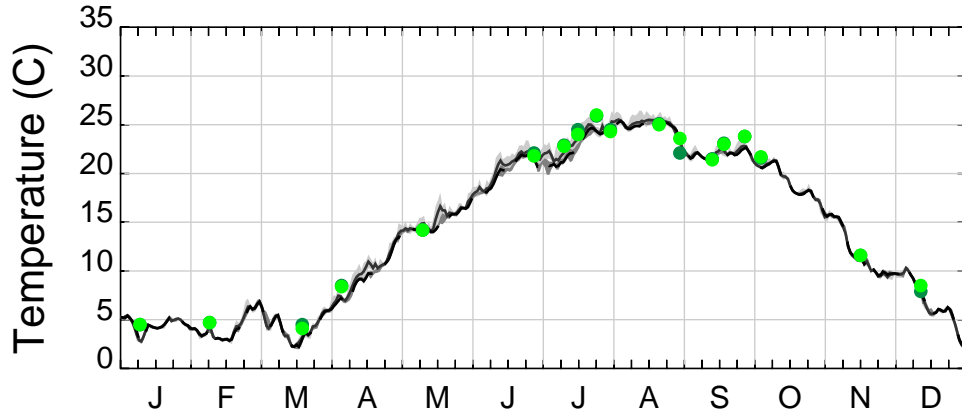
Station: 21



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

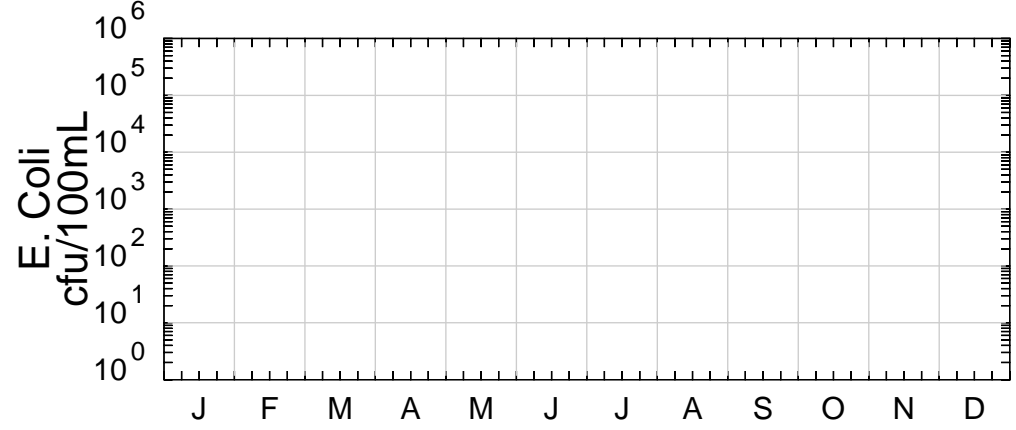
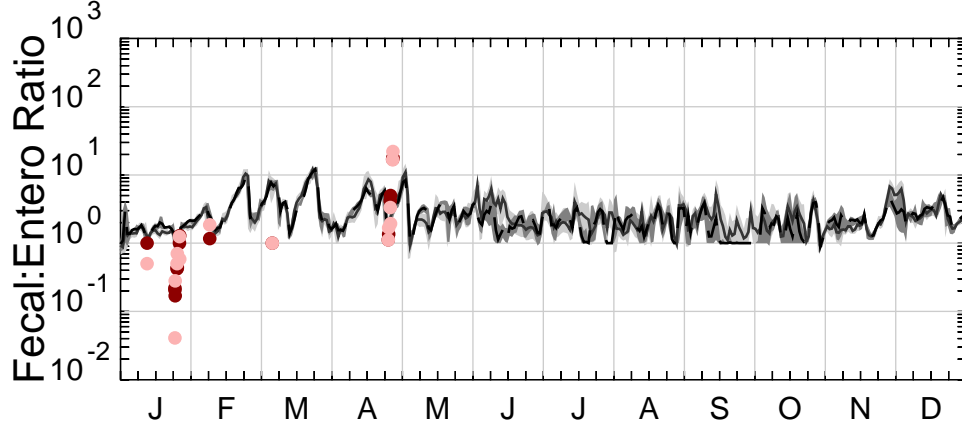
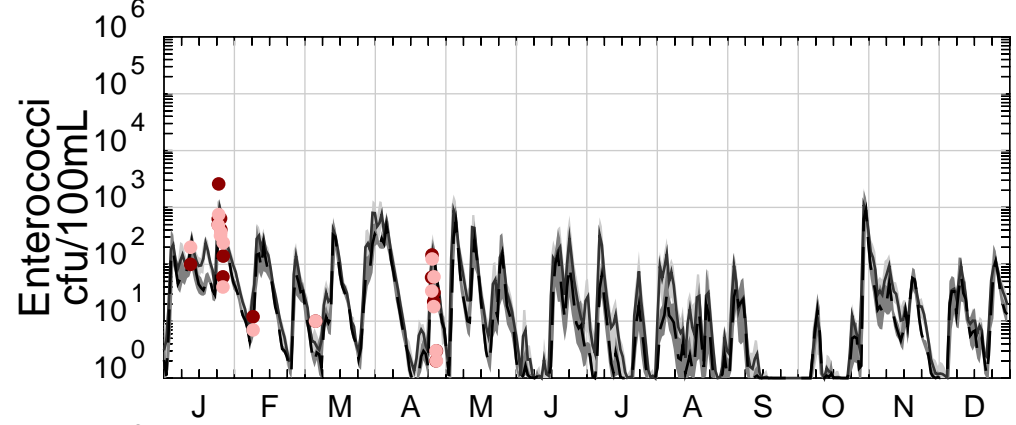
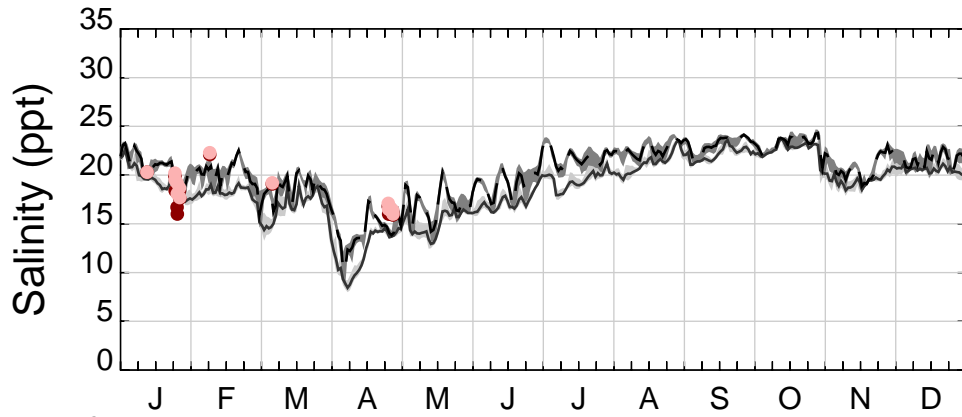
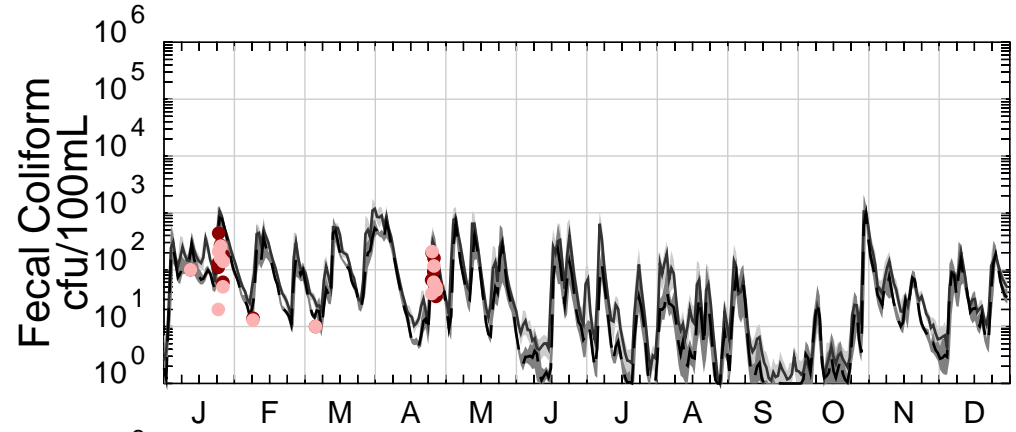
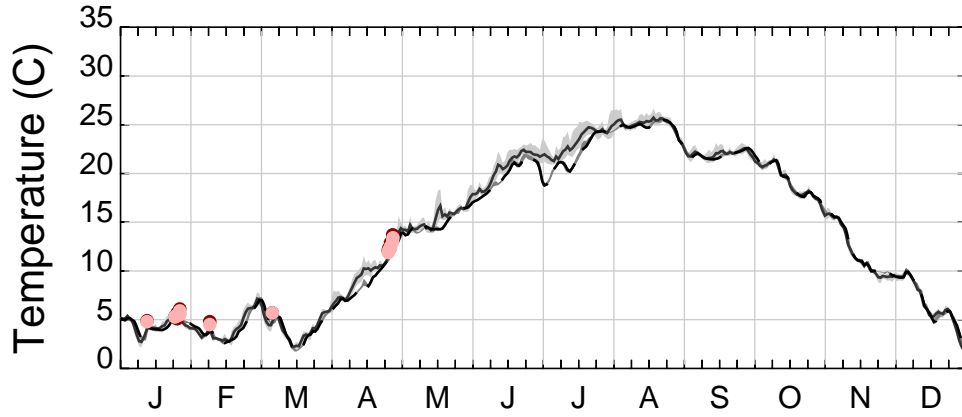
Station: 23



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- - Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

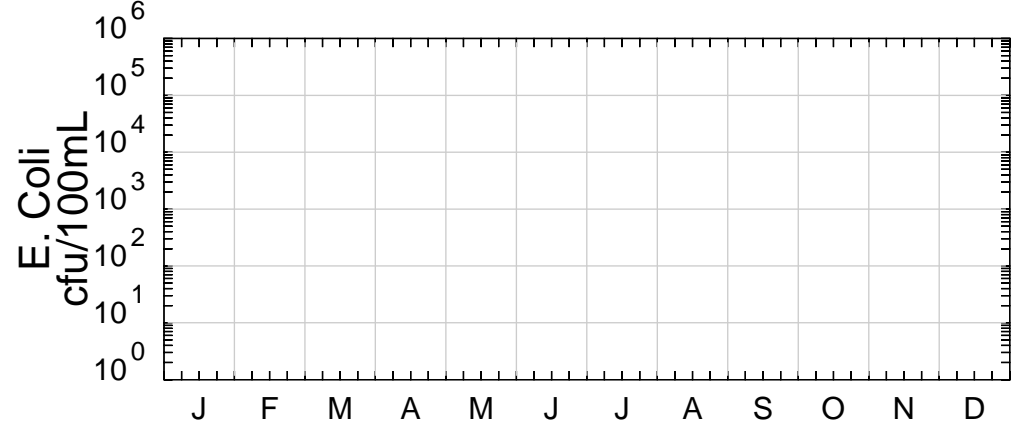
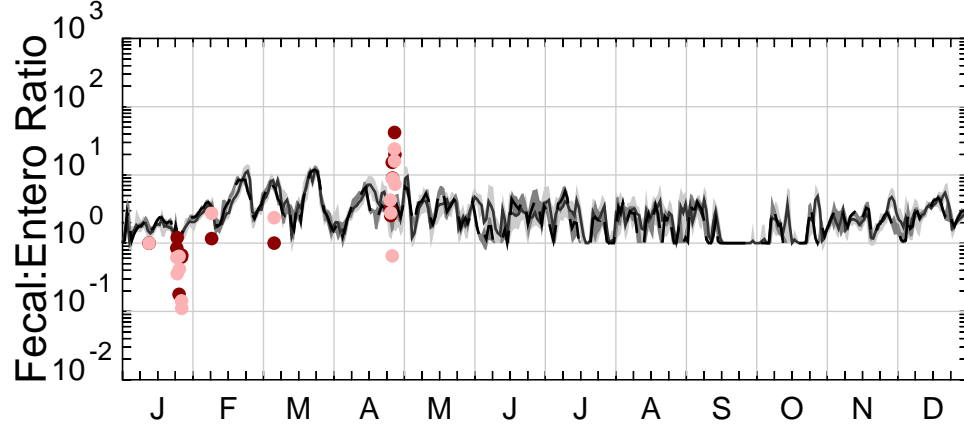
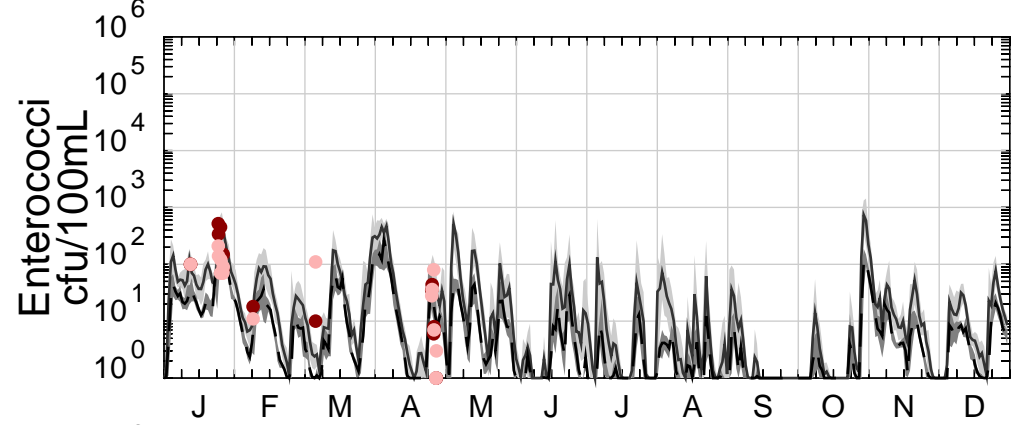
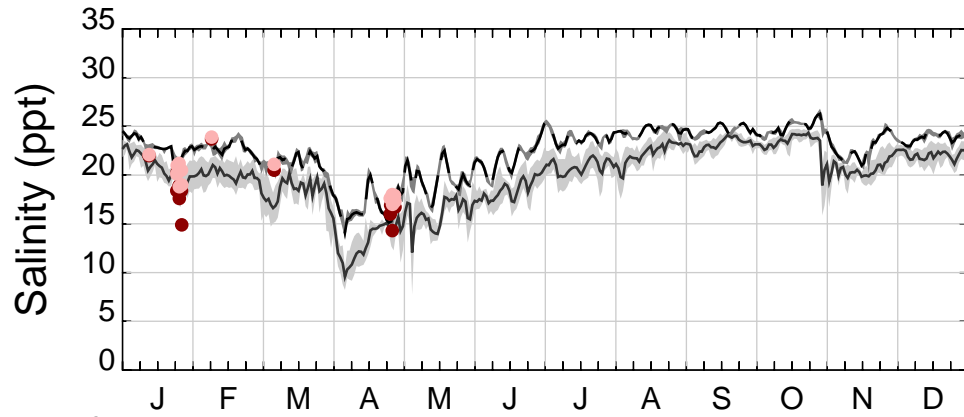
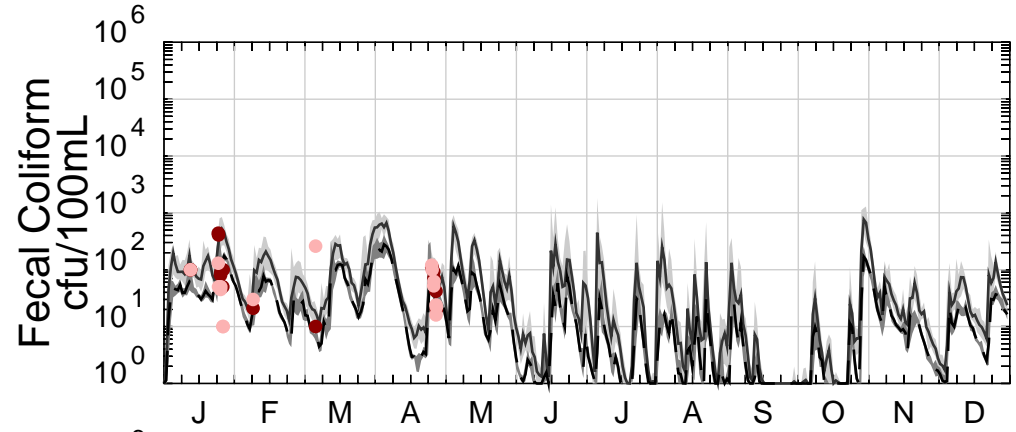
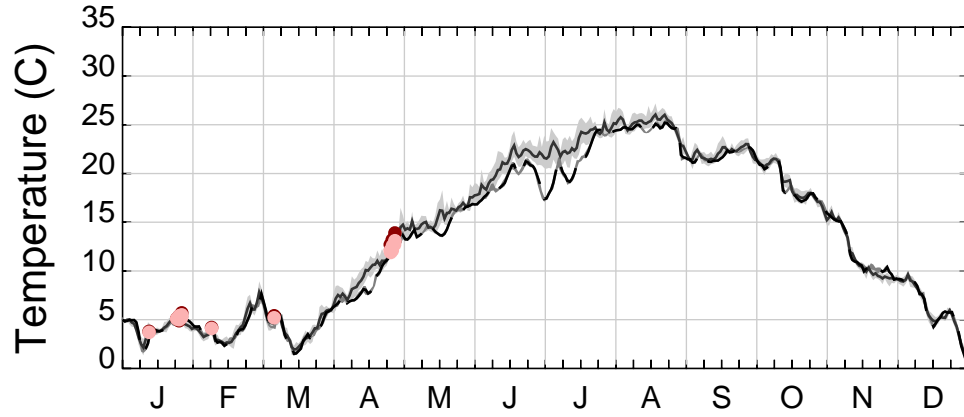
Station: 24



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

**Station: B15**



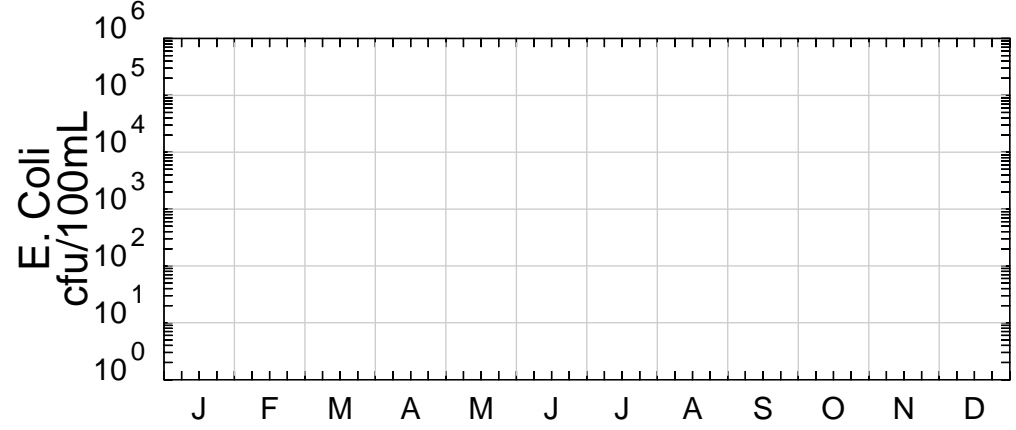
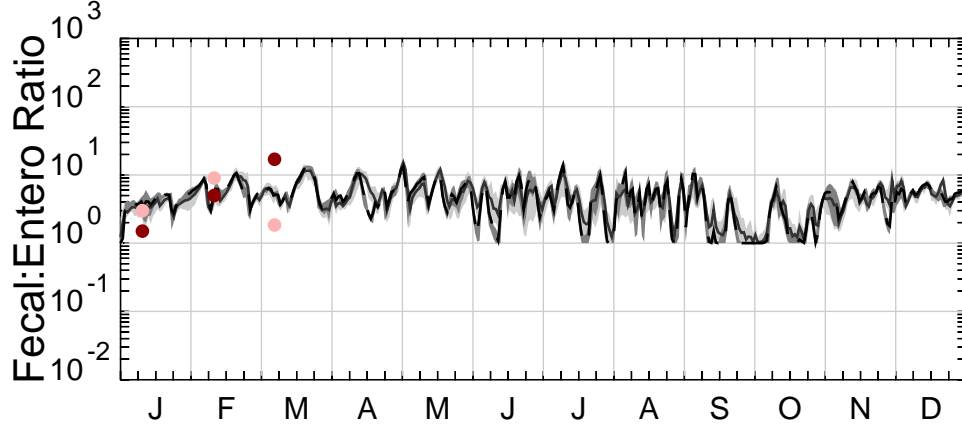
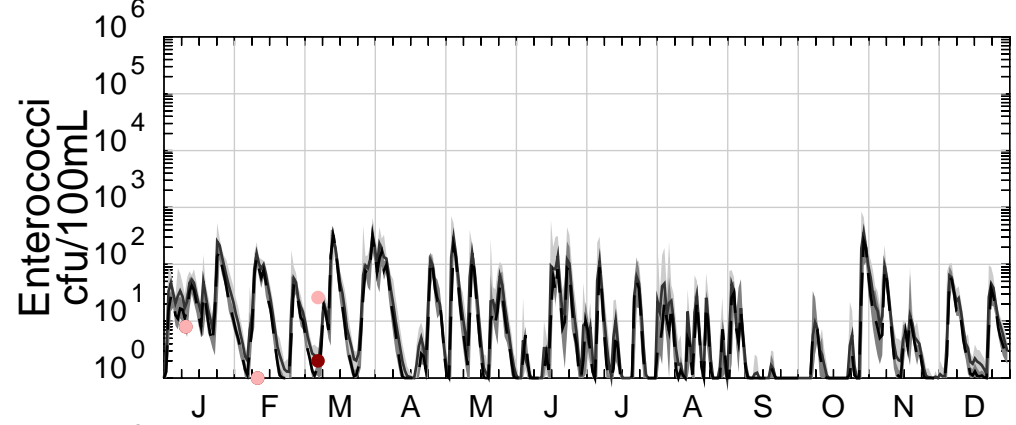
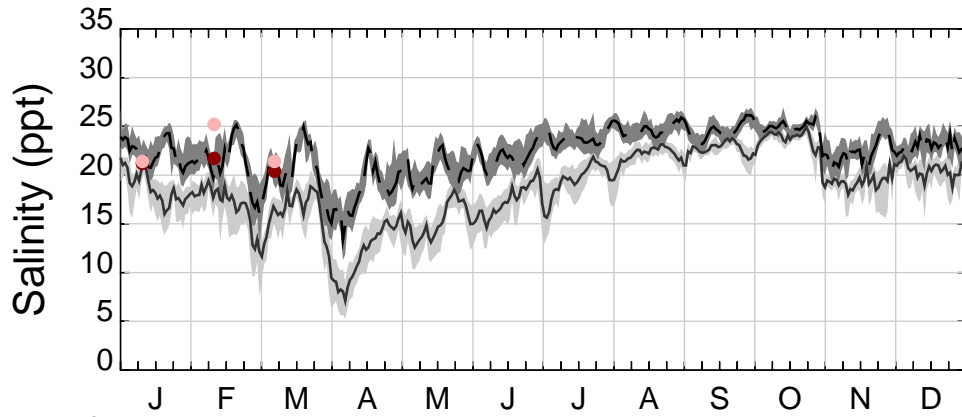
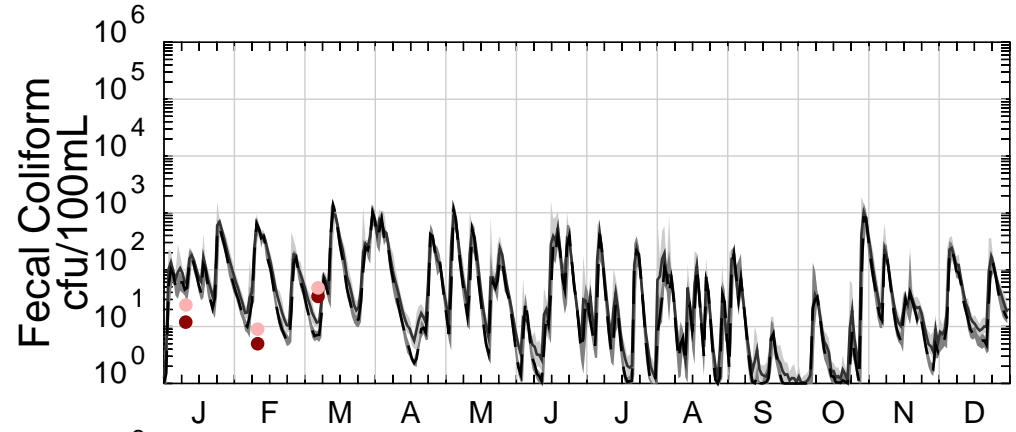
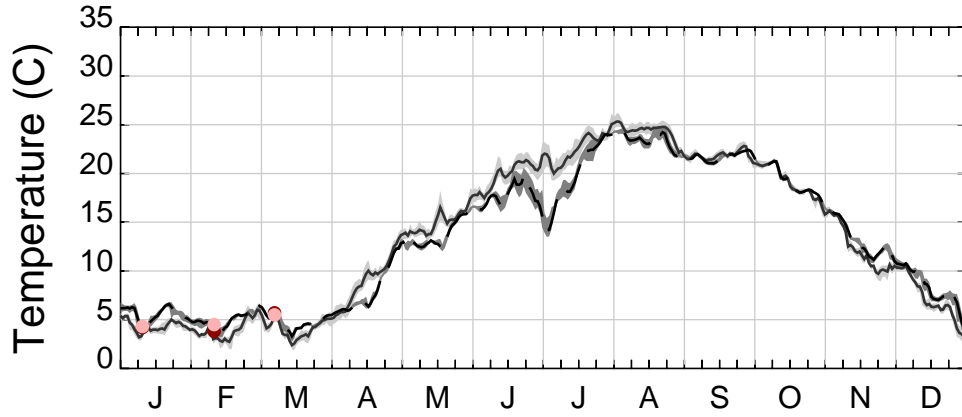
Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



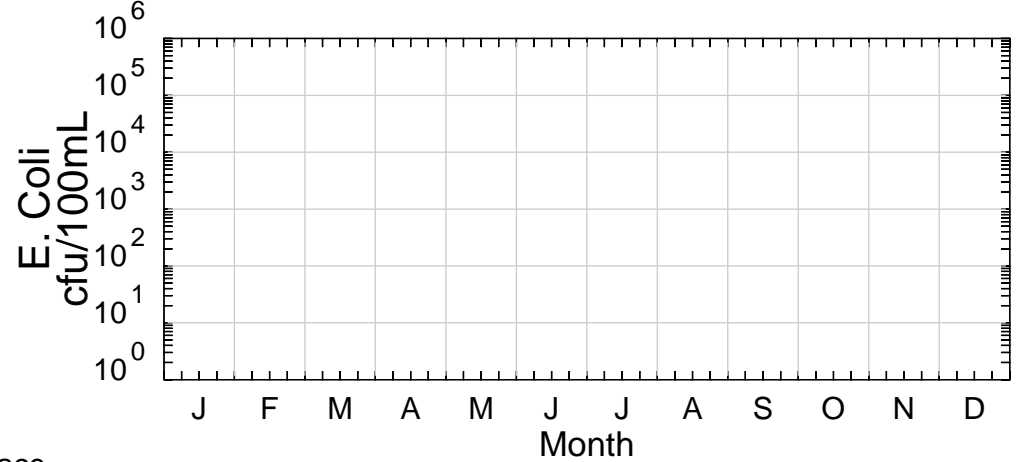
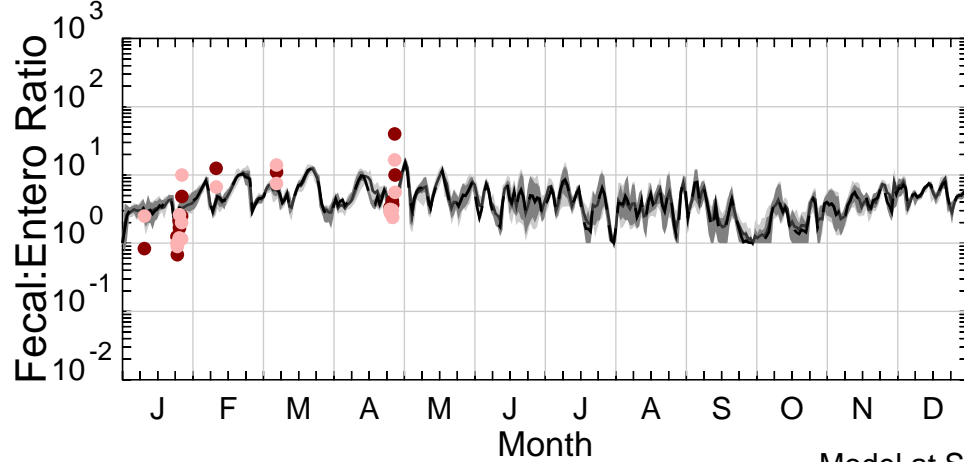
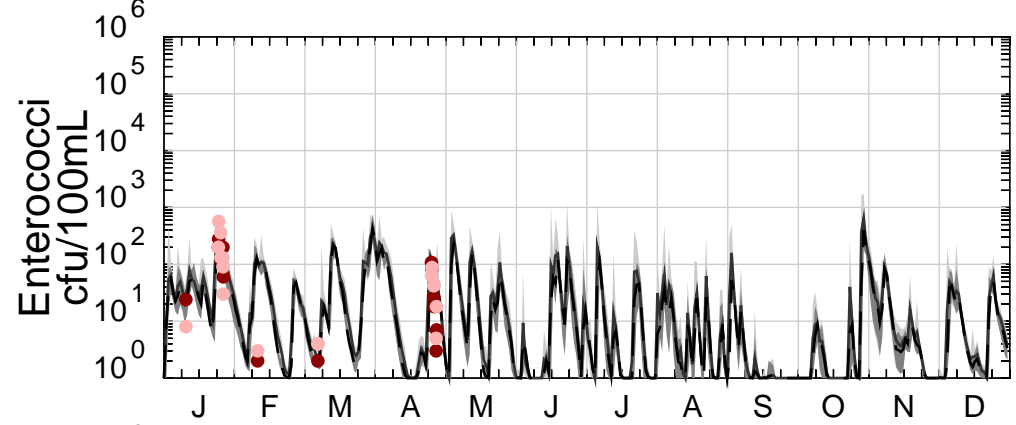
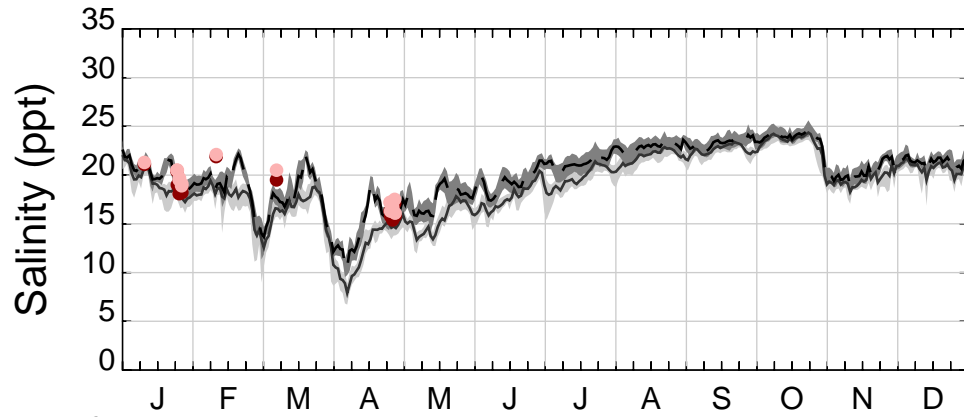
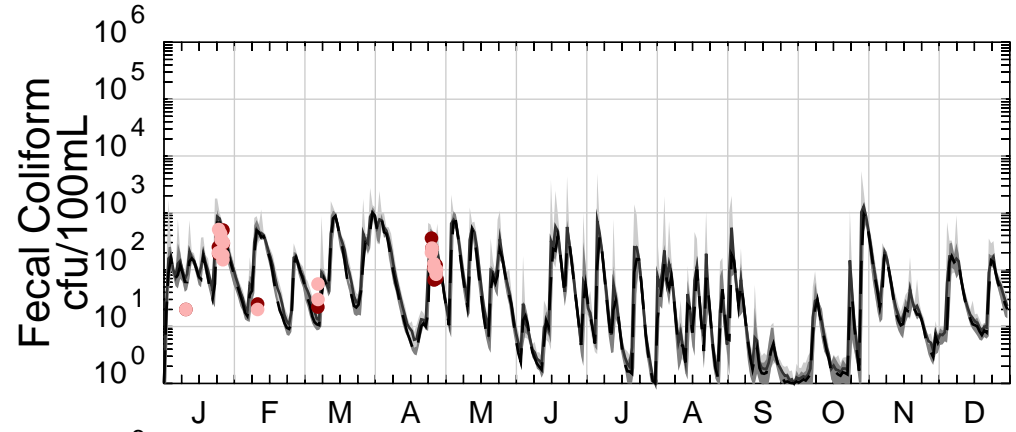
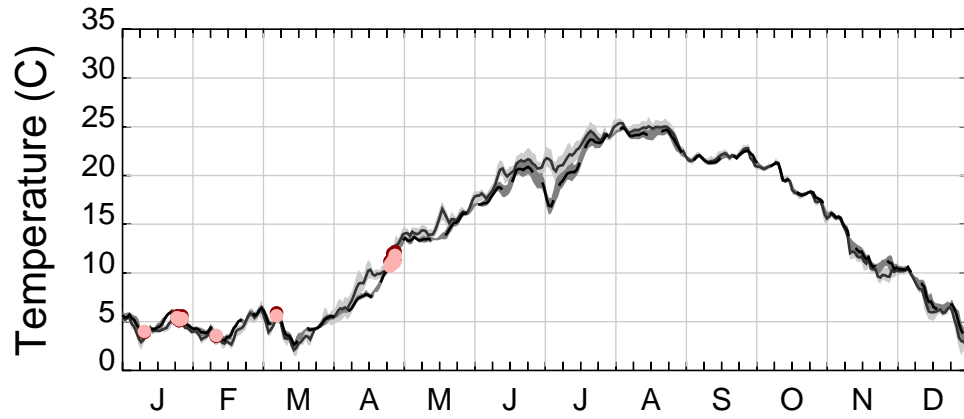
**Station: B20**



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

**Station: B12**

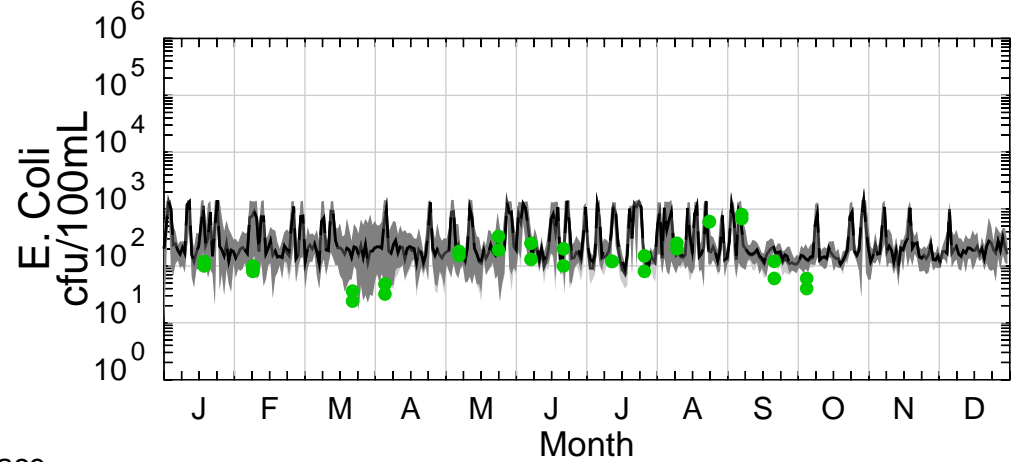
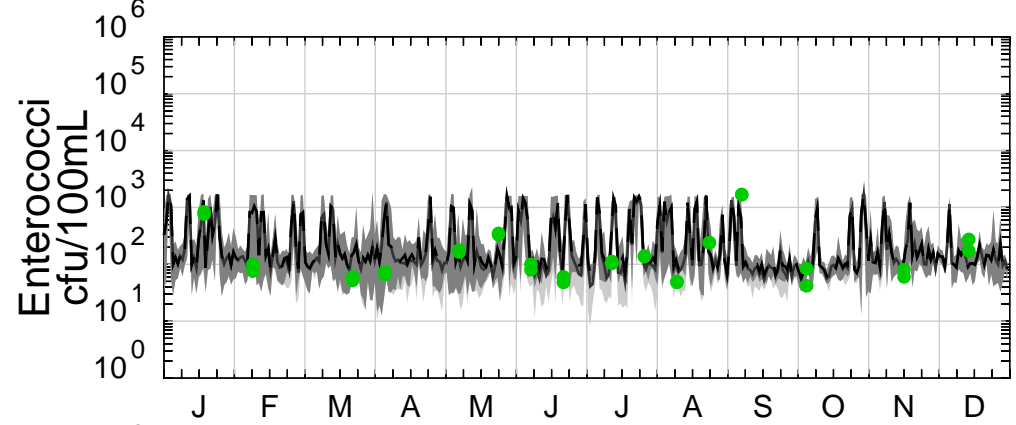
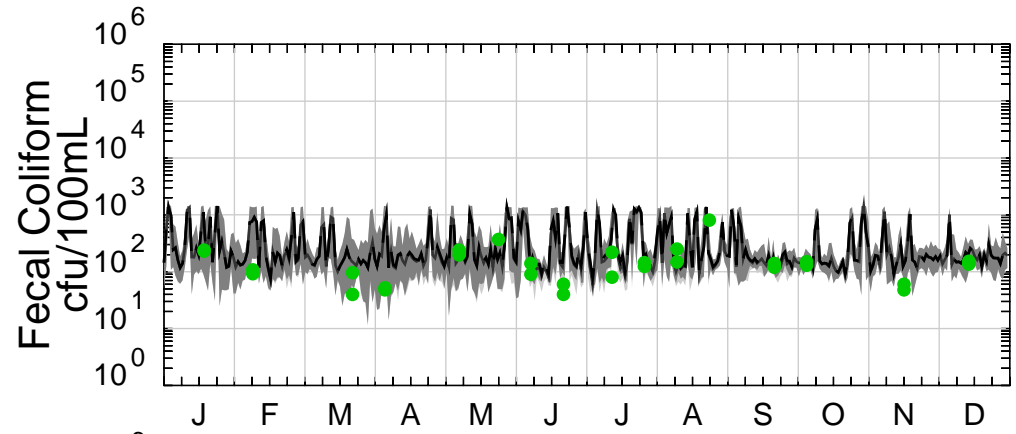
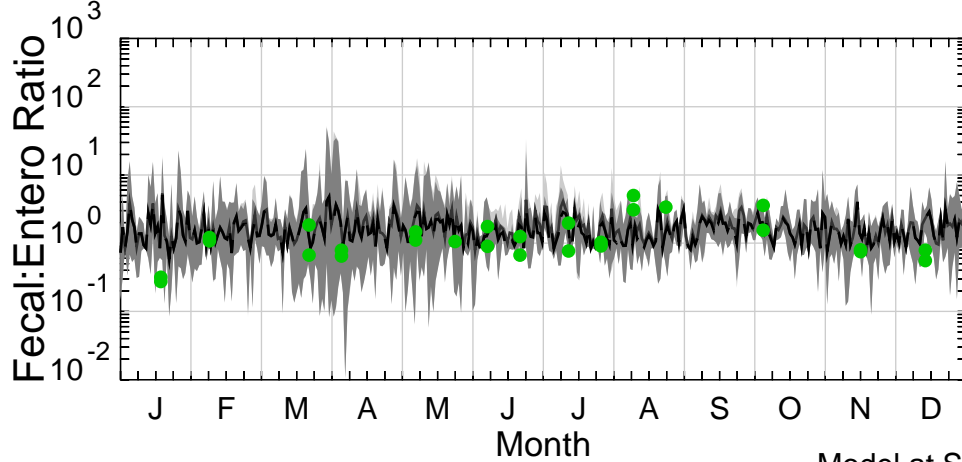
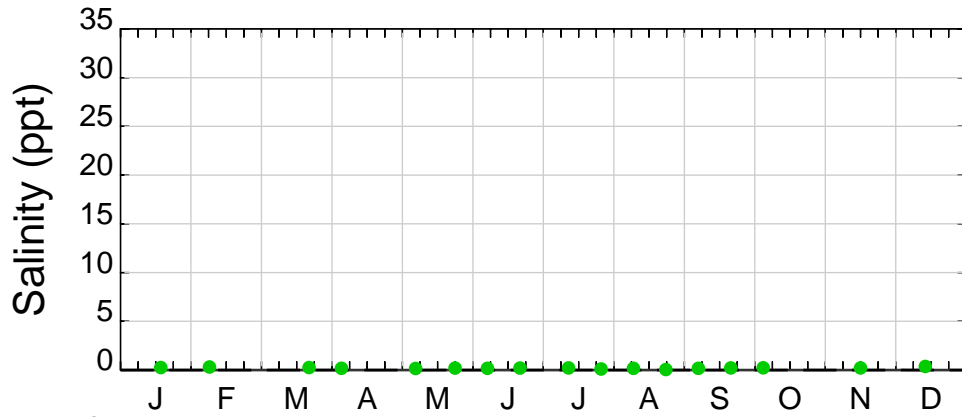
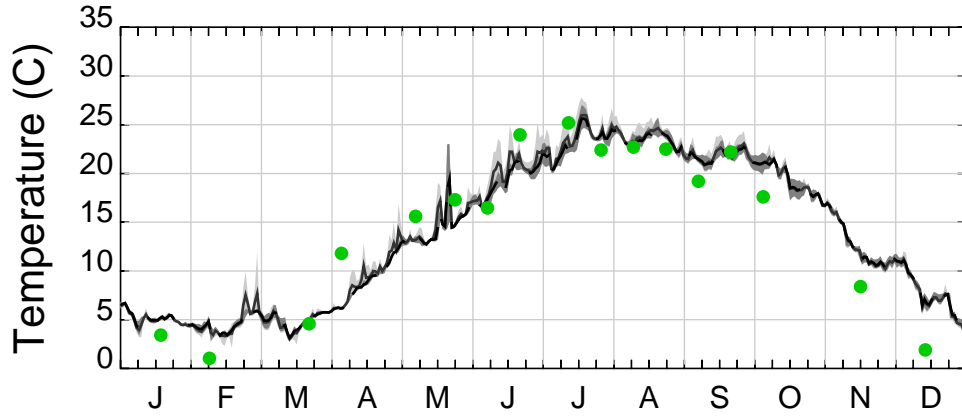


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



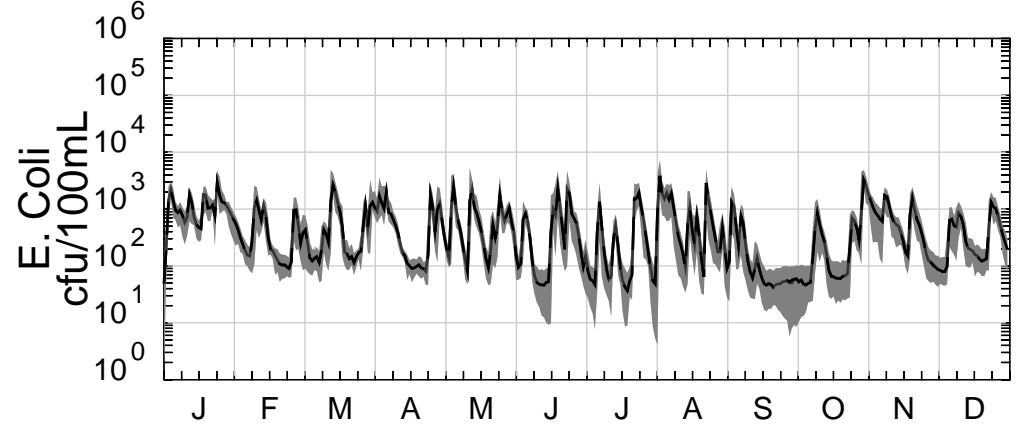
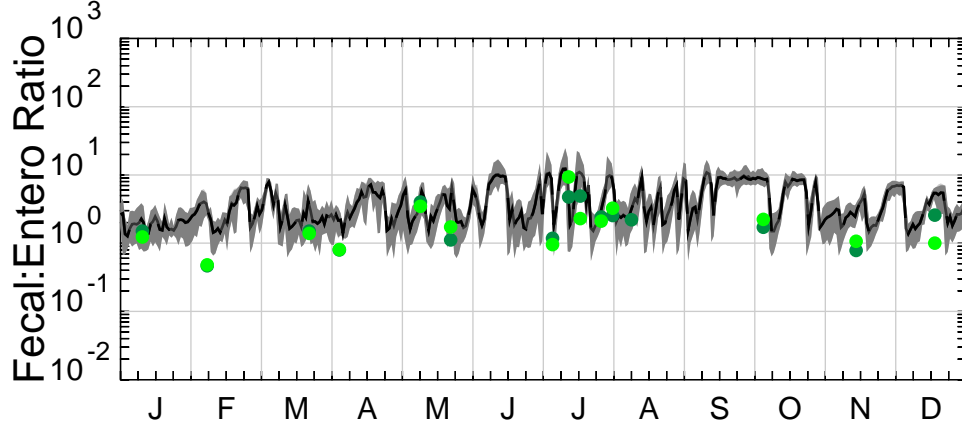
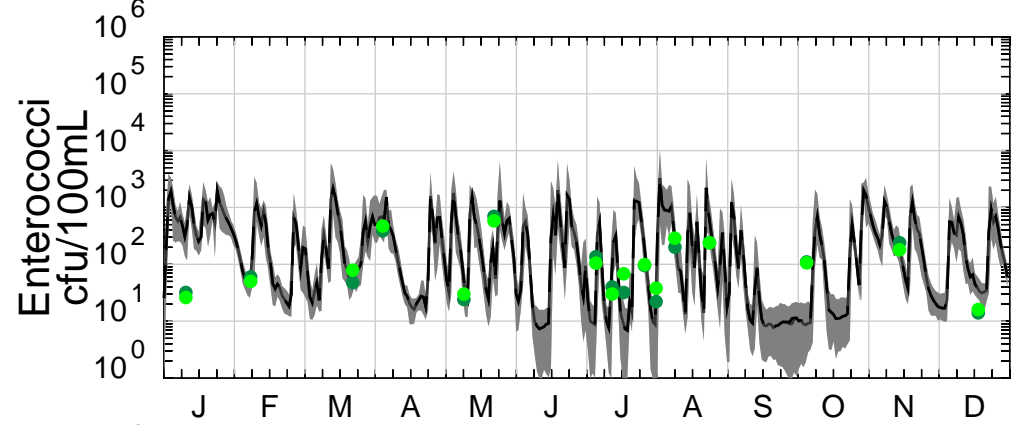
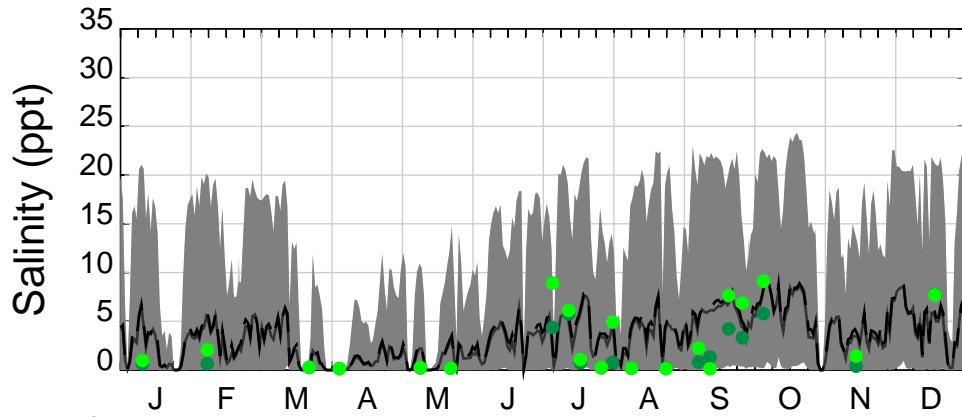
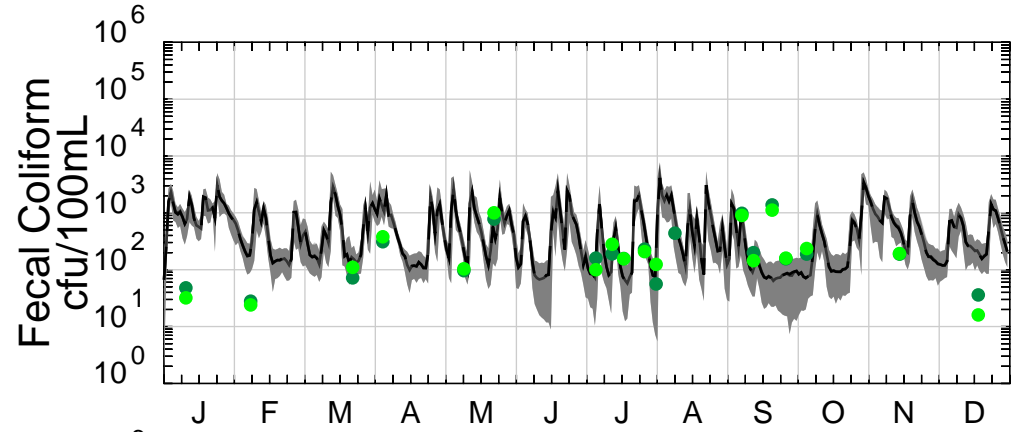
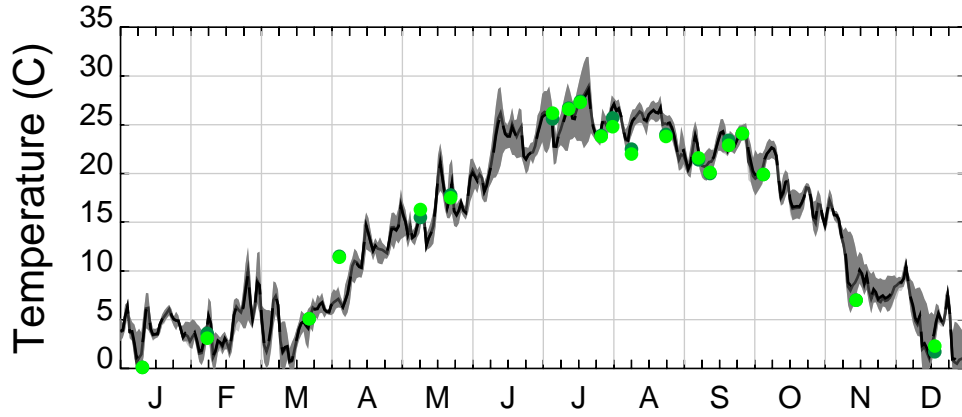
Station: 25



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 26

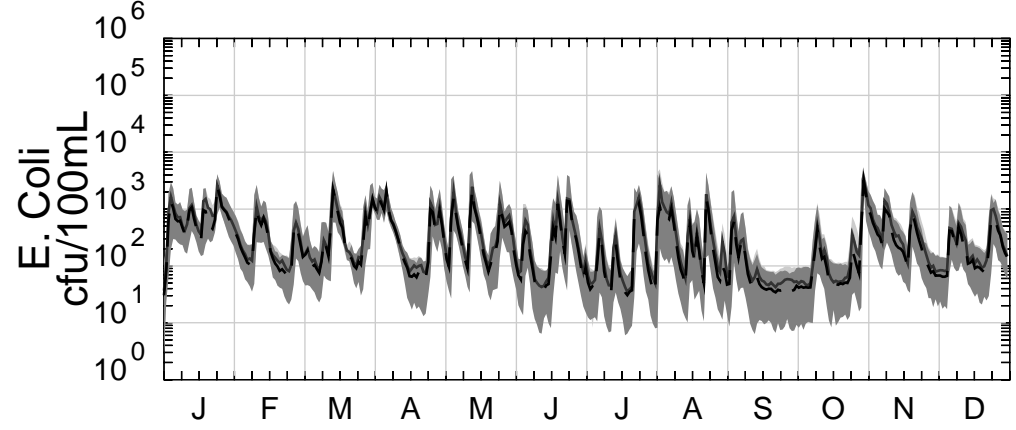
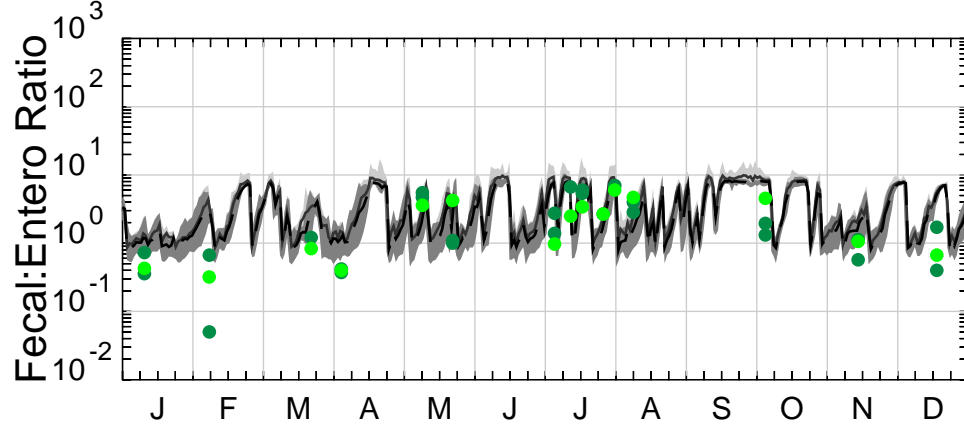
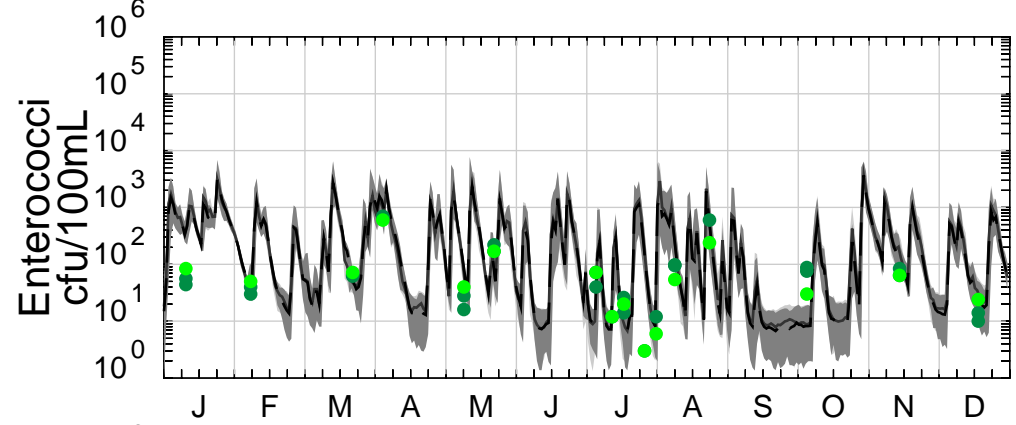
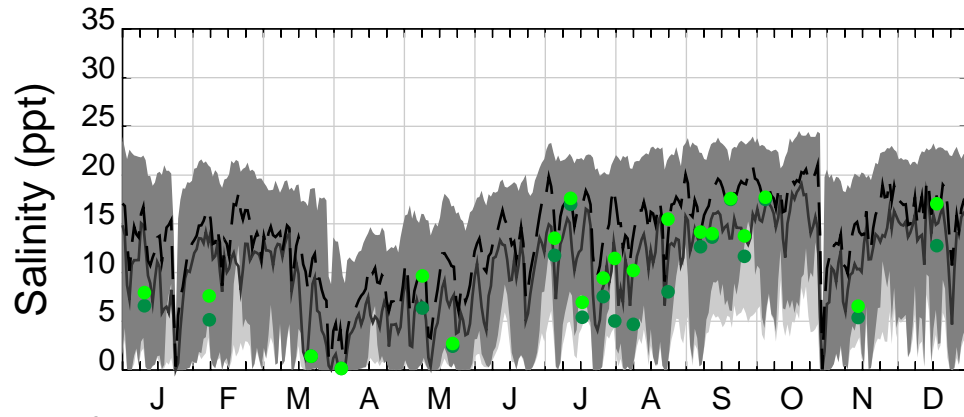
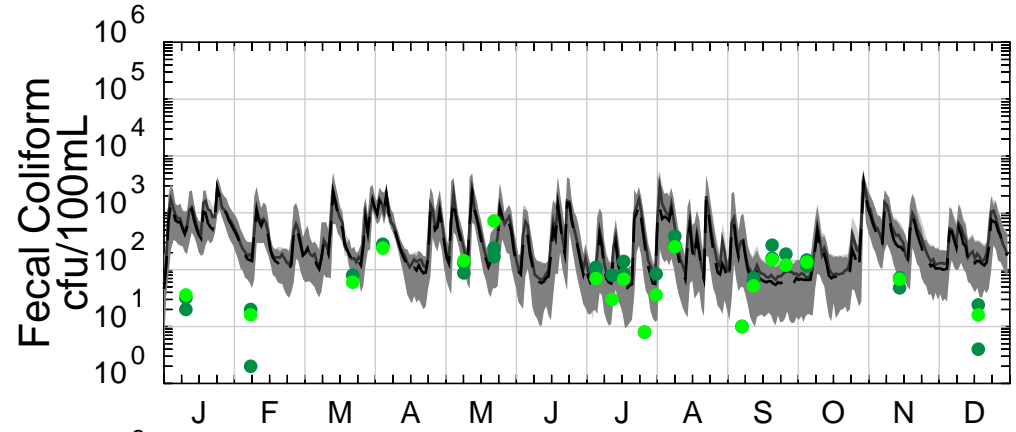
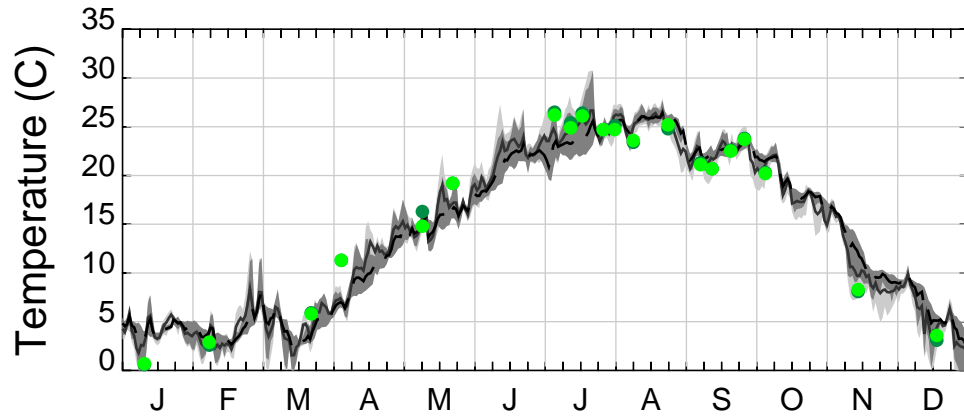


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

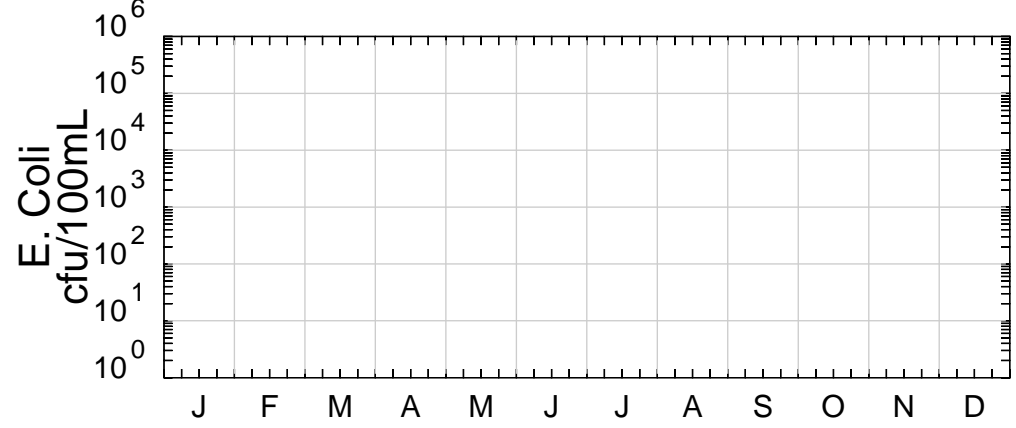
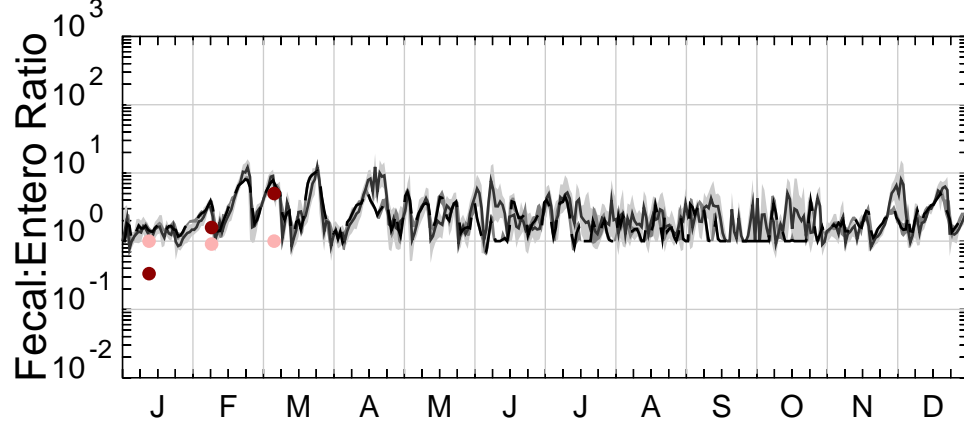
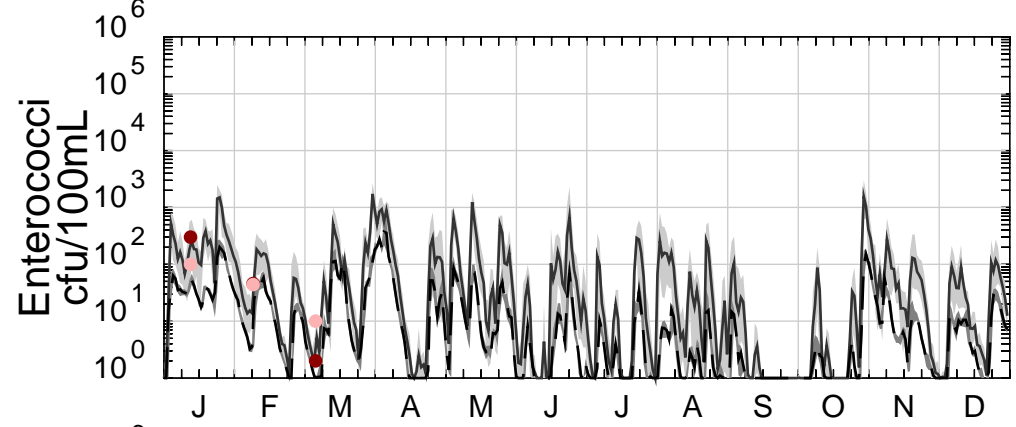
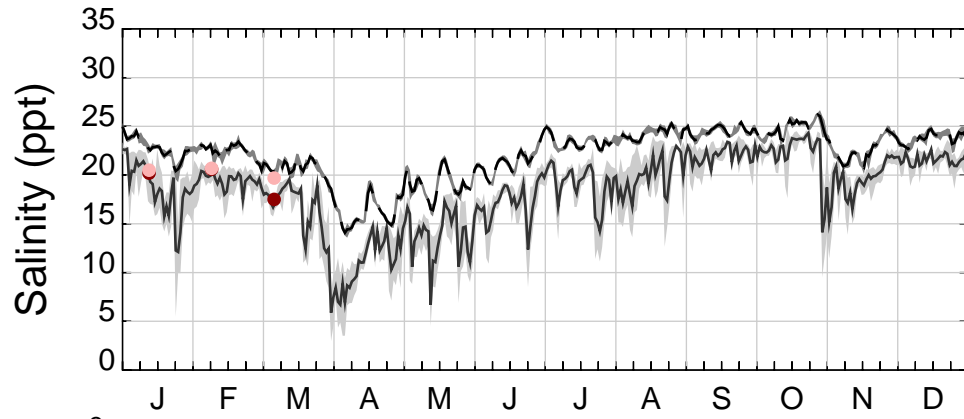
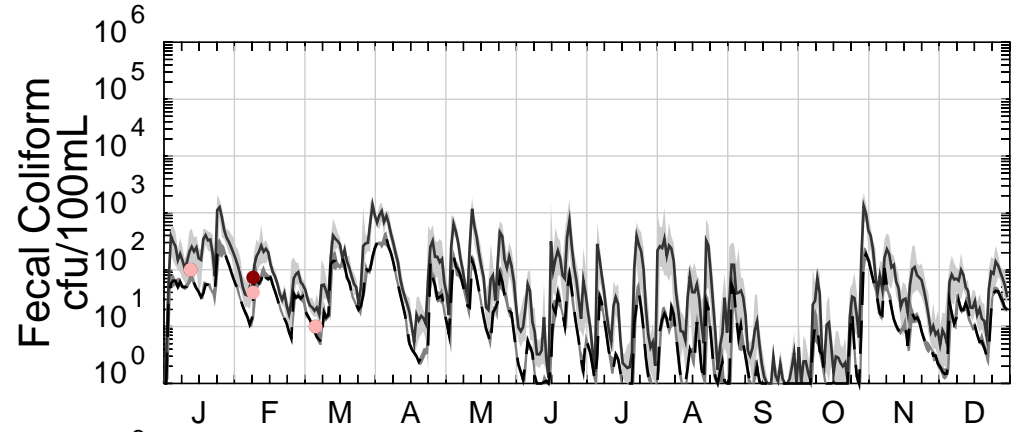
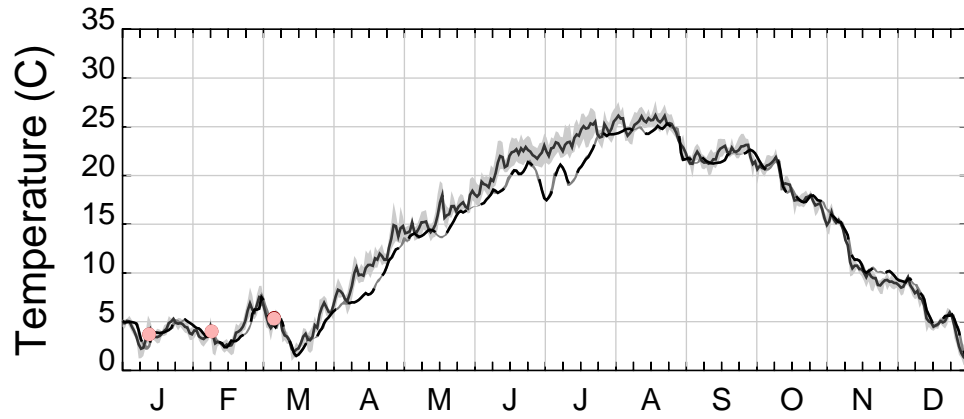
Station: 27



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

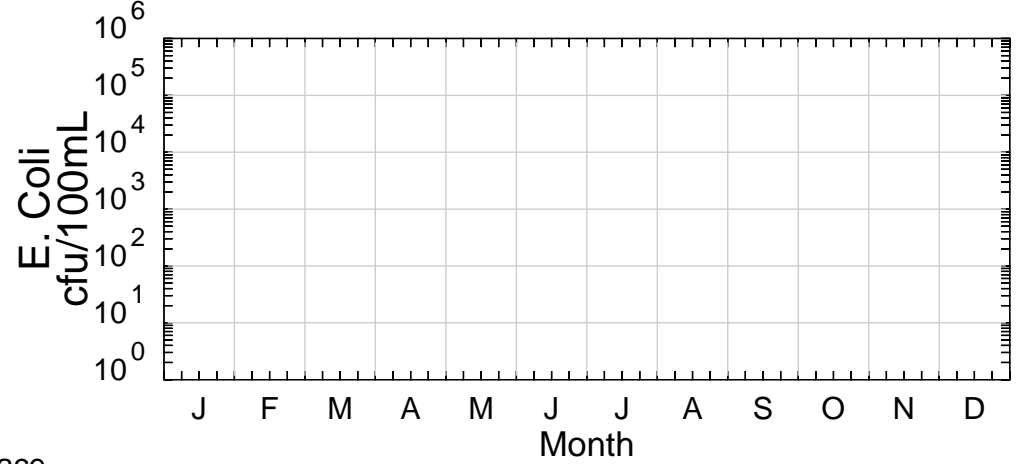
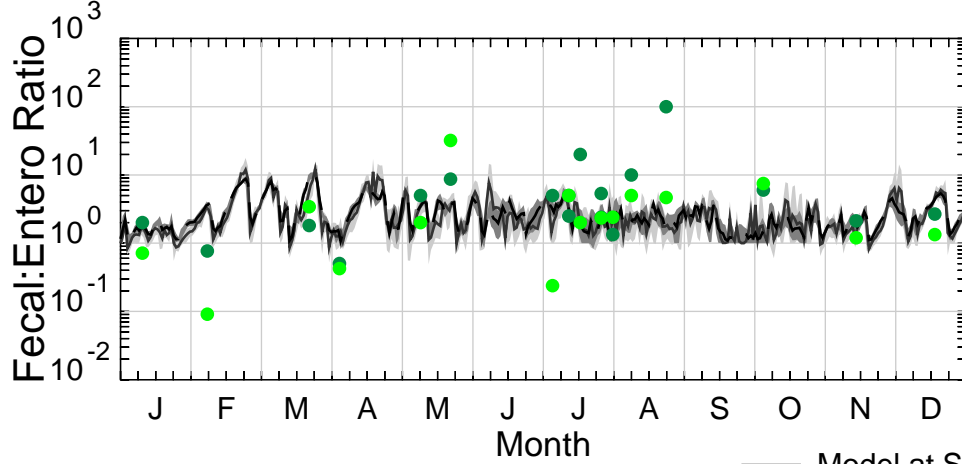
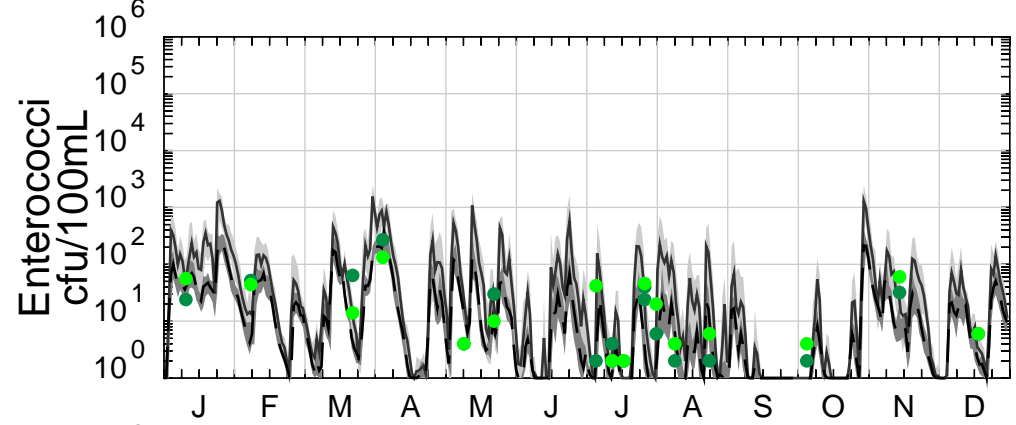
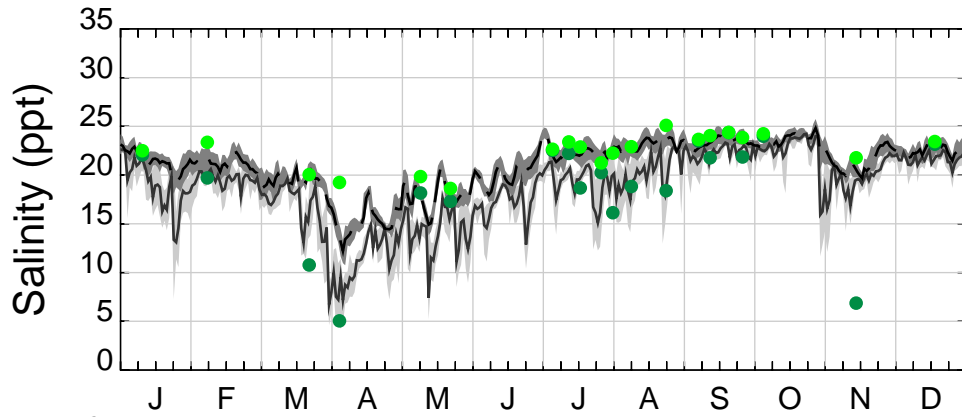
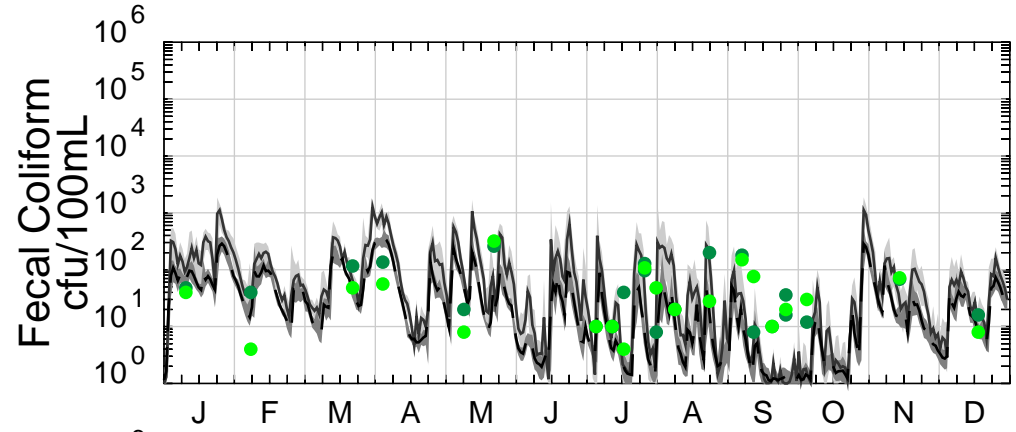
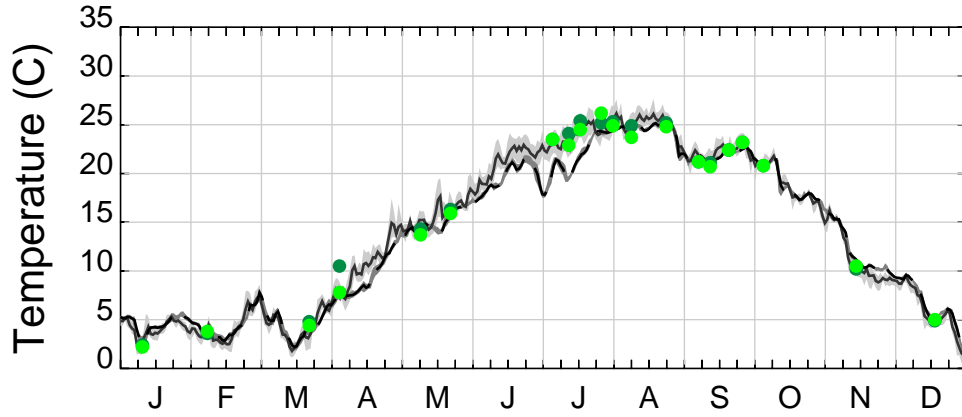
**Station: B19**



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

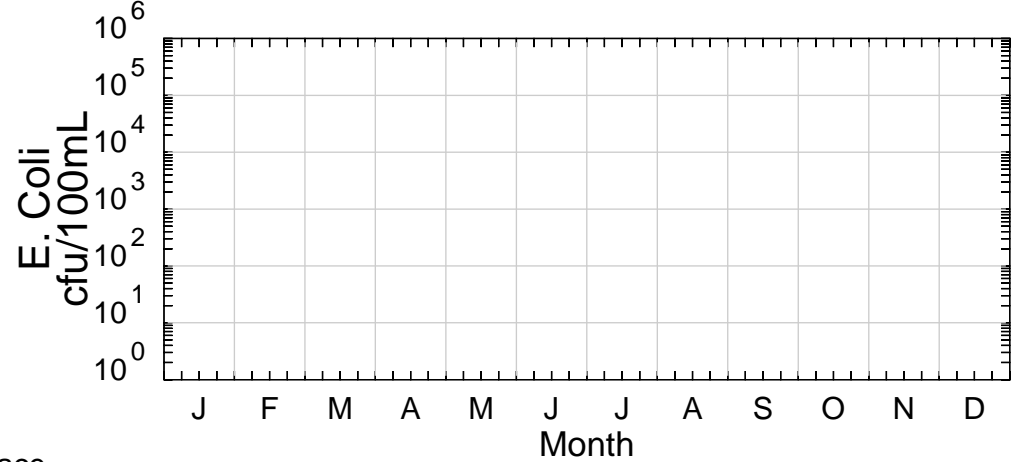
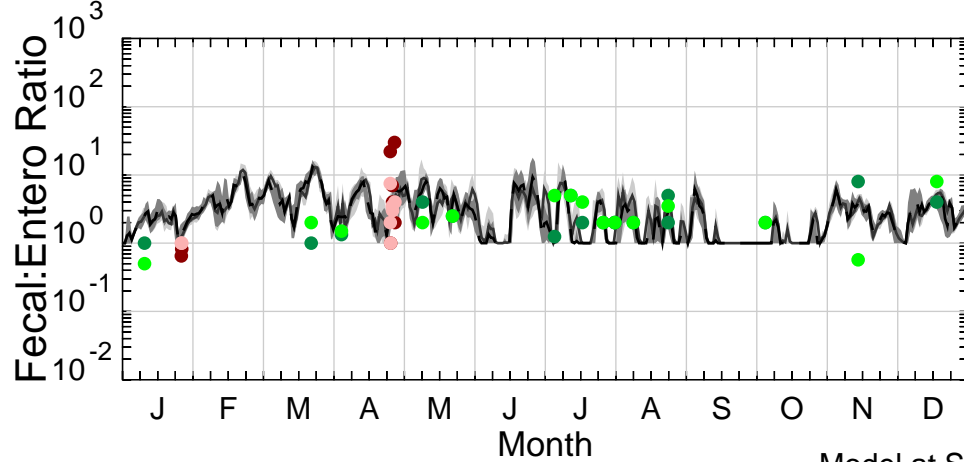
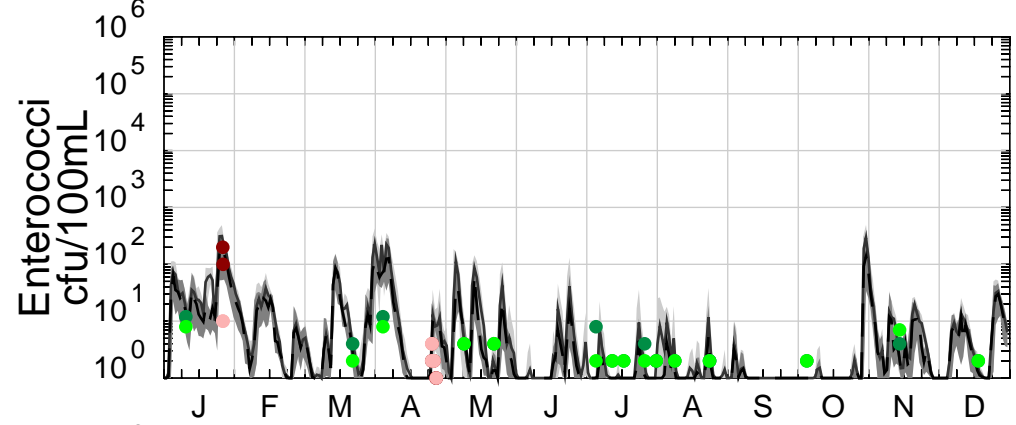
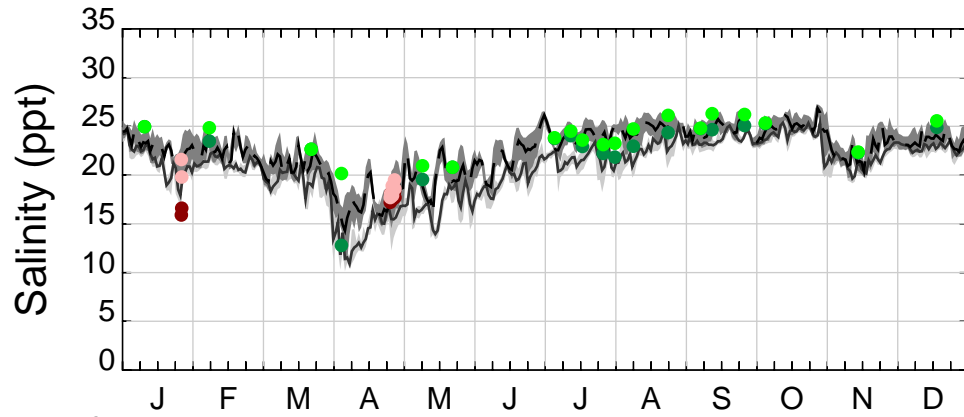
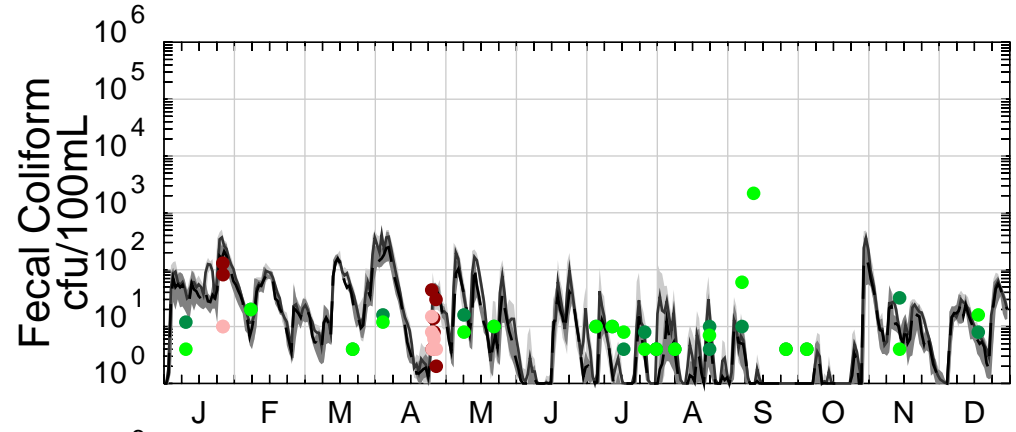
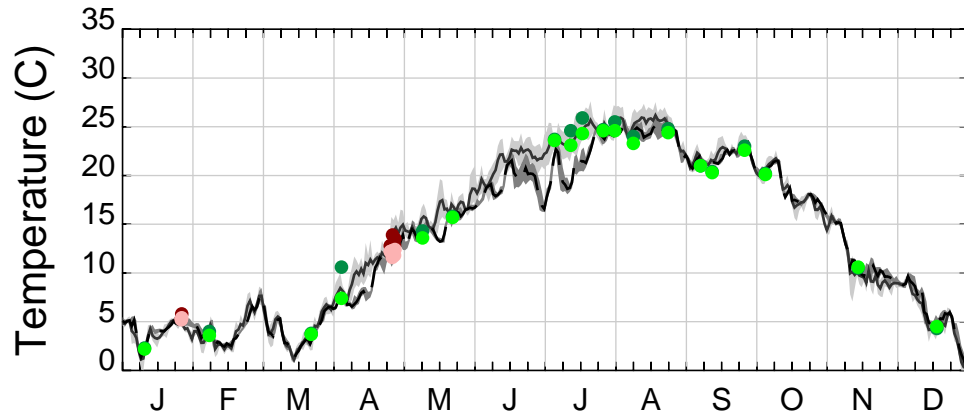
**Station: 28**



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 29

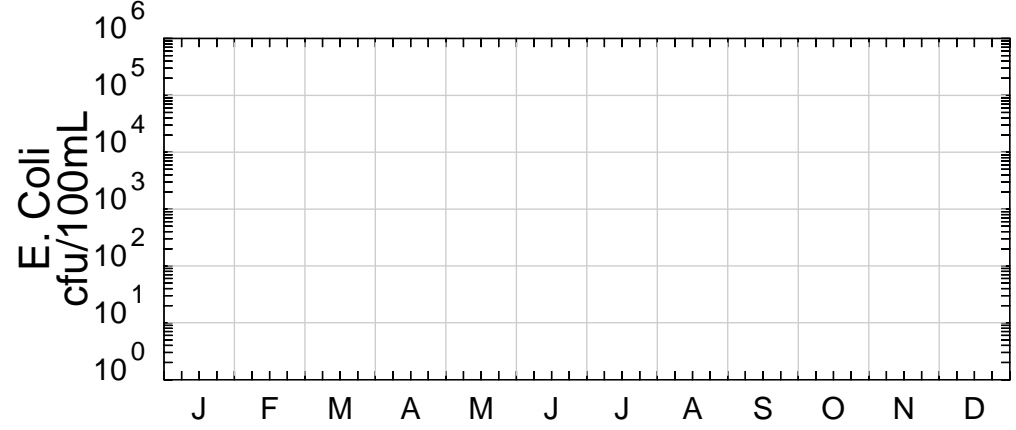
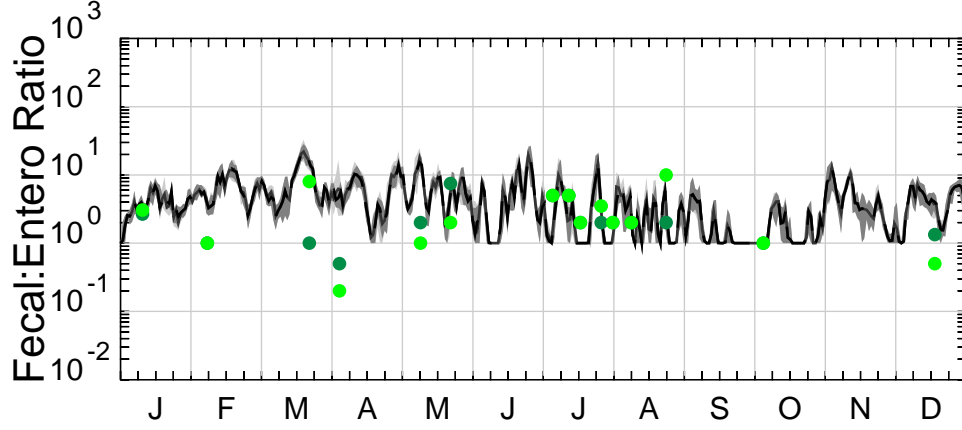
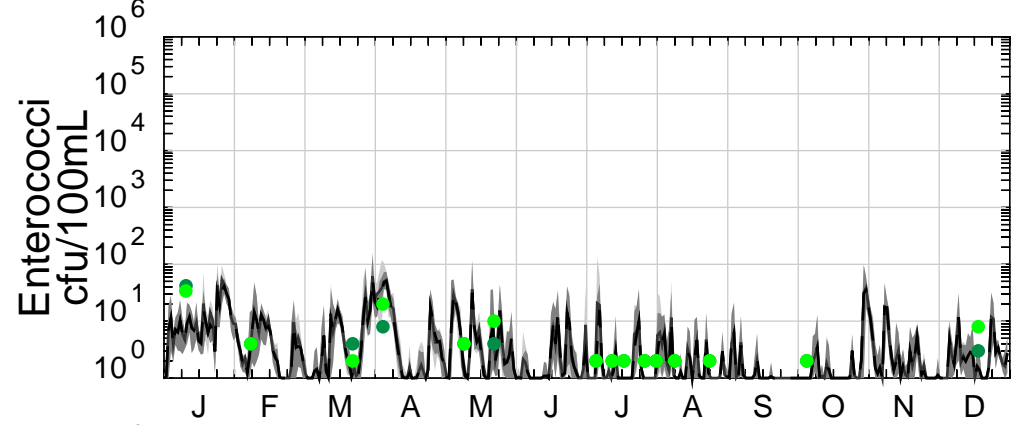
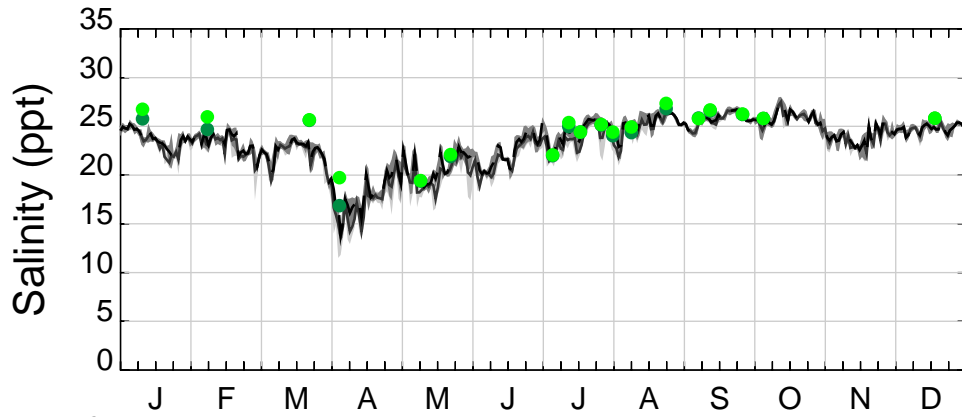
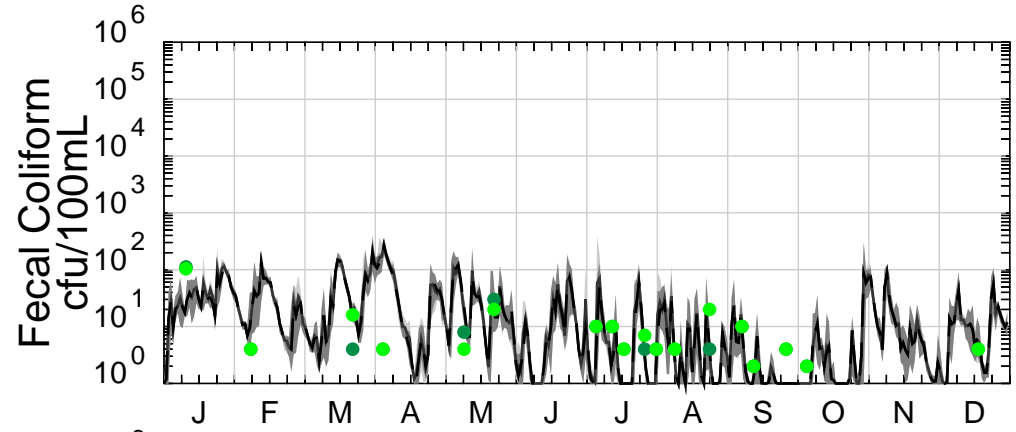
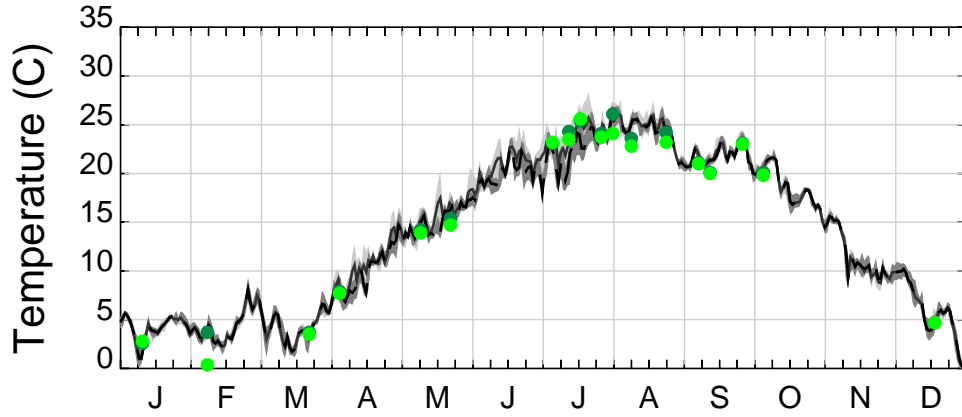


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- - Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



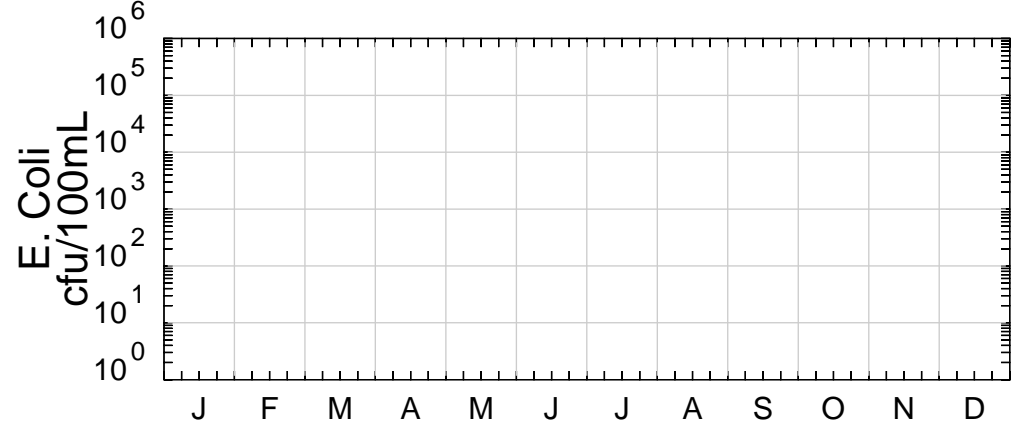
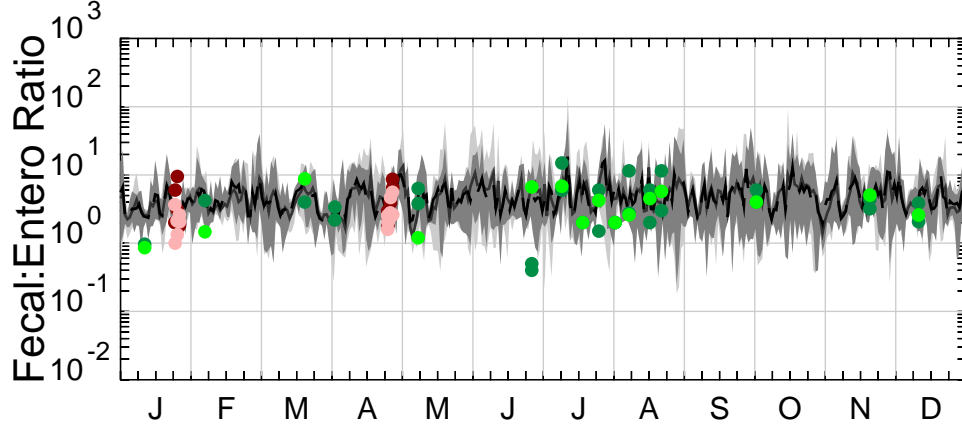
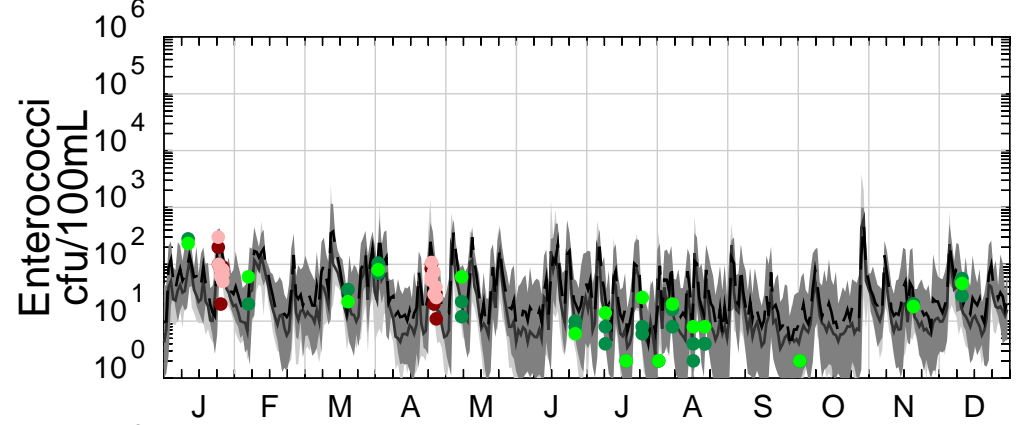
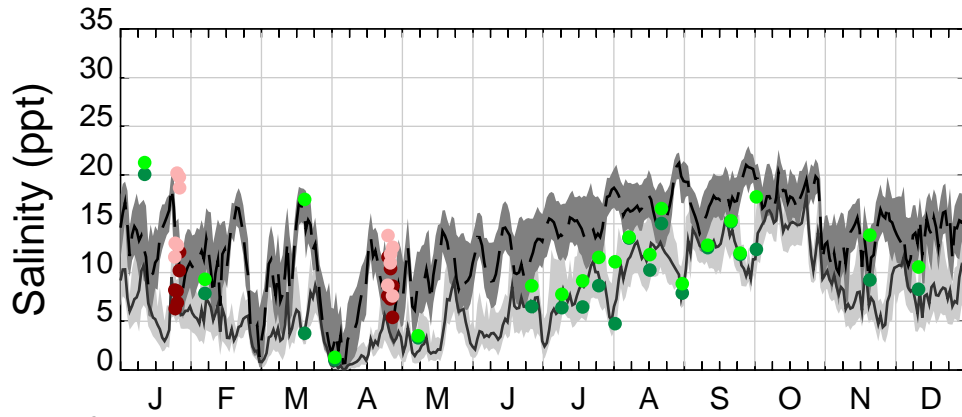
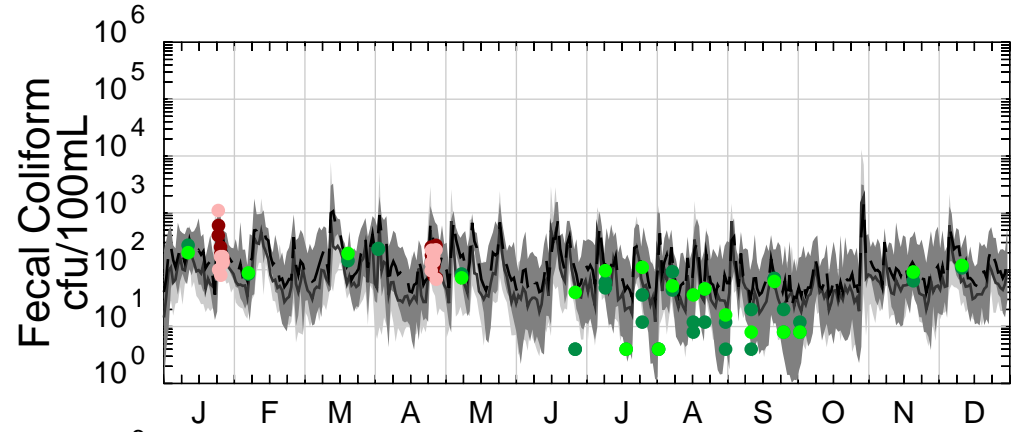
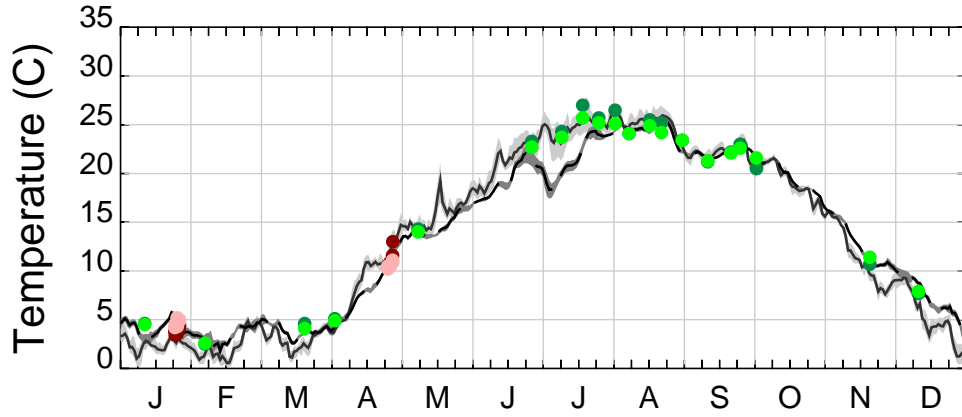
Station: 30



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- - Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 31

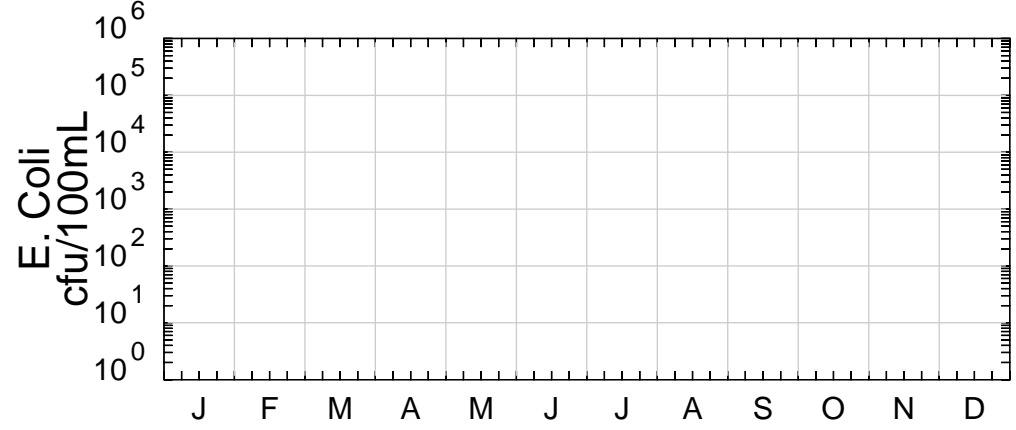
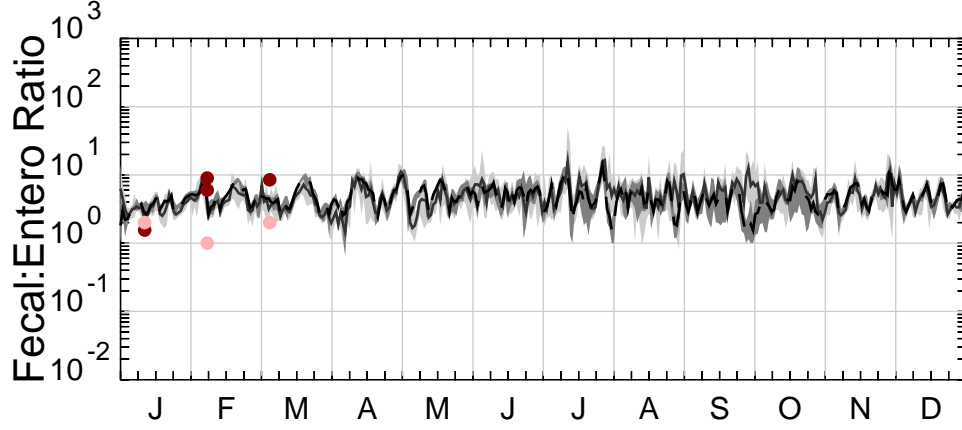
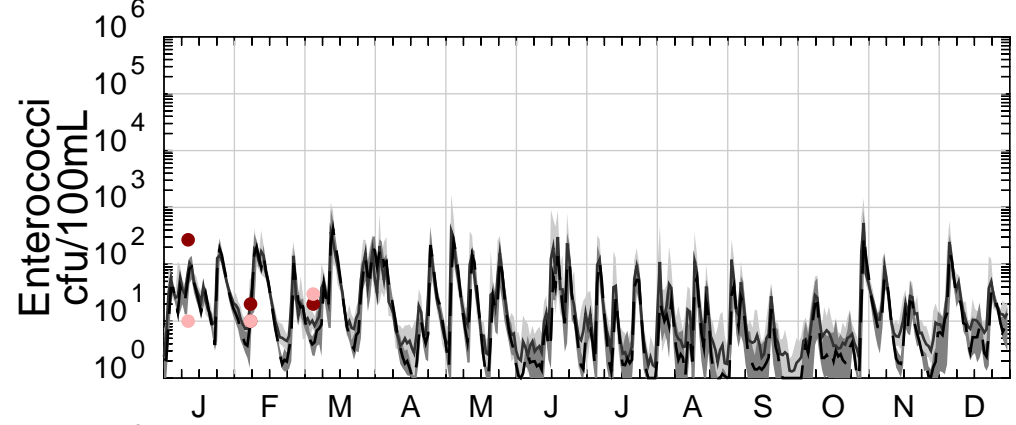
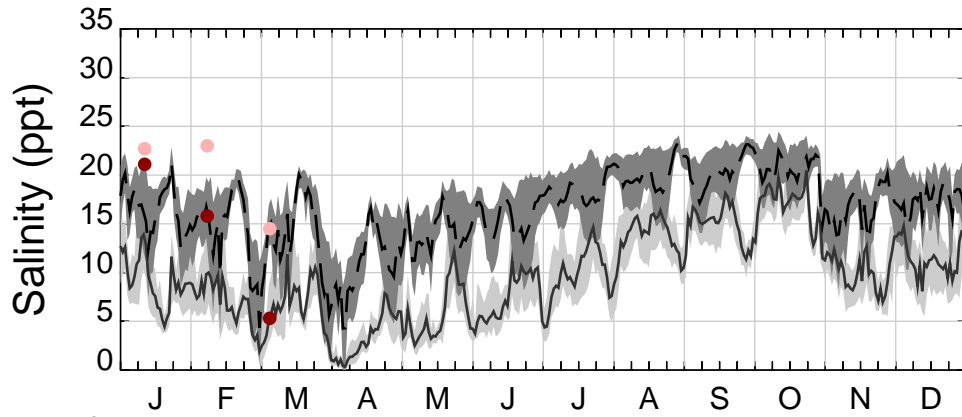
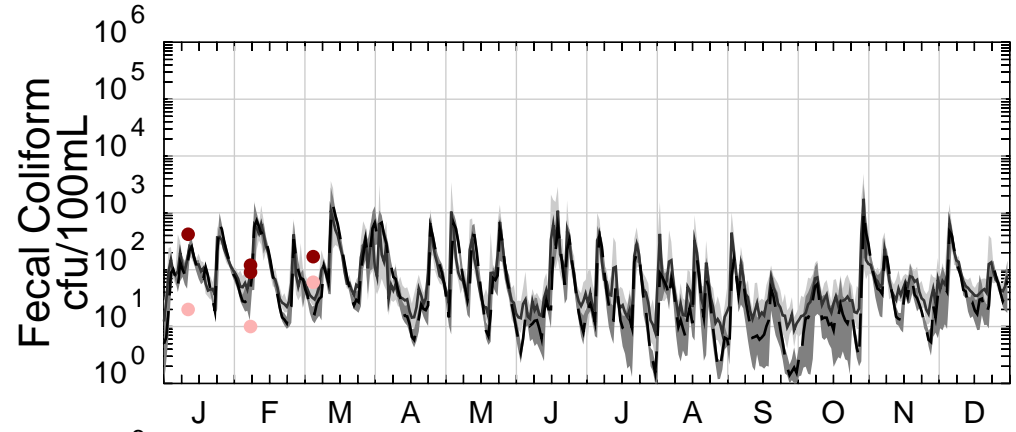
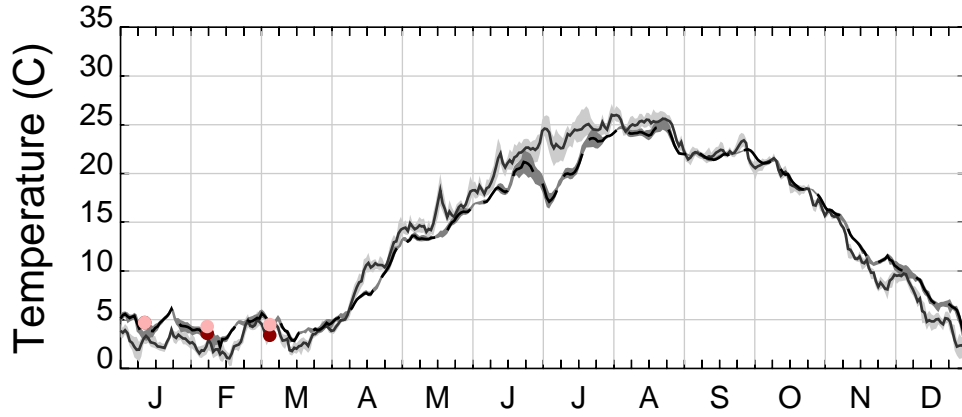


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

**Station: B5A**

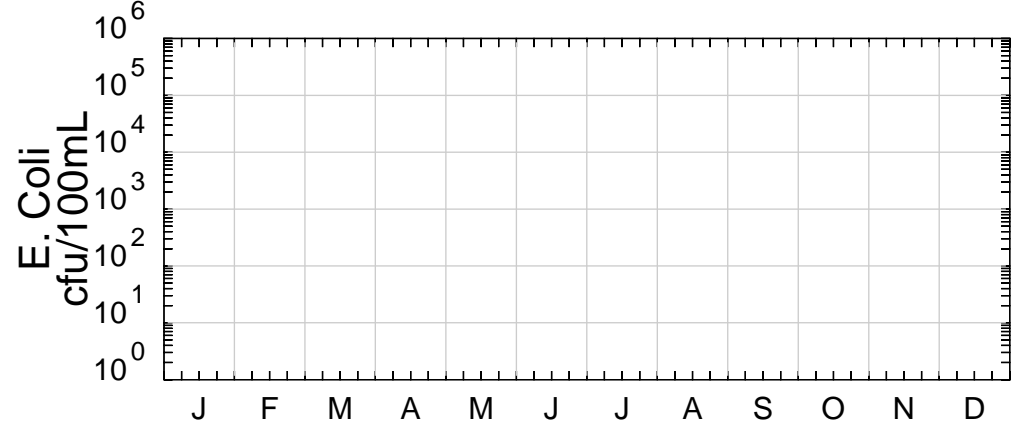
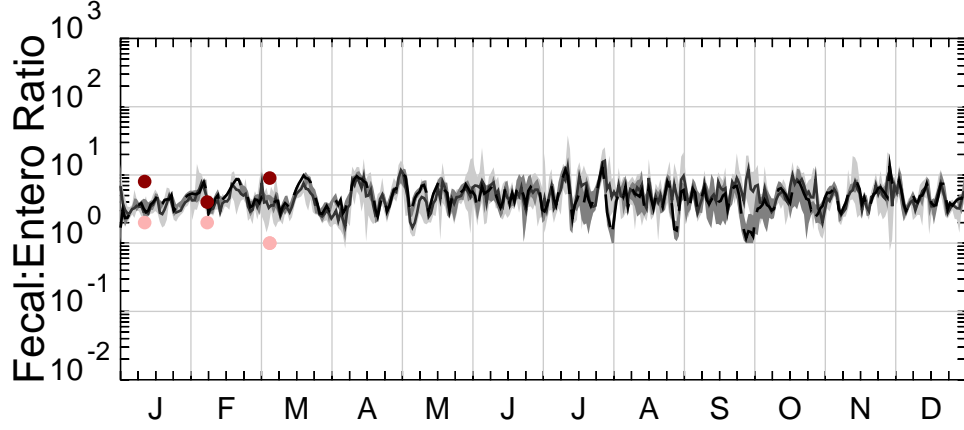
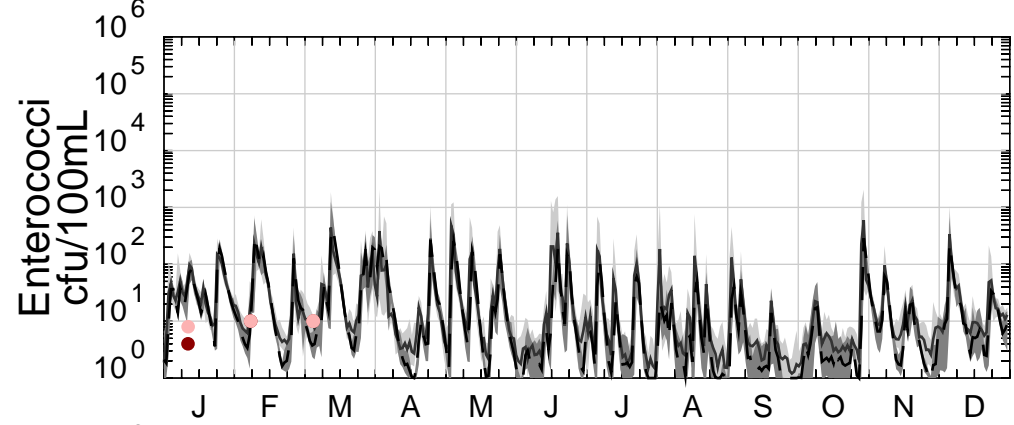
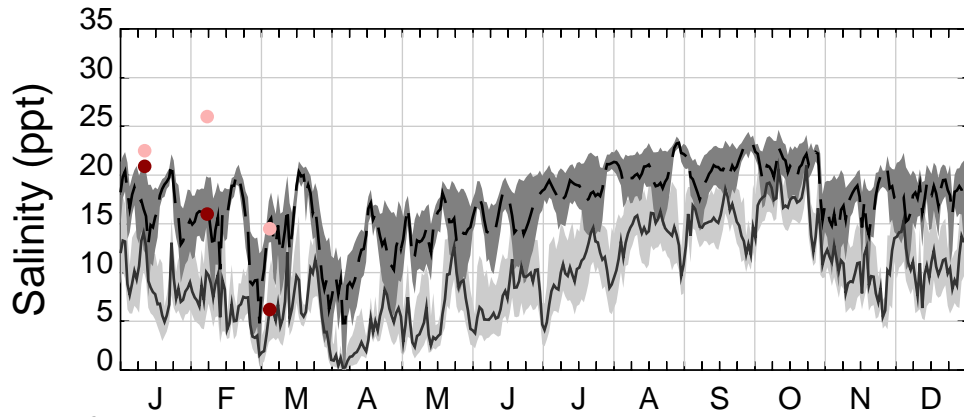
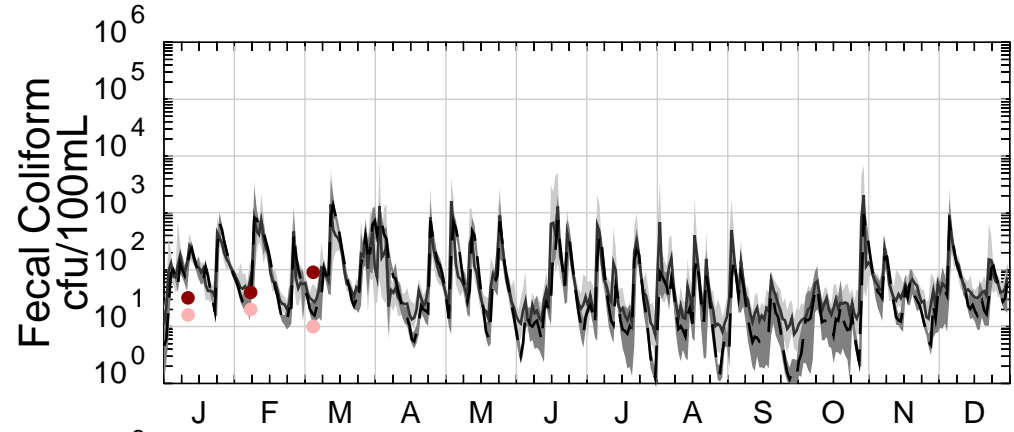
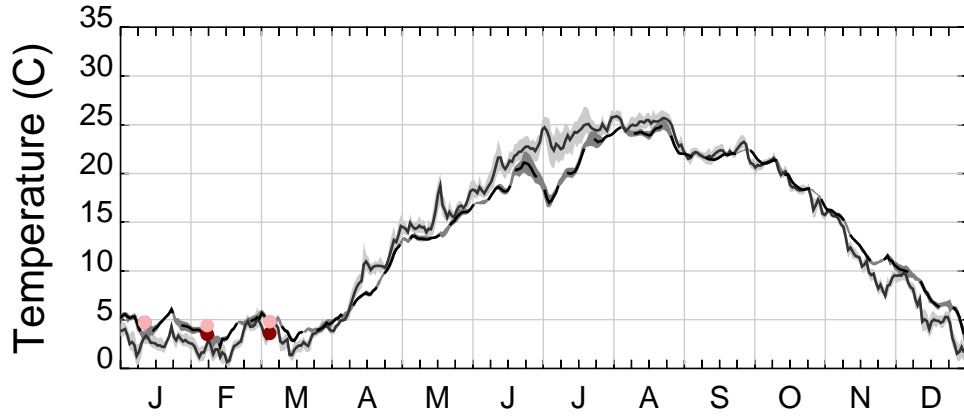


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

**Station: B5B**

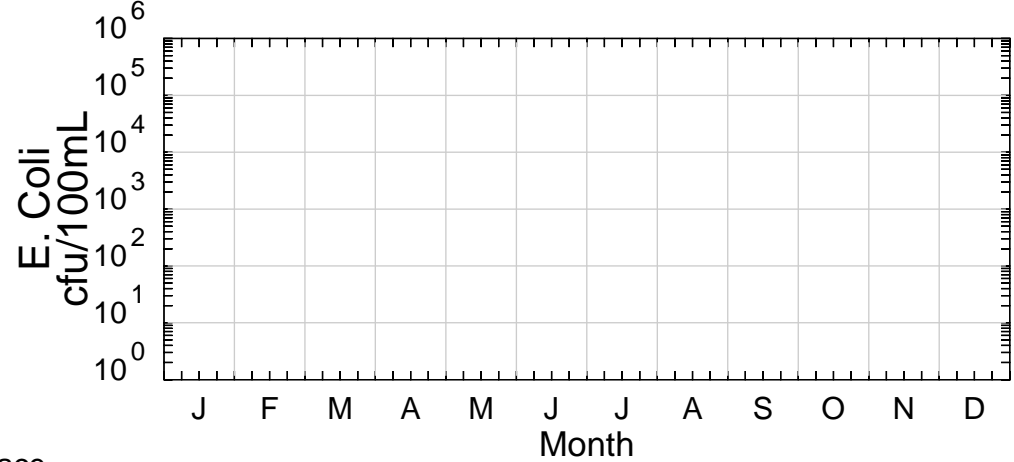
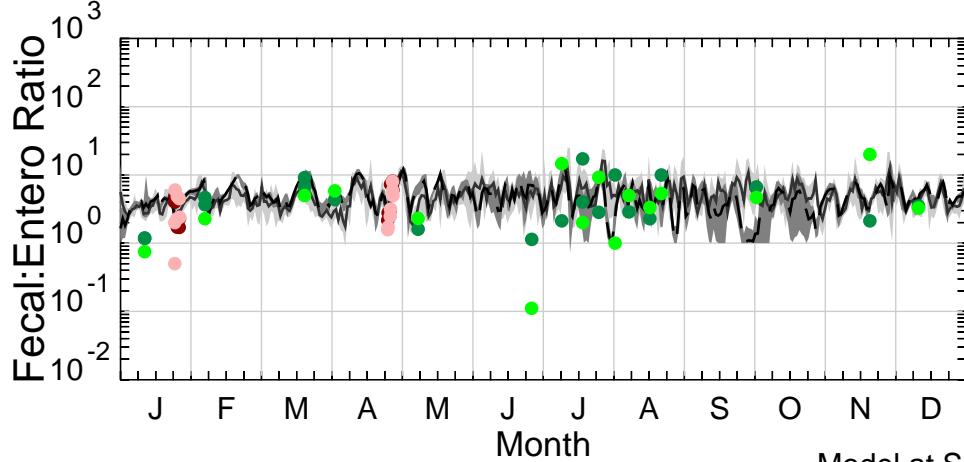
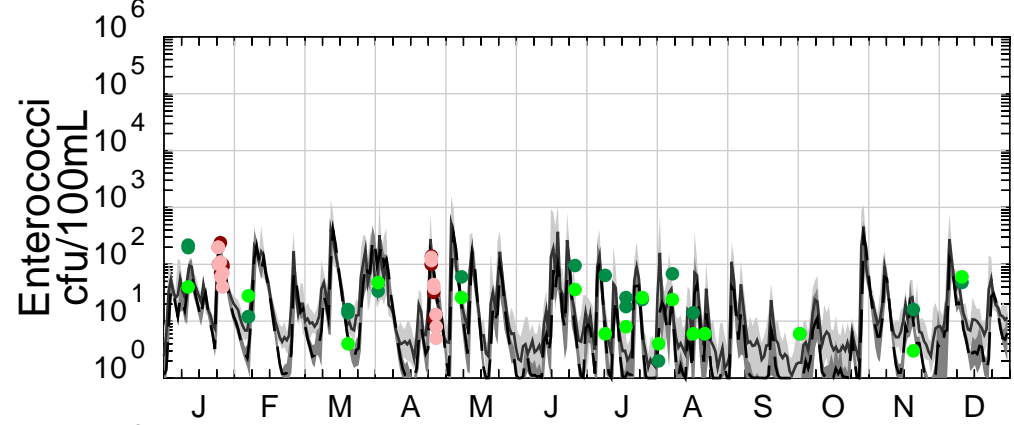
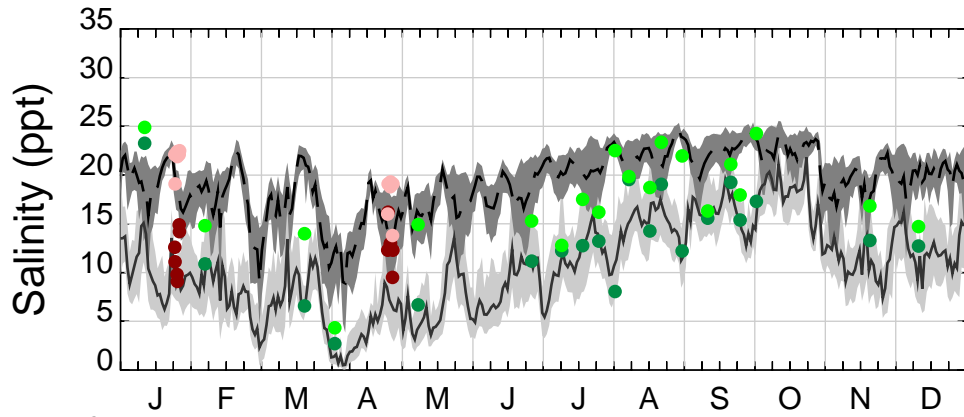
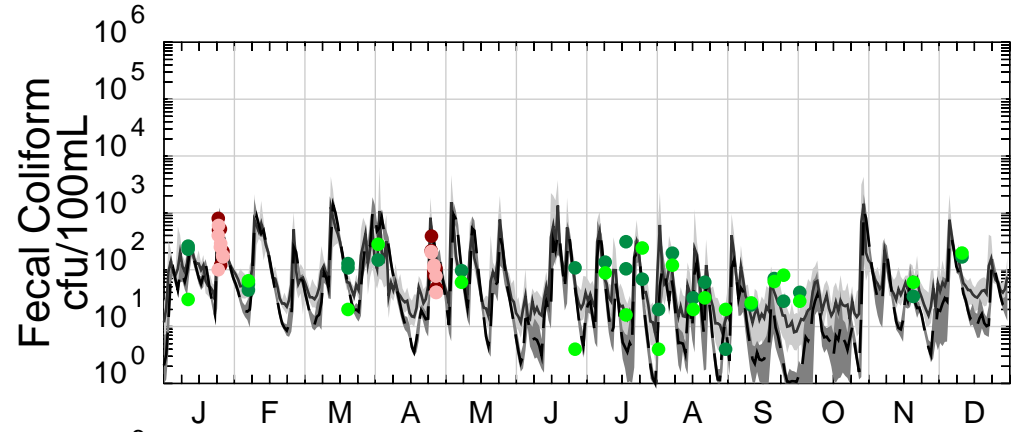
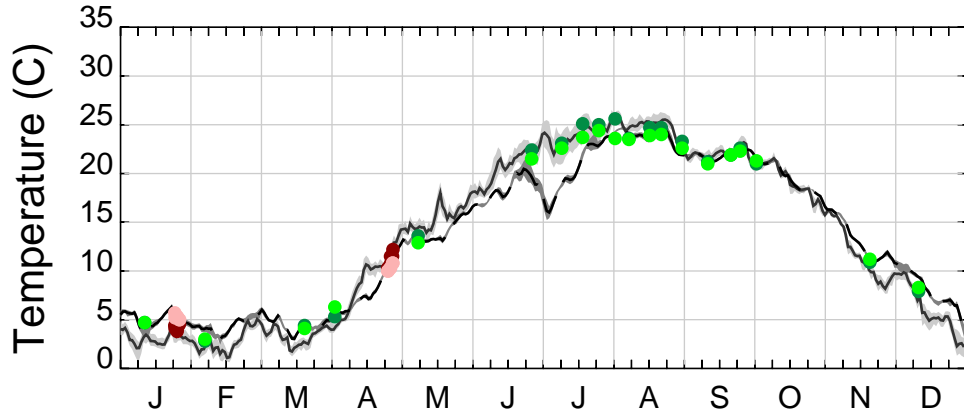


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

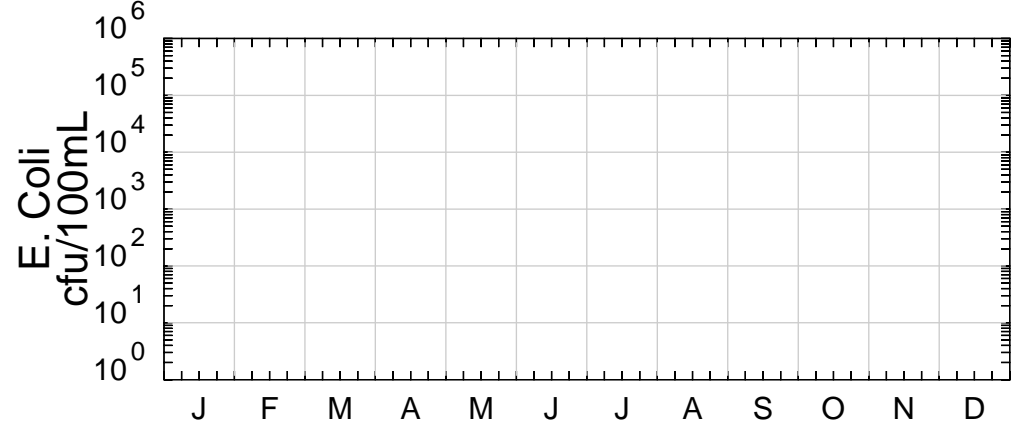
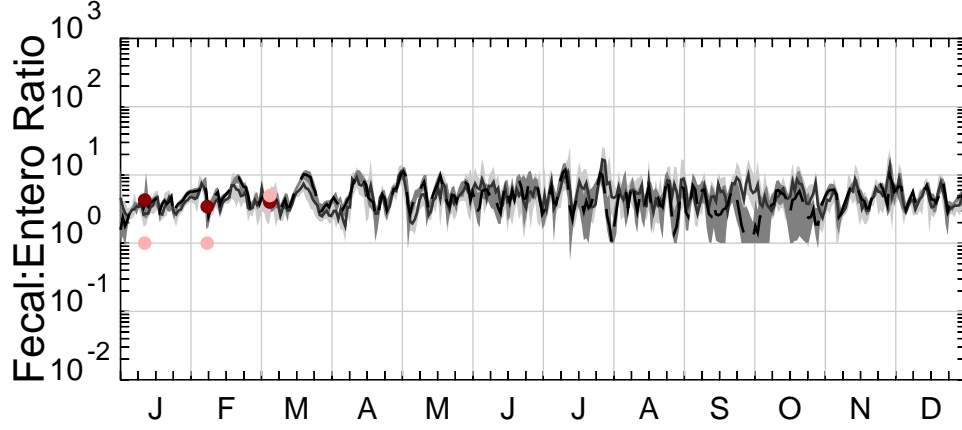
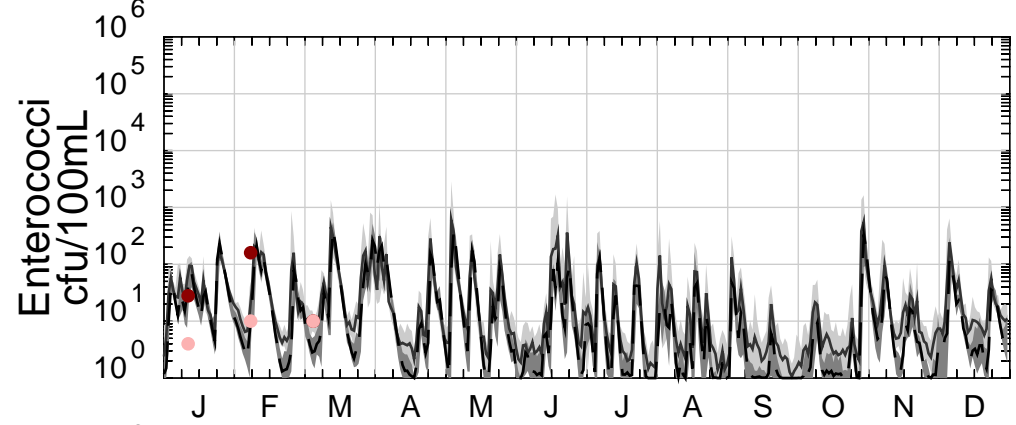
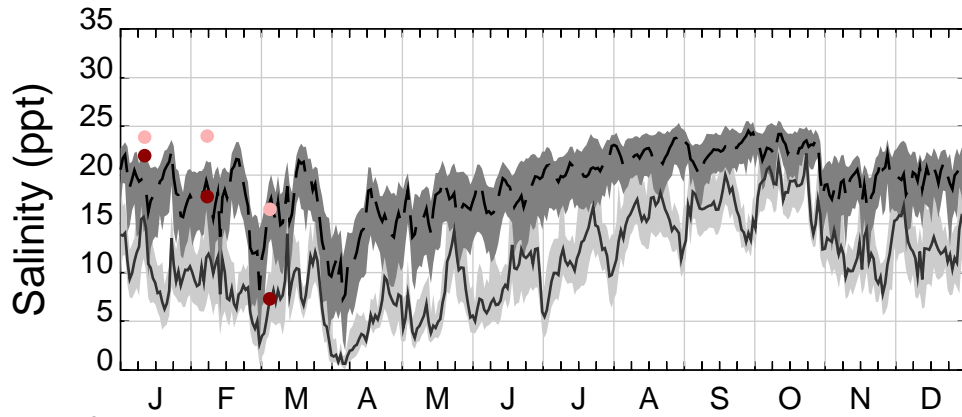
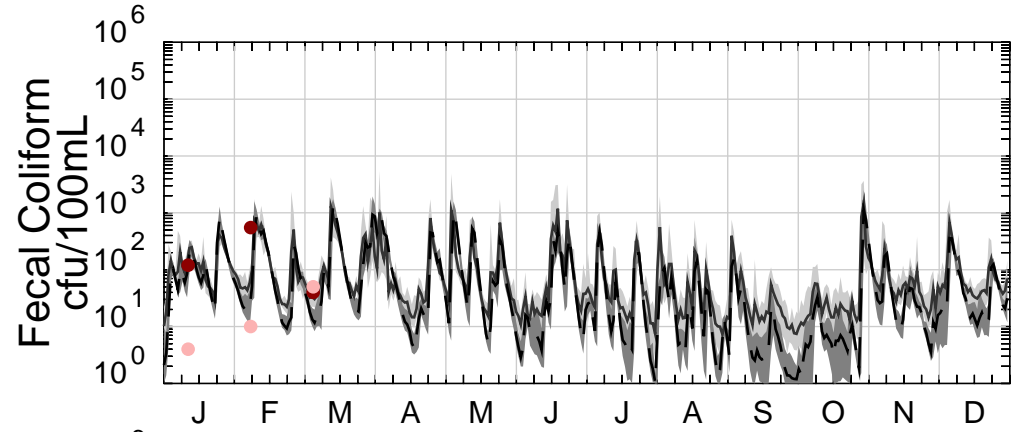
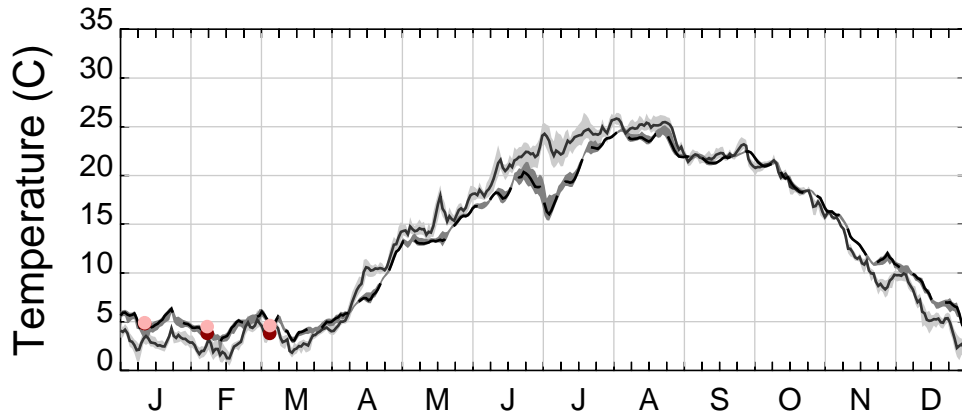
Station: 32



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

**Station: B18A**

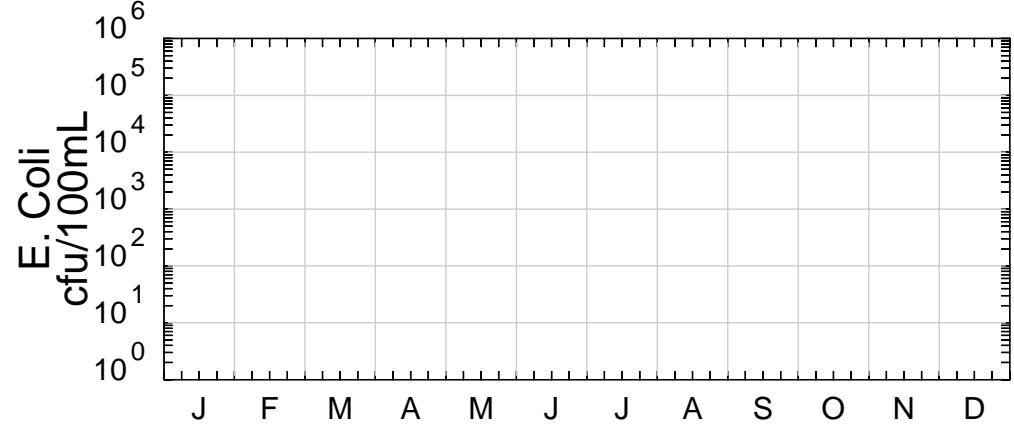
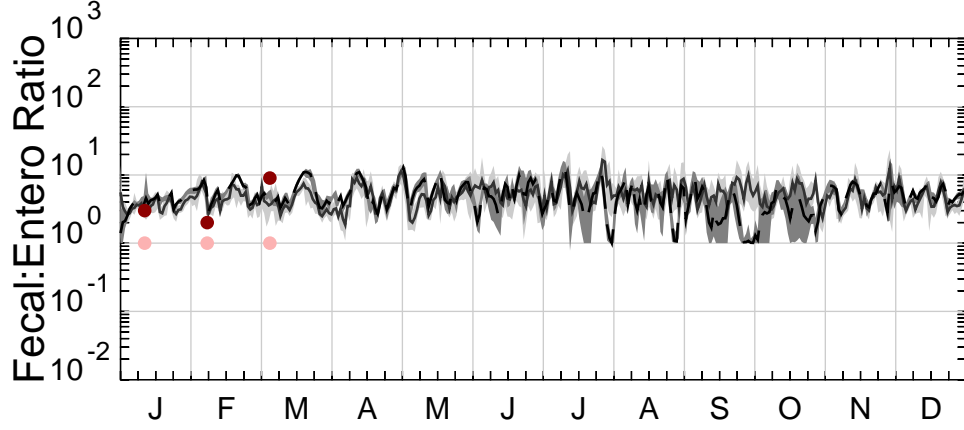
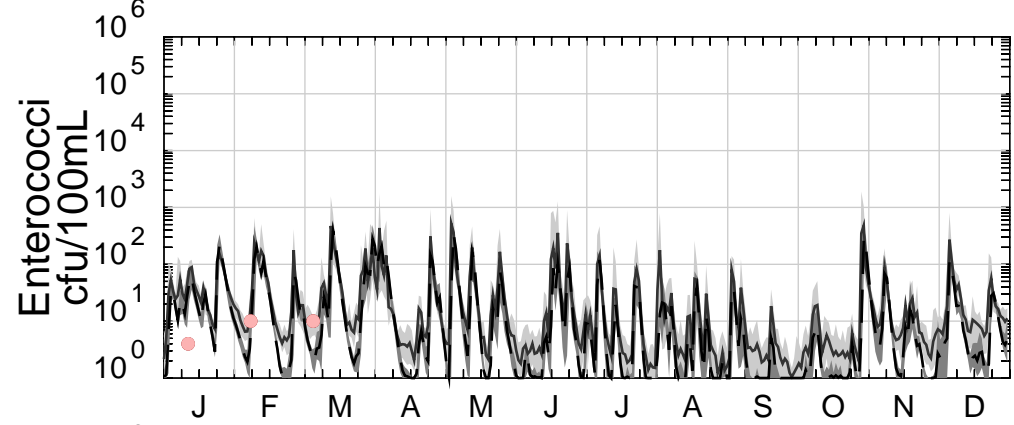
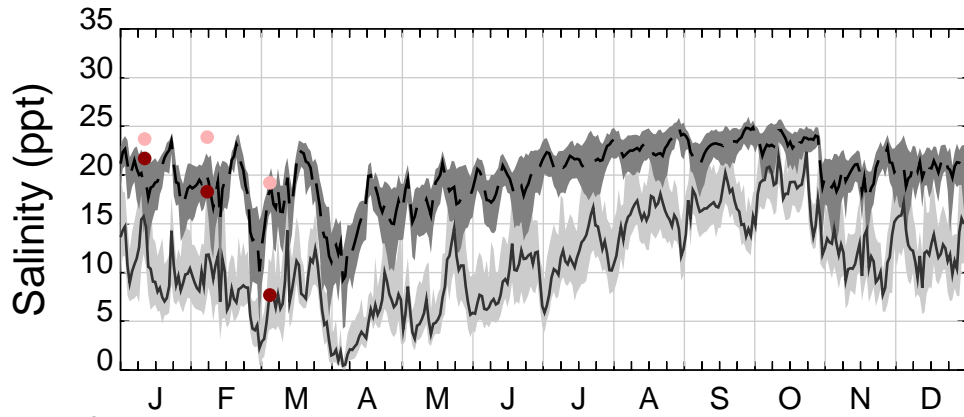
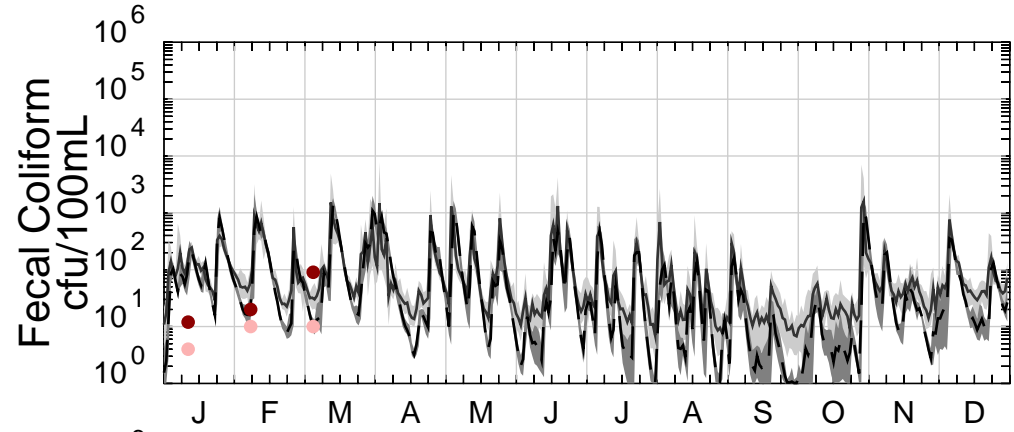
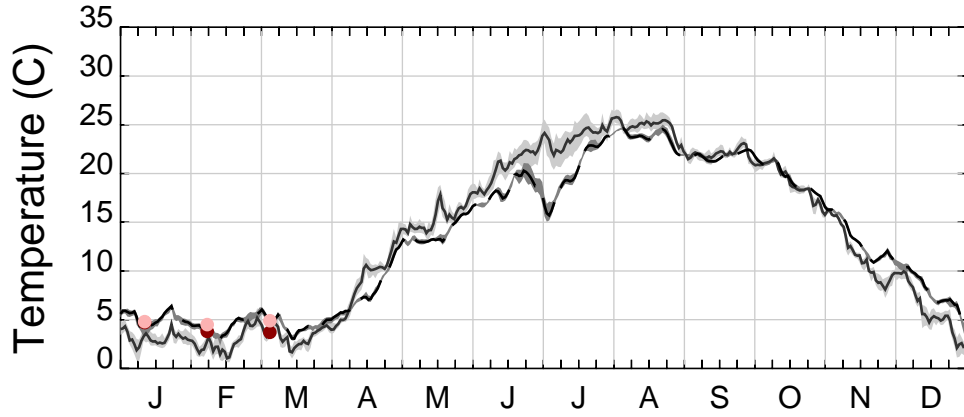


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



**Station: B18B**

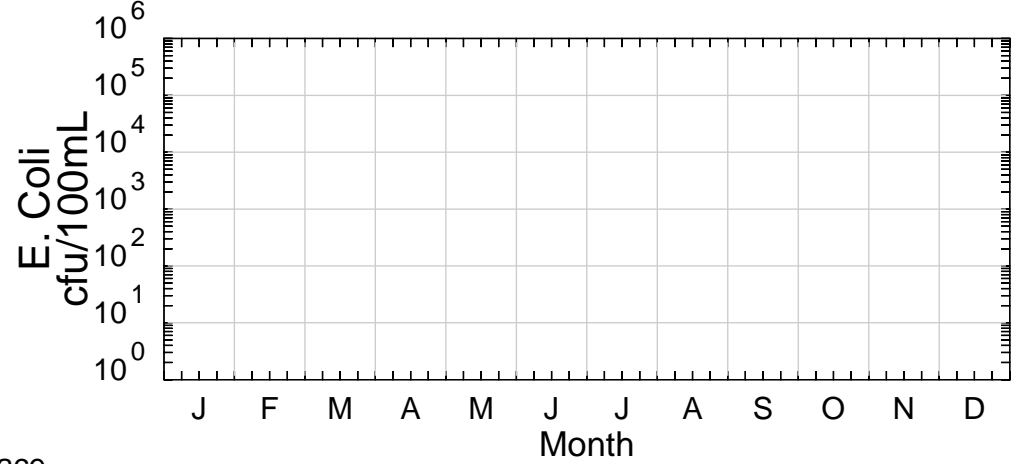
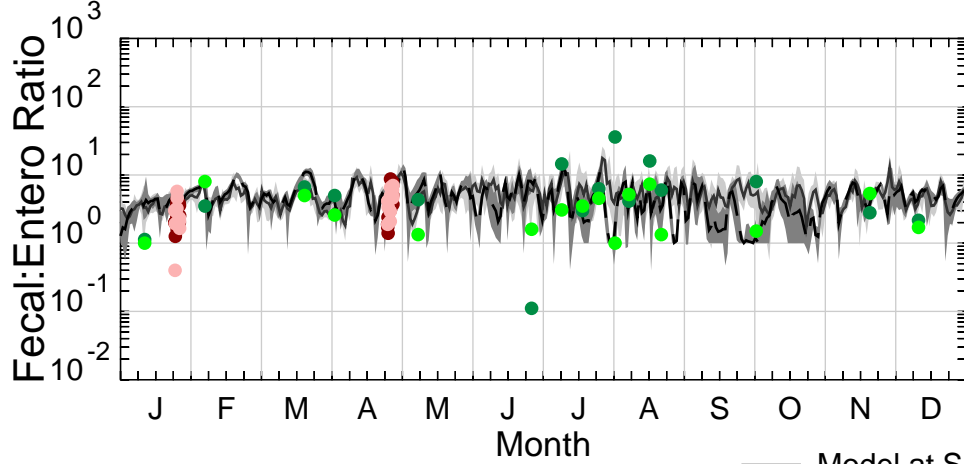
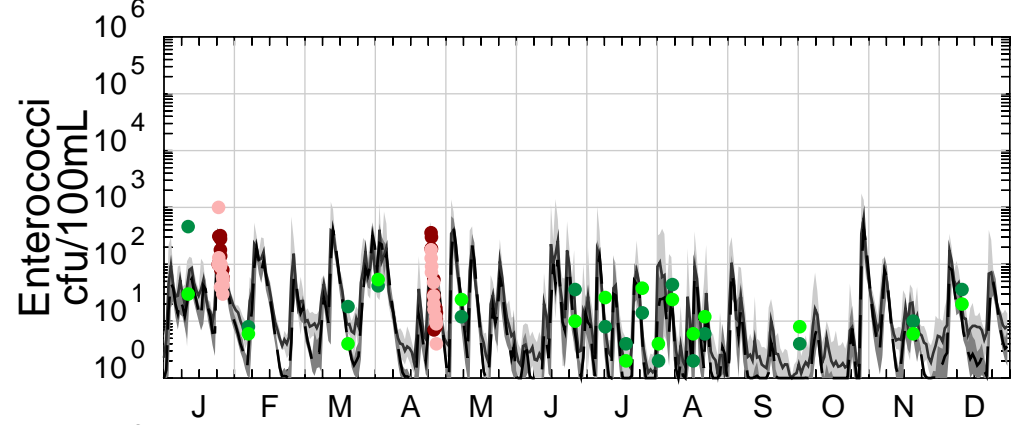
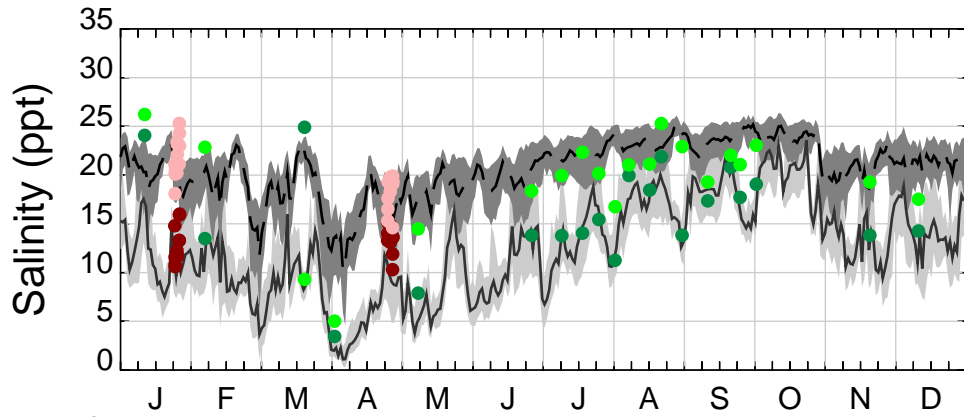
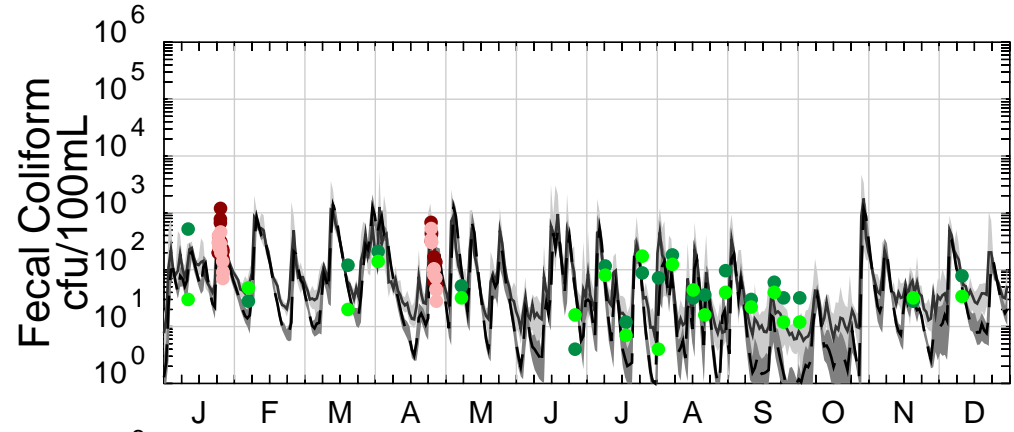
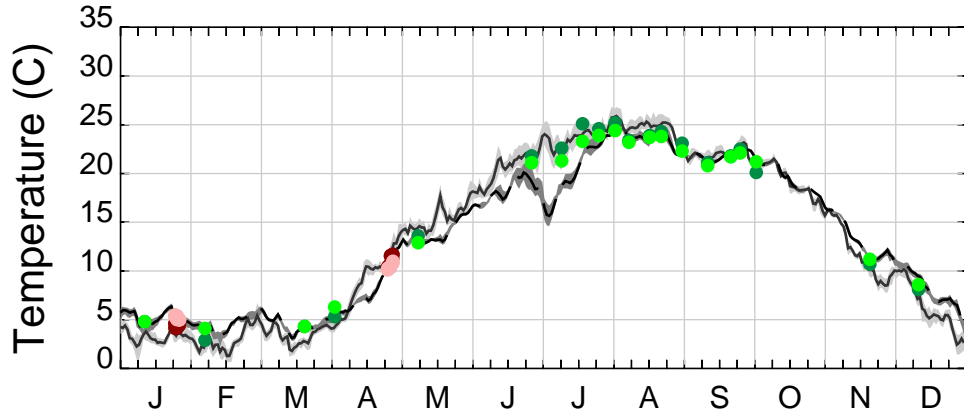


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

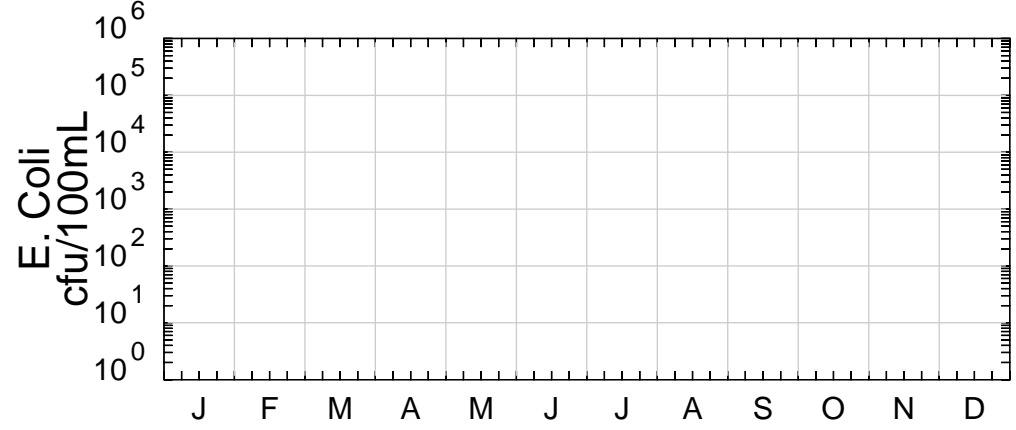
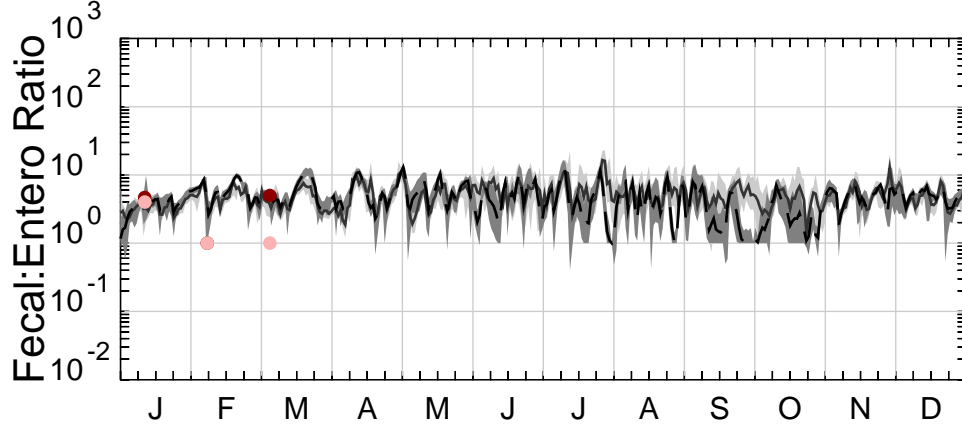
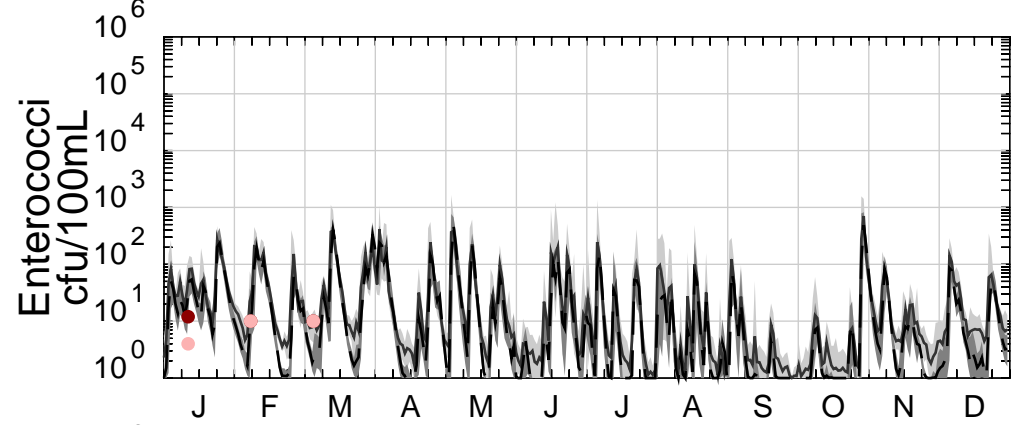
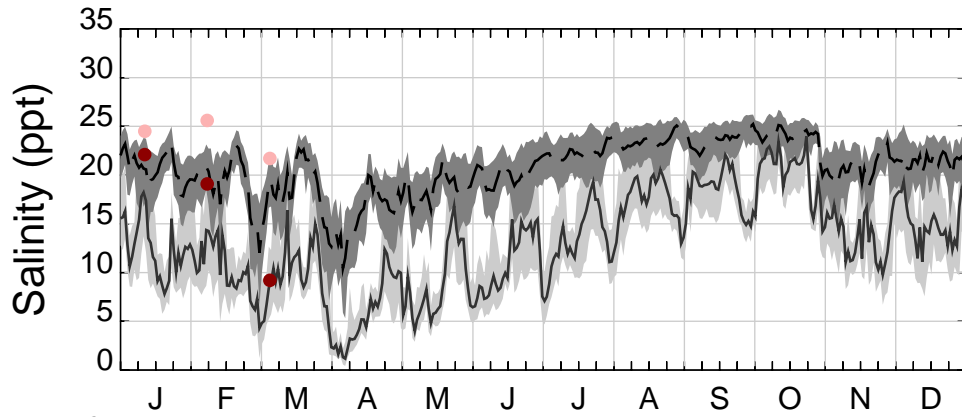
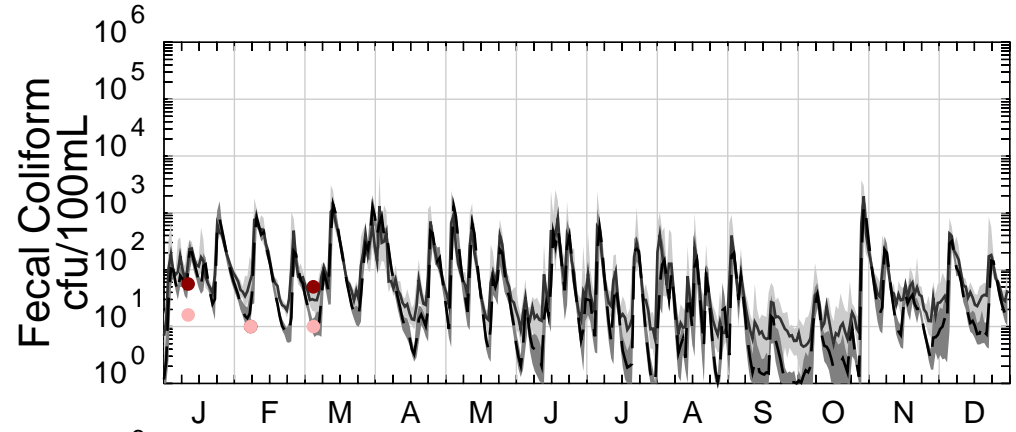
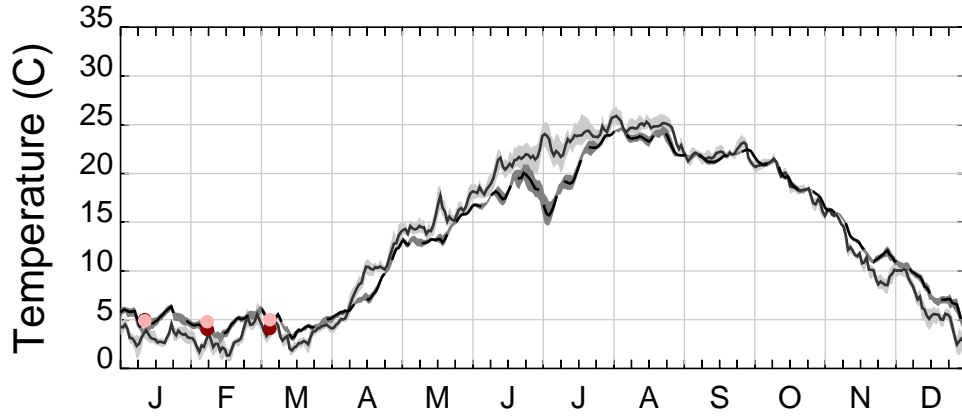
Station: 33



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- - Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: B23A

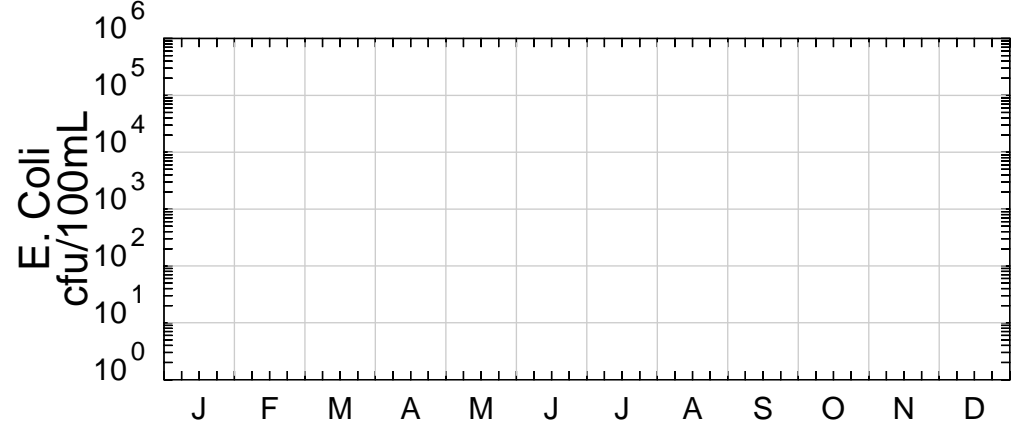
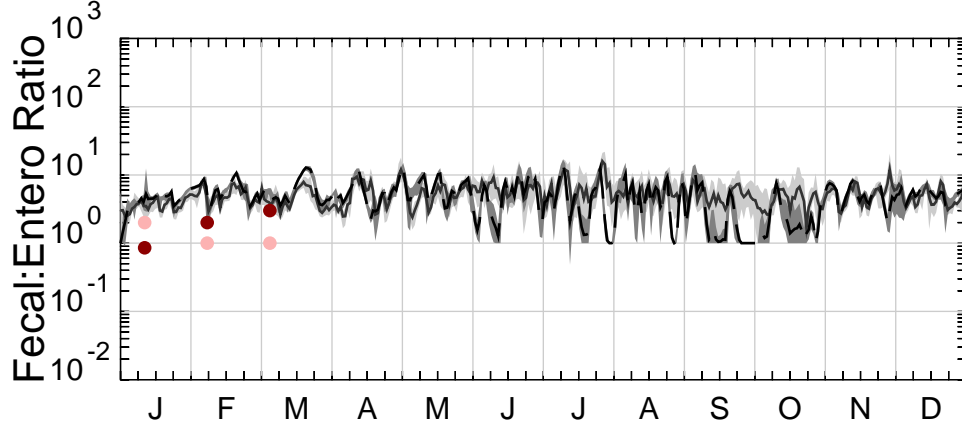
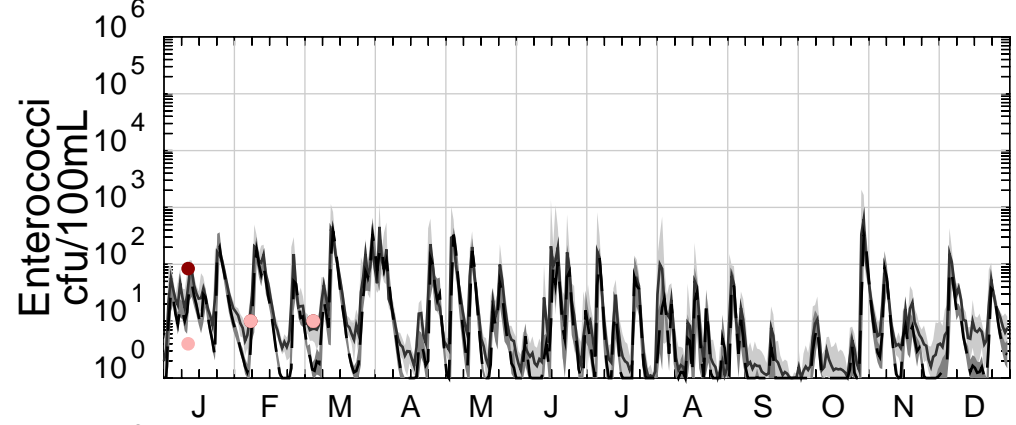
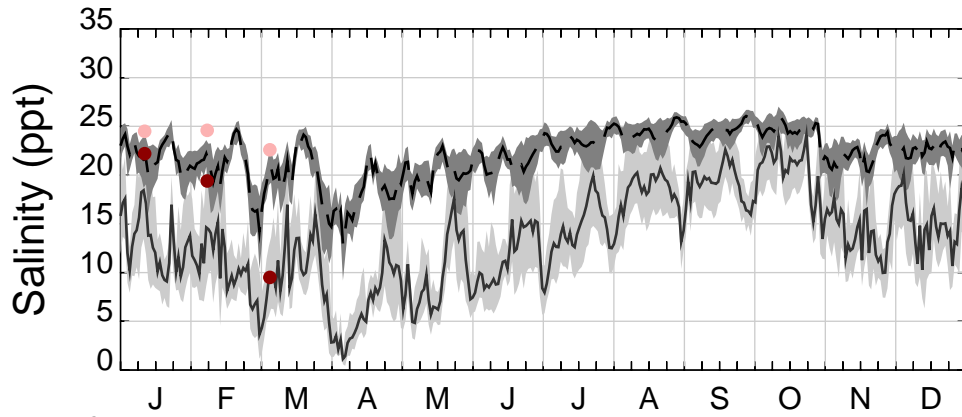
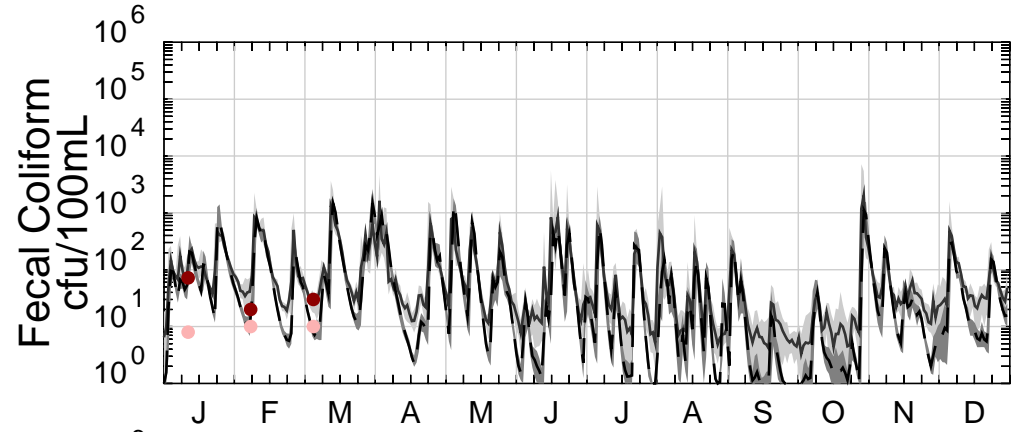
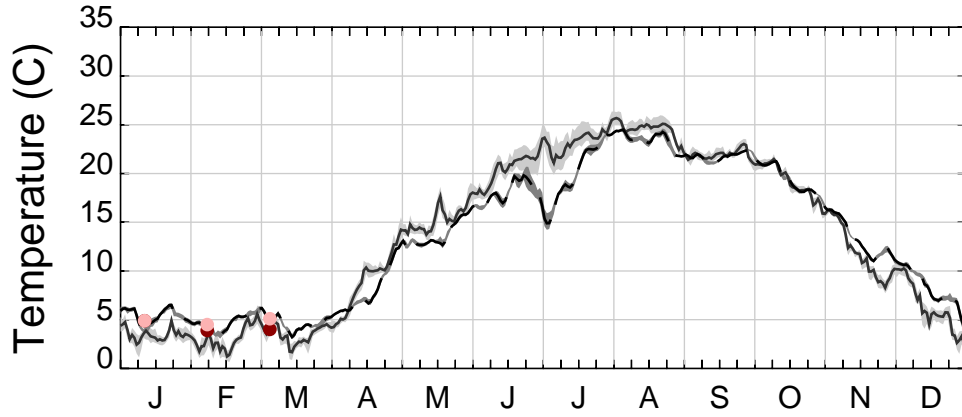


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

**Station: B23B**

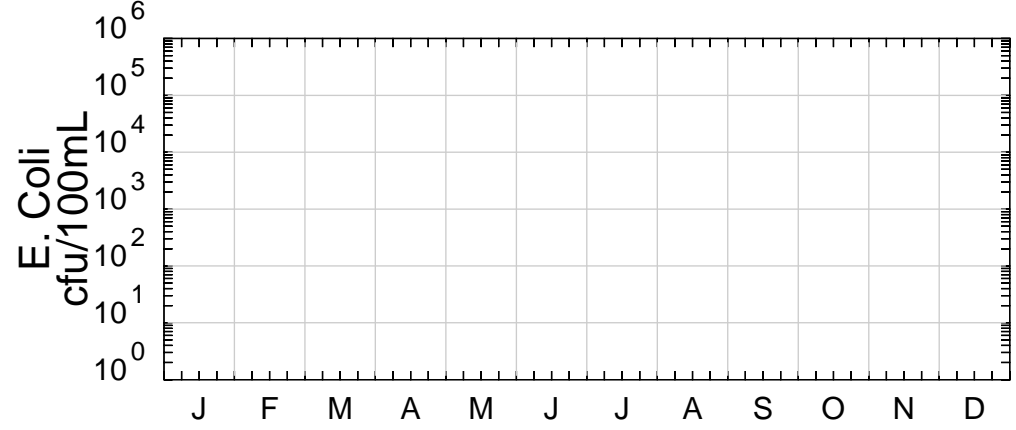
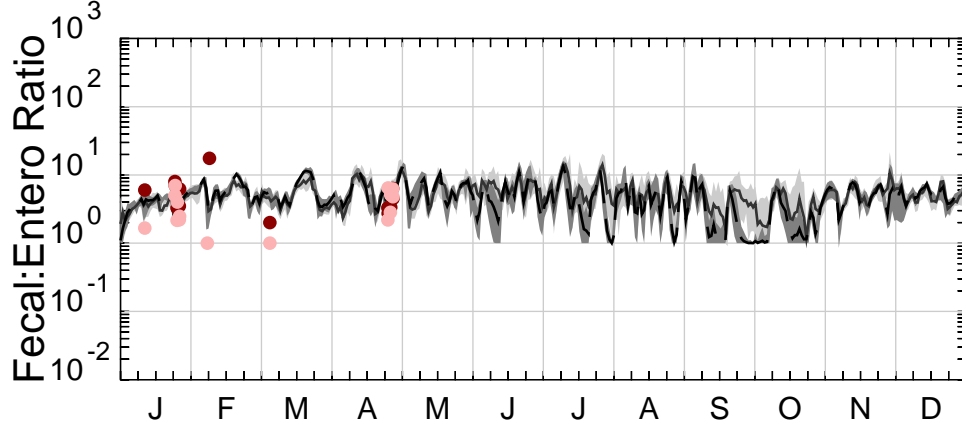
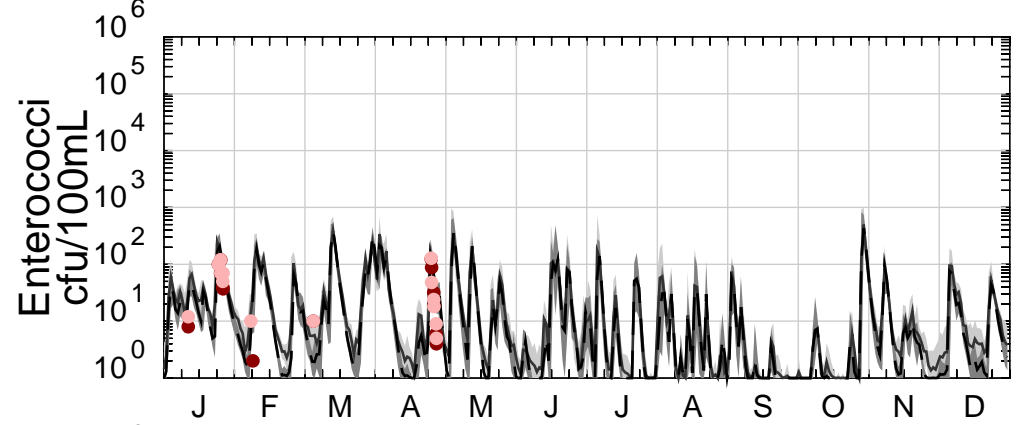
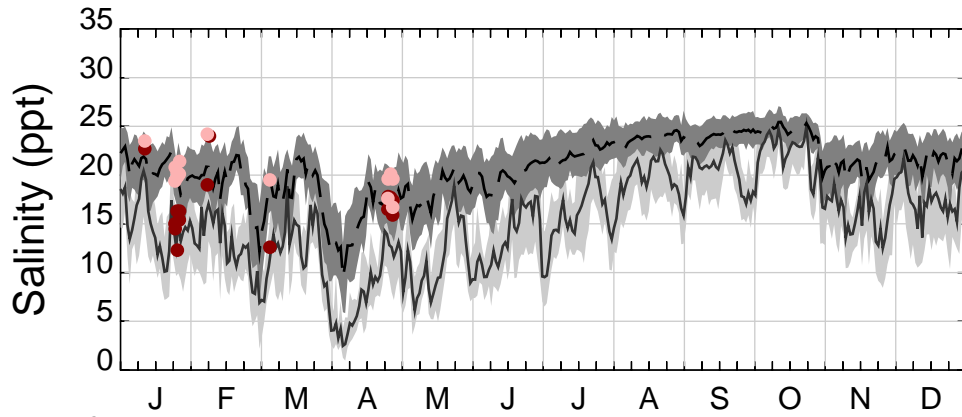
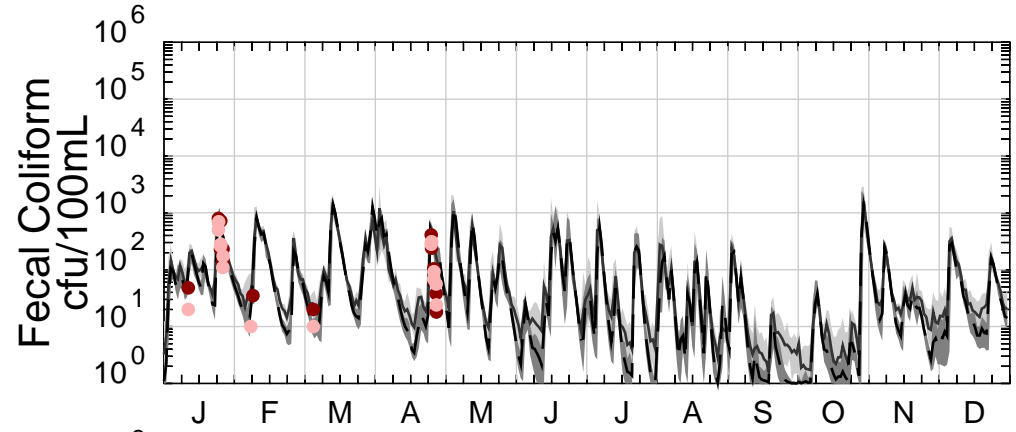
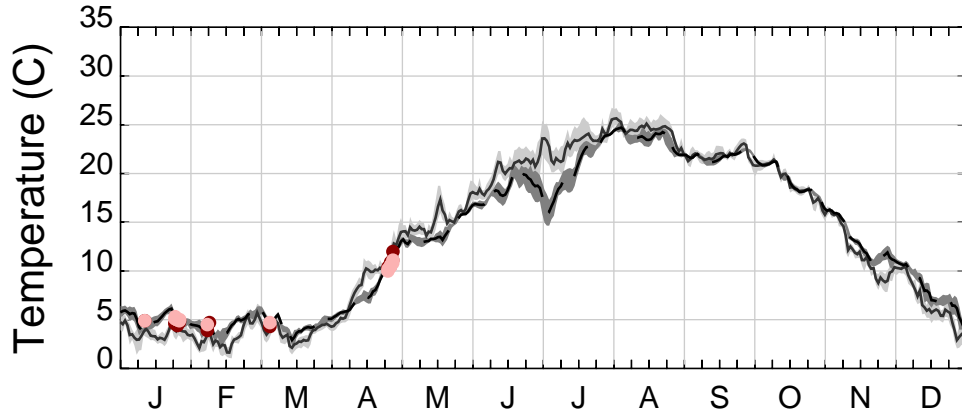


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

**Station: B26**

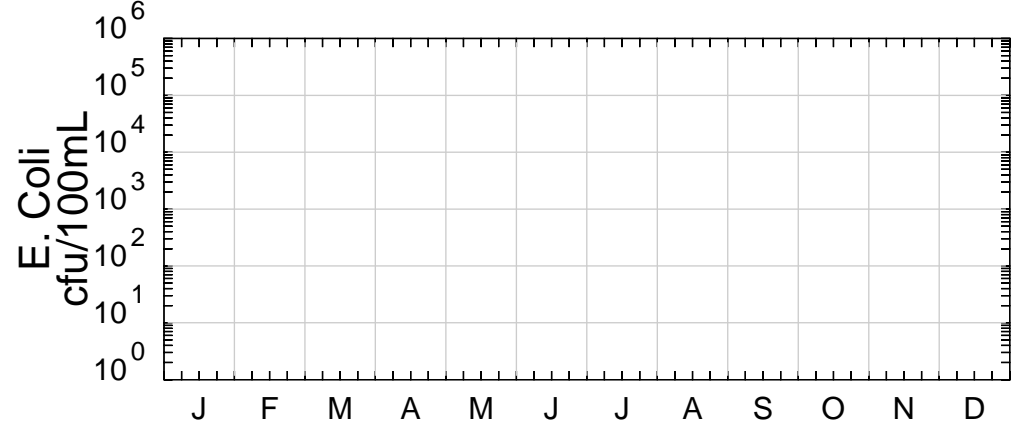
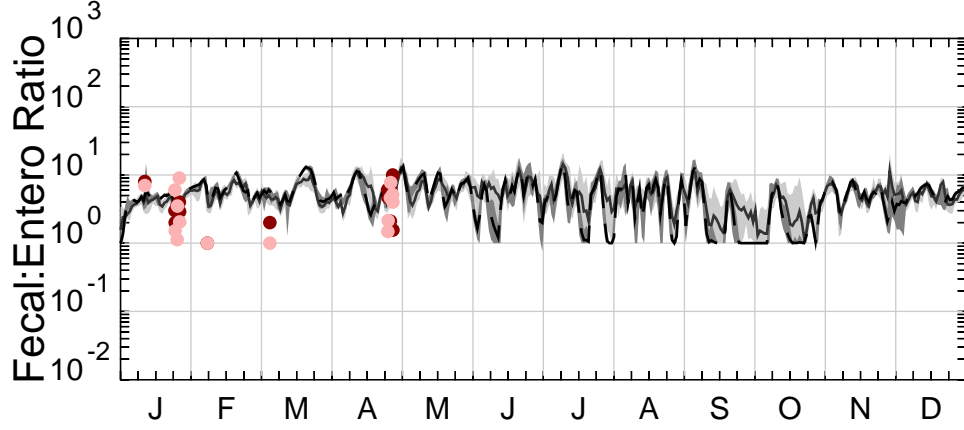
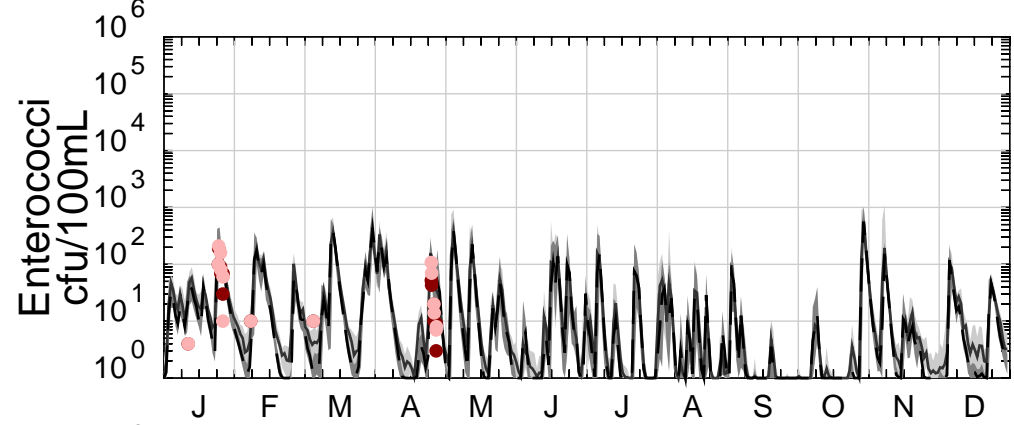
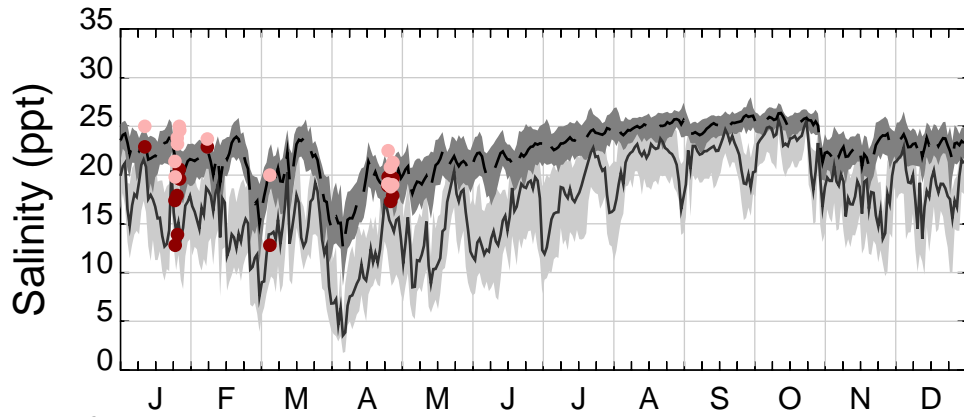
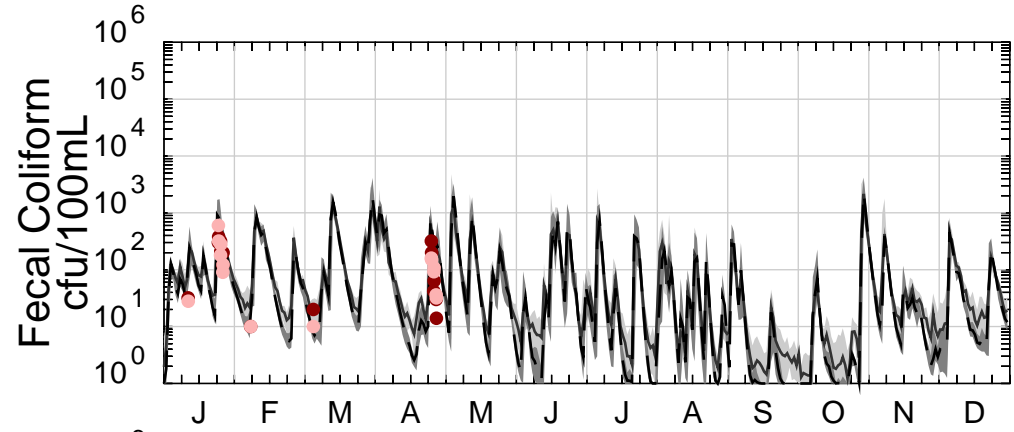
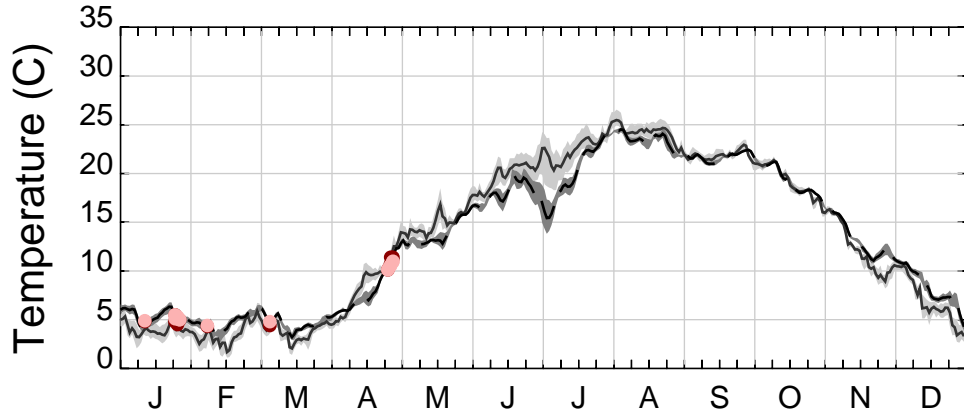


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

**Station: B27**



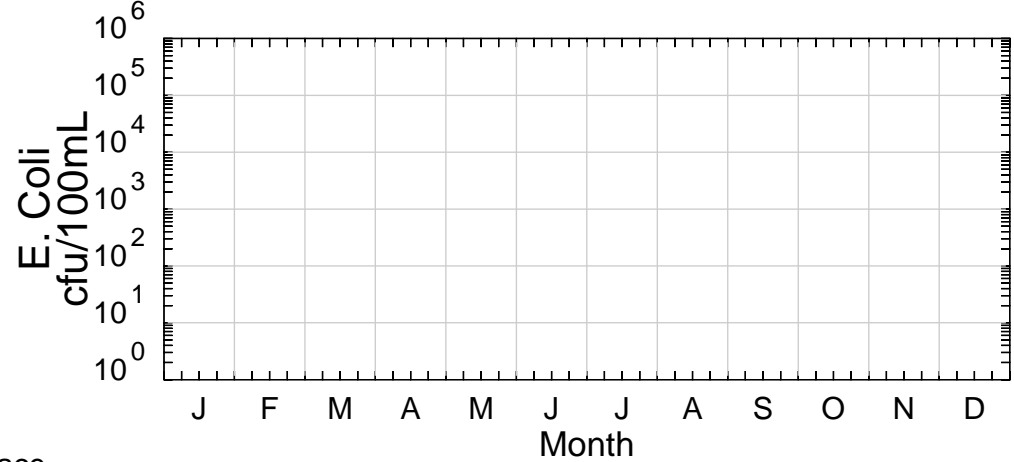
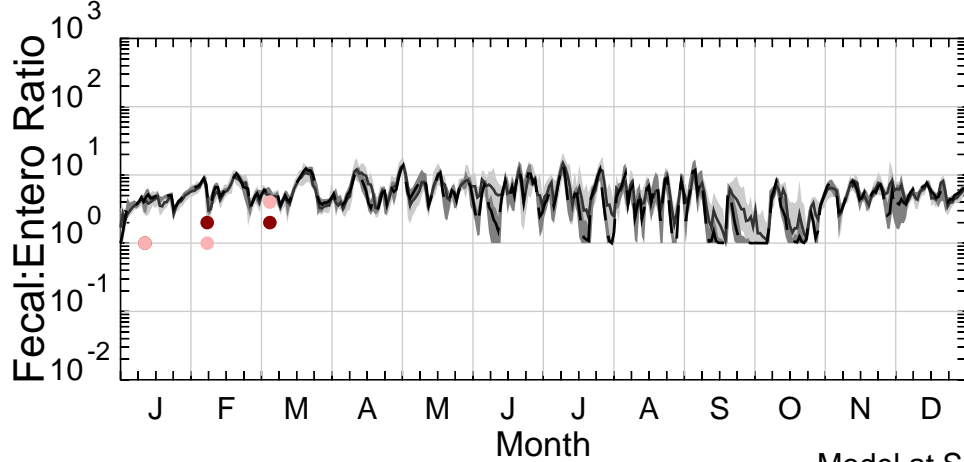
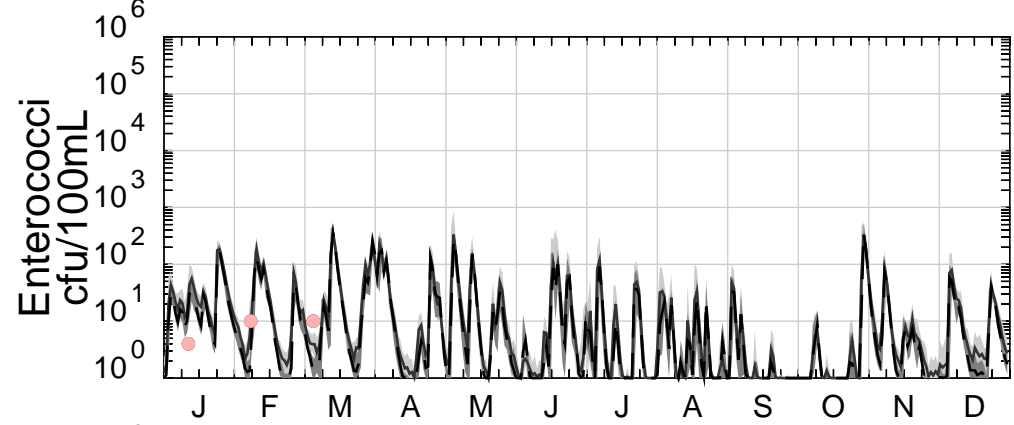
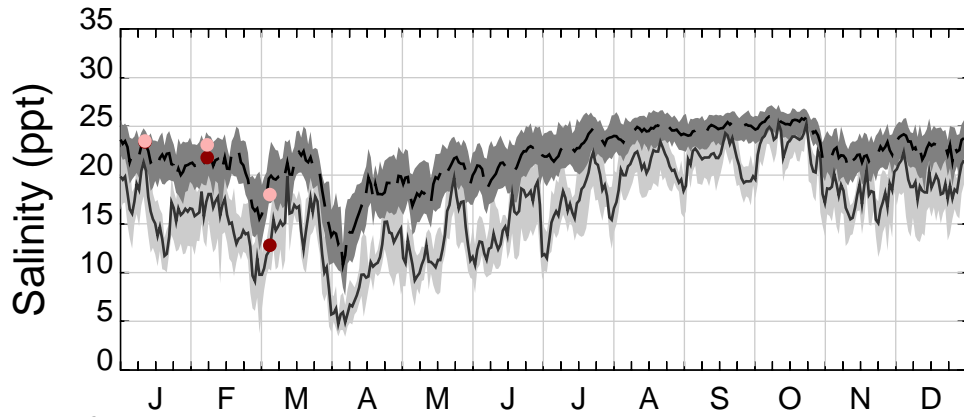
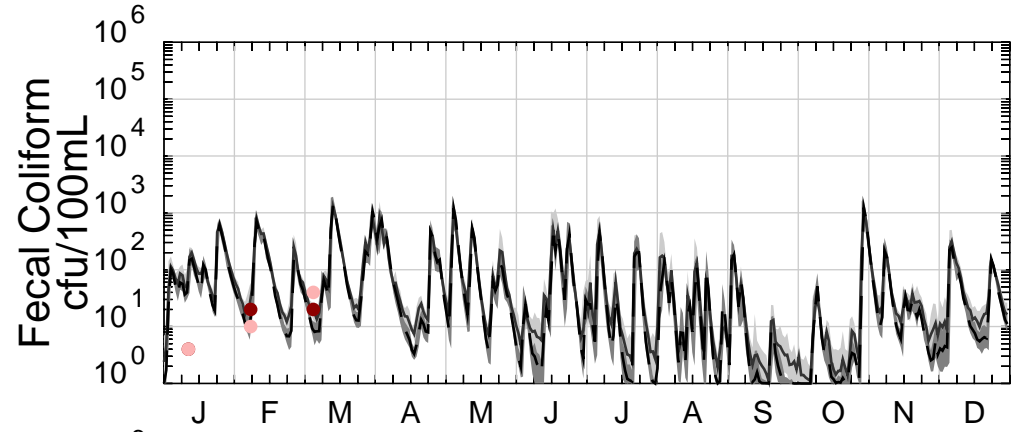
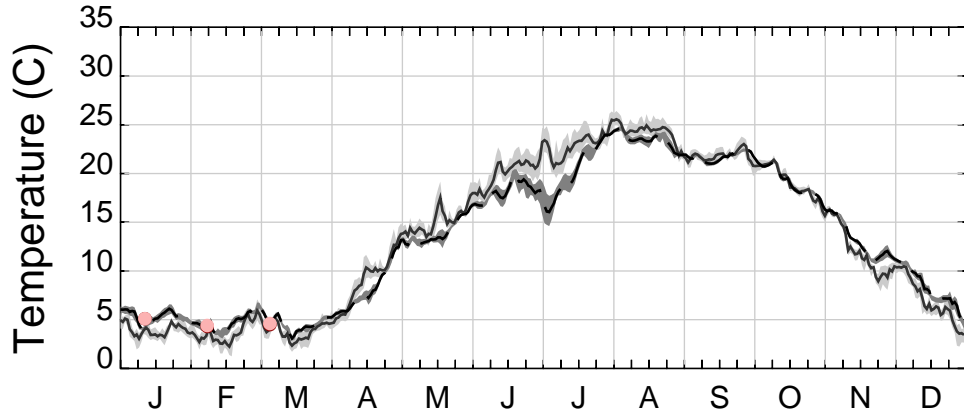
Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



**Station: B9**

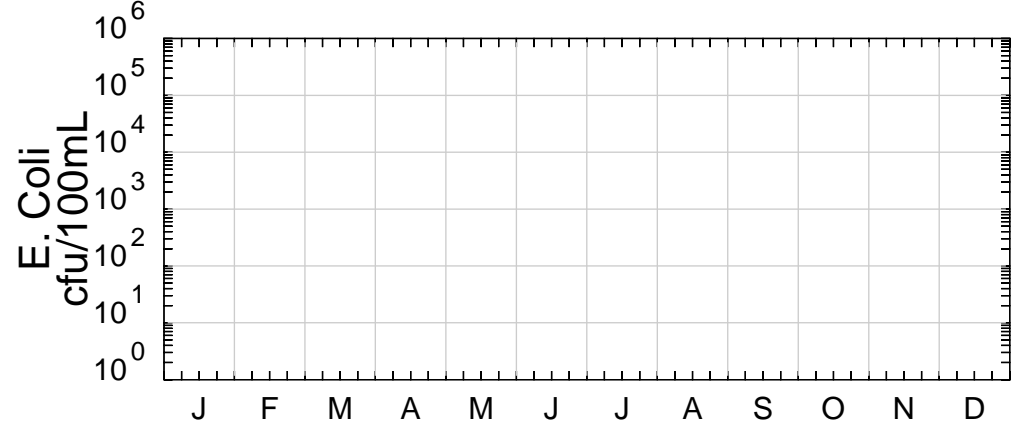
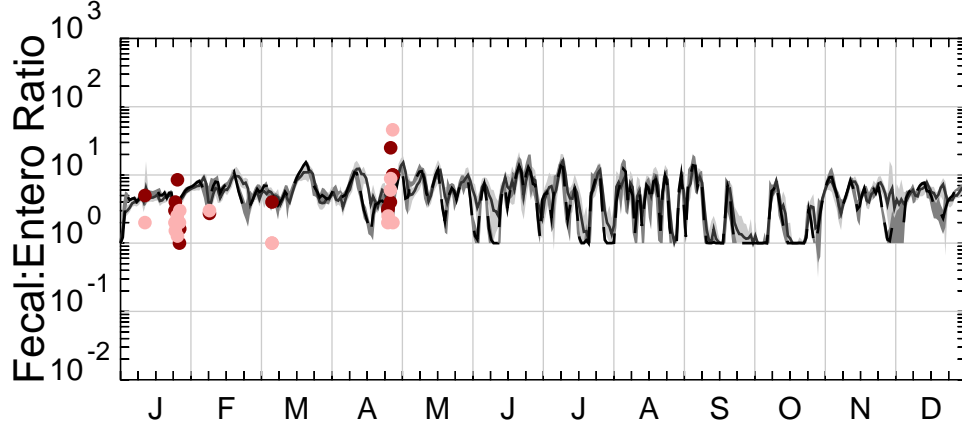
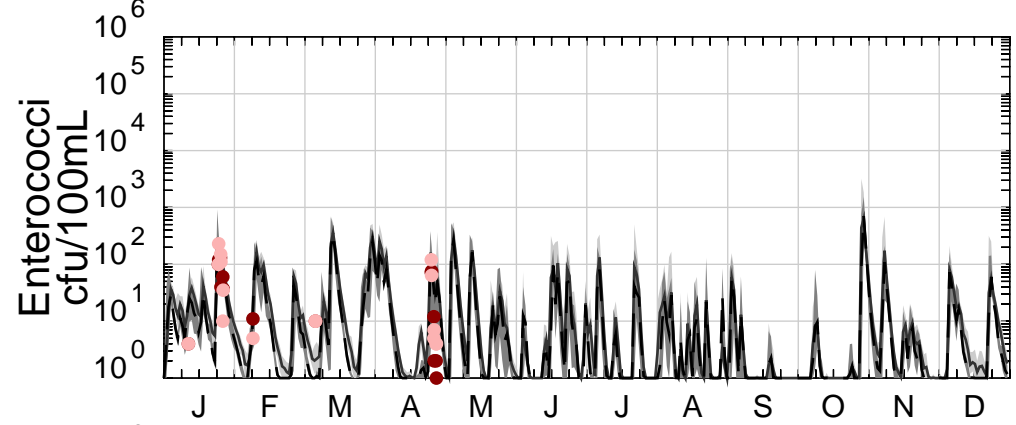
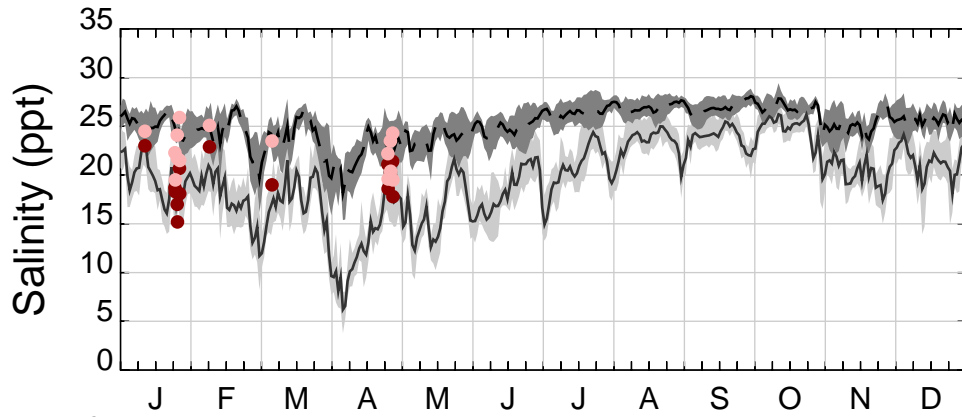
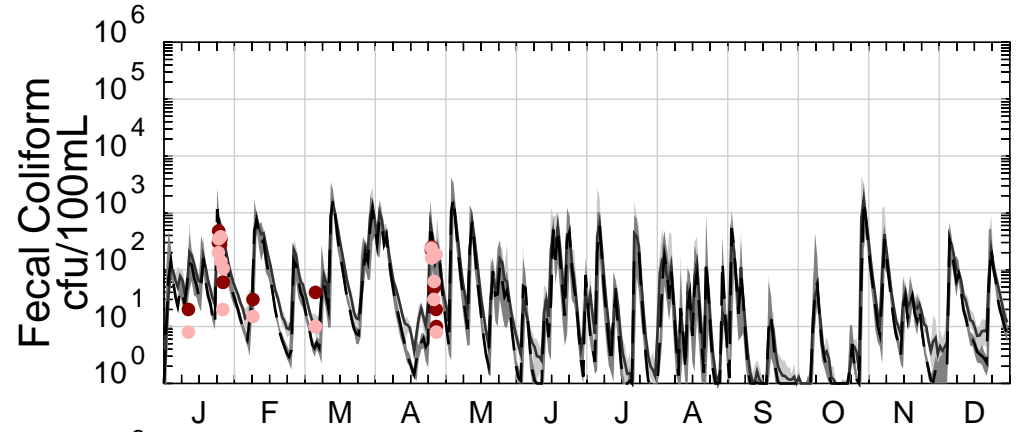
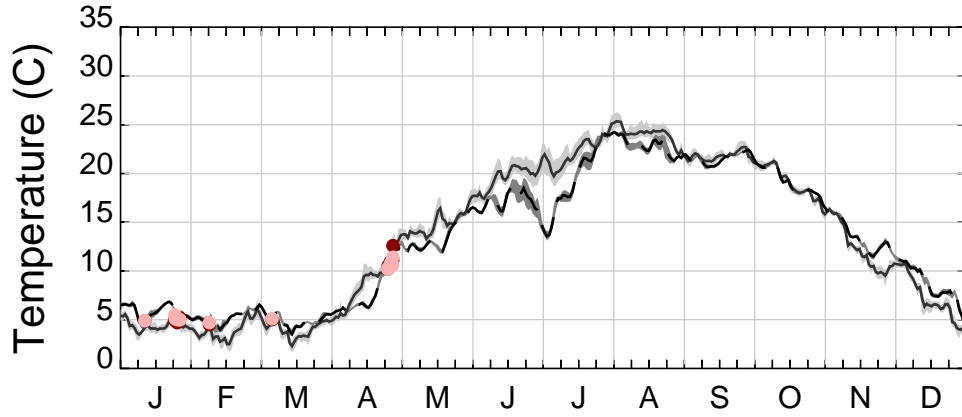


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

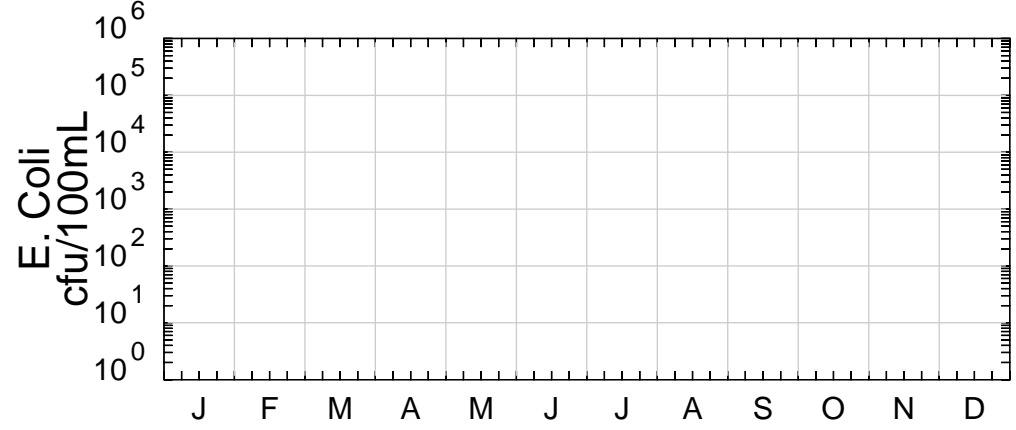
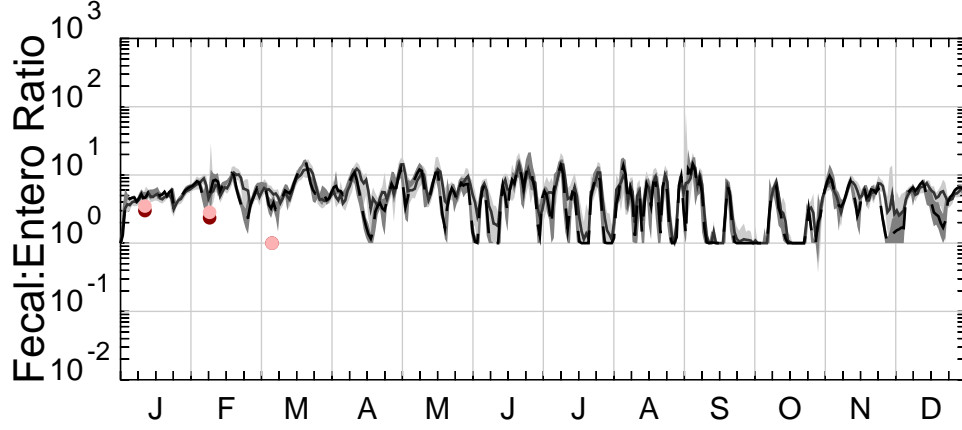
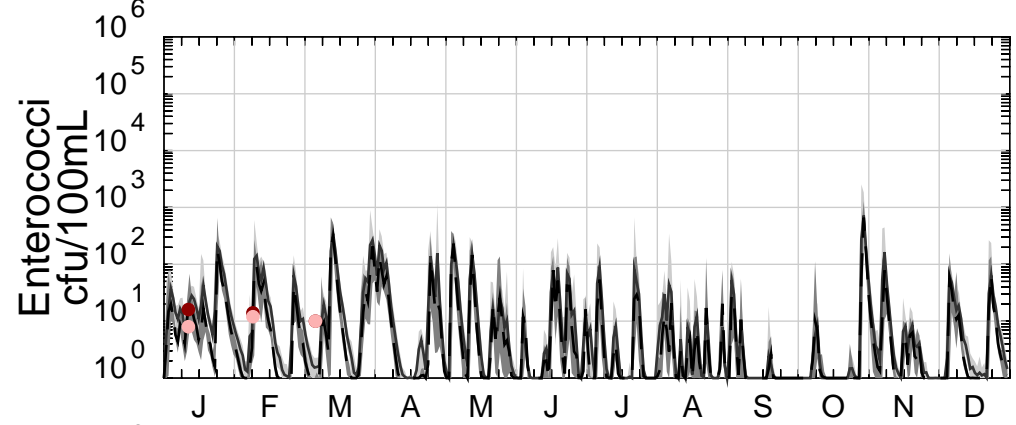
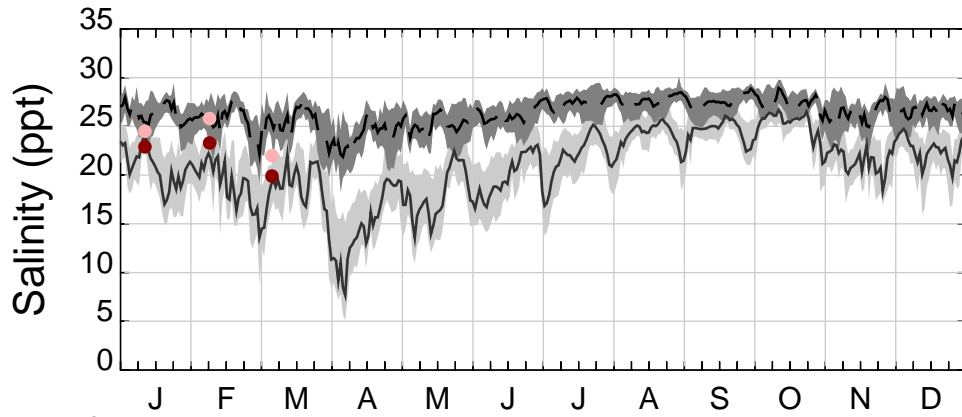
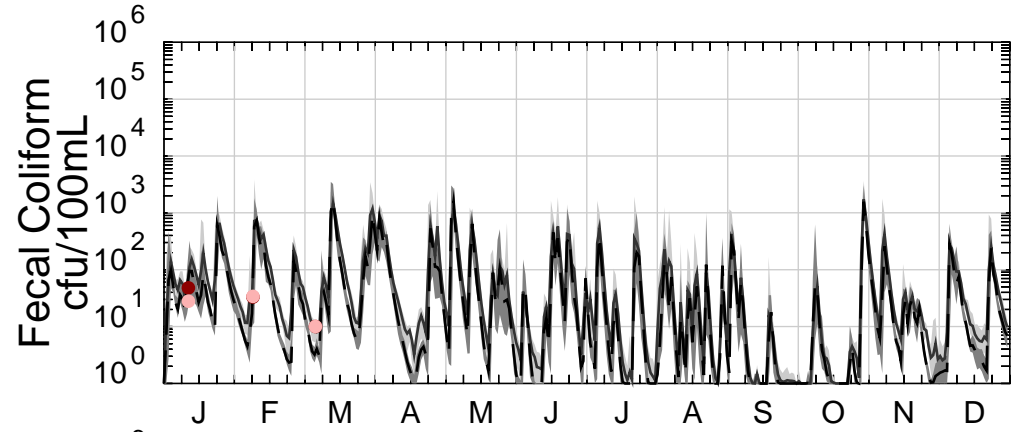
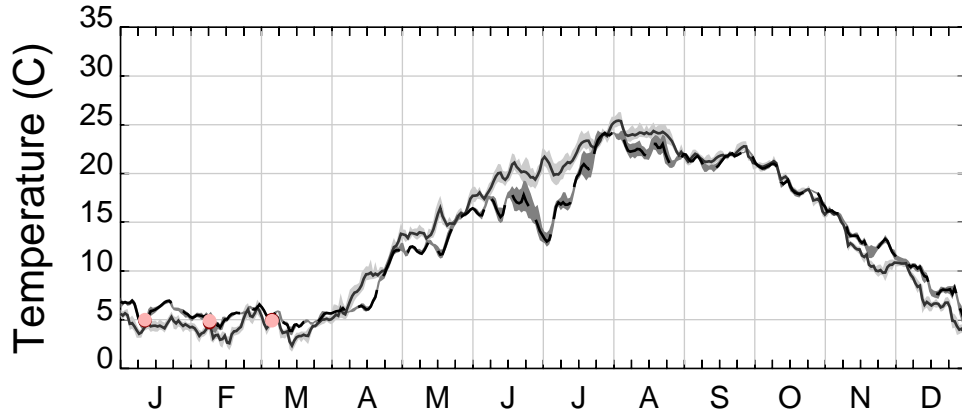
**Station: B28**



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: B21A

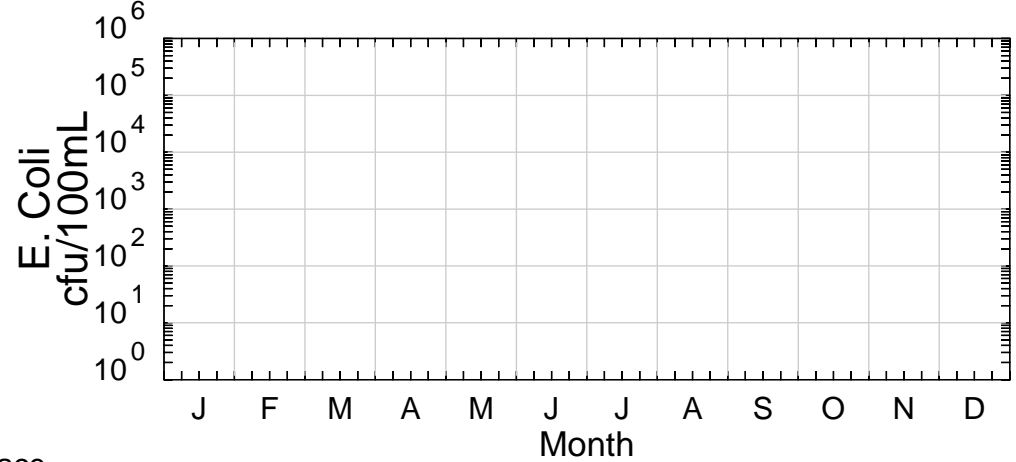
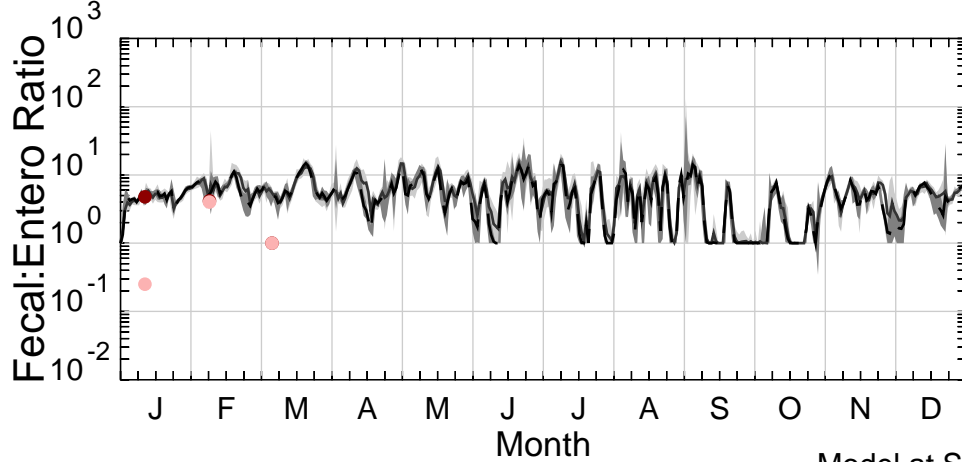
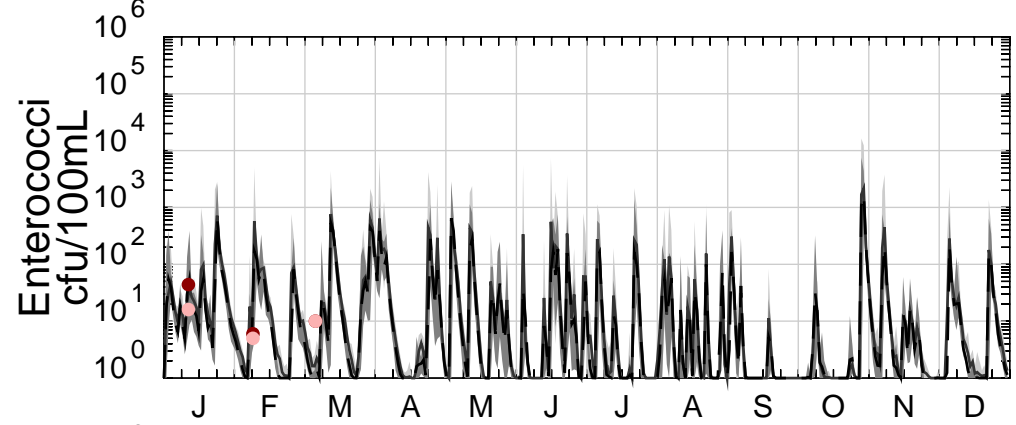
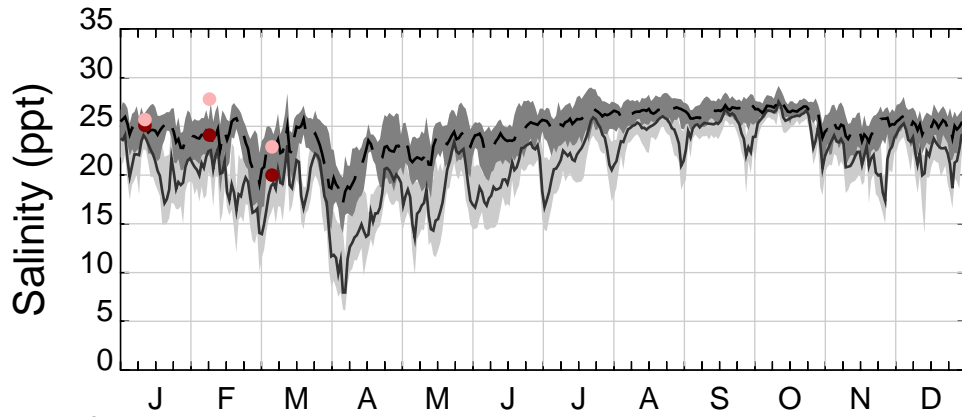
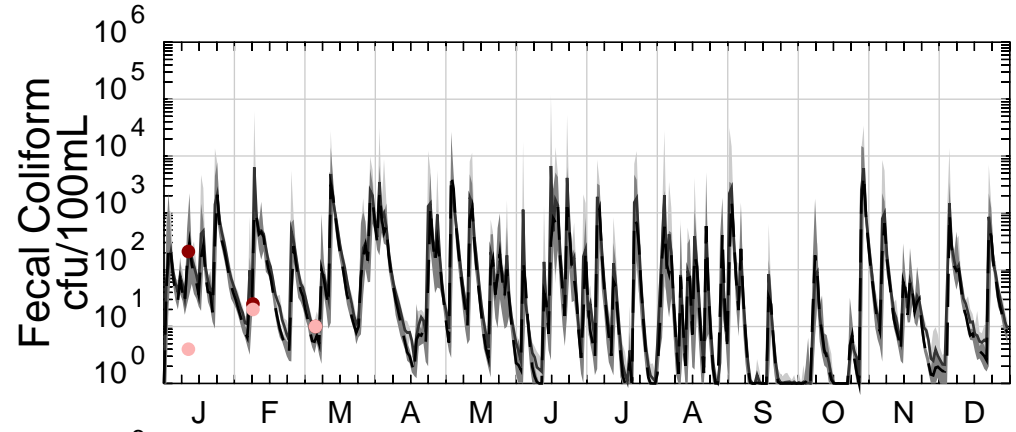
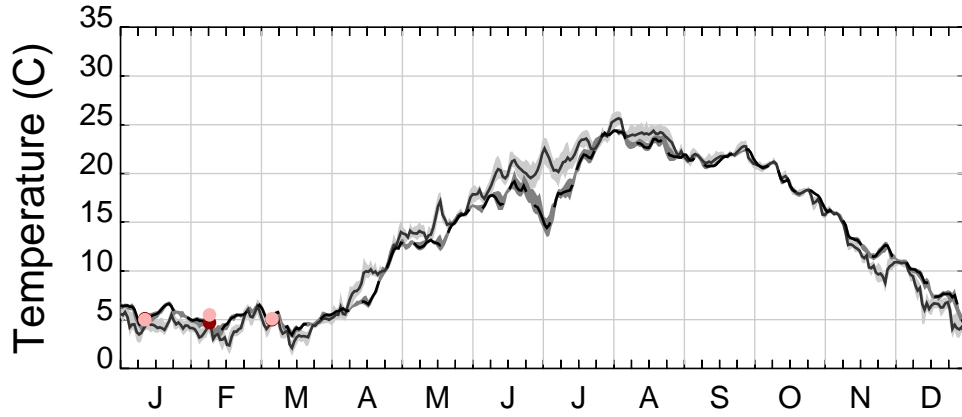


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: B21B



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

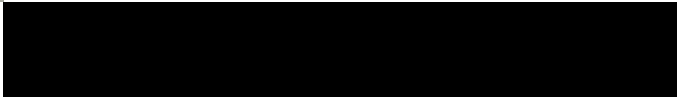

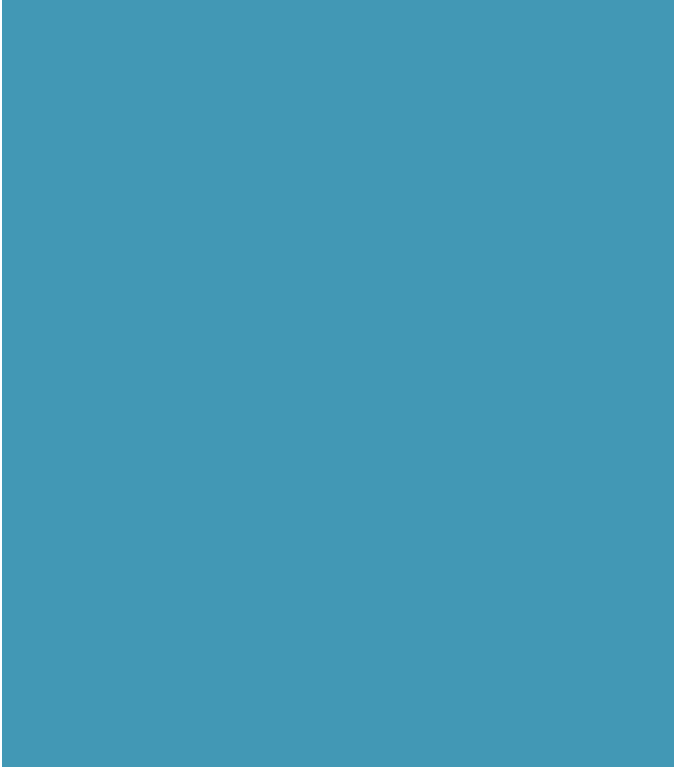
— Model at Surface  
 — Model at Bottom  
 — Model Daily Average at Surface  
 - - Model Daily Average at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



## Appendix F-2

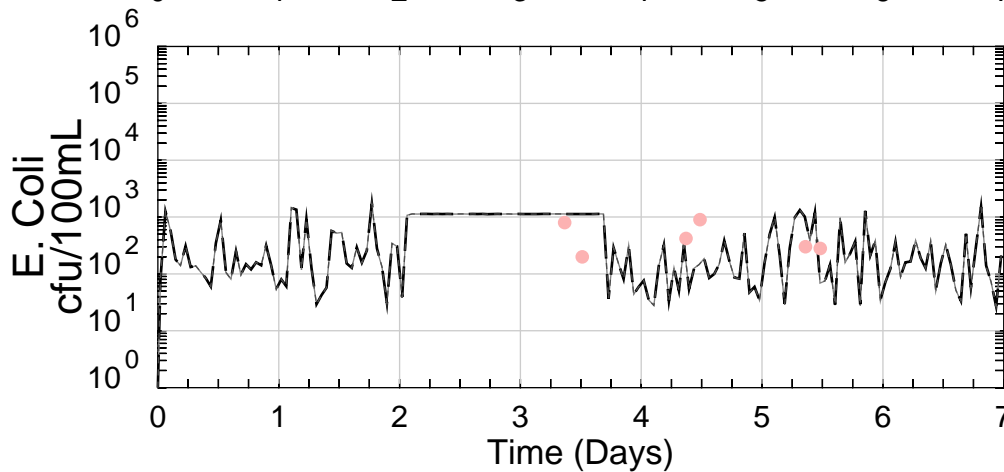
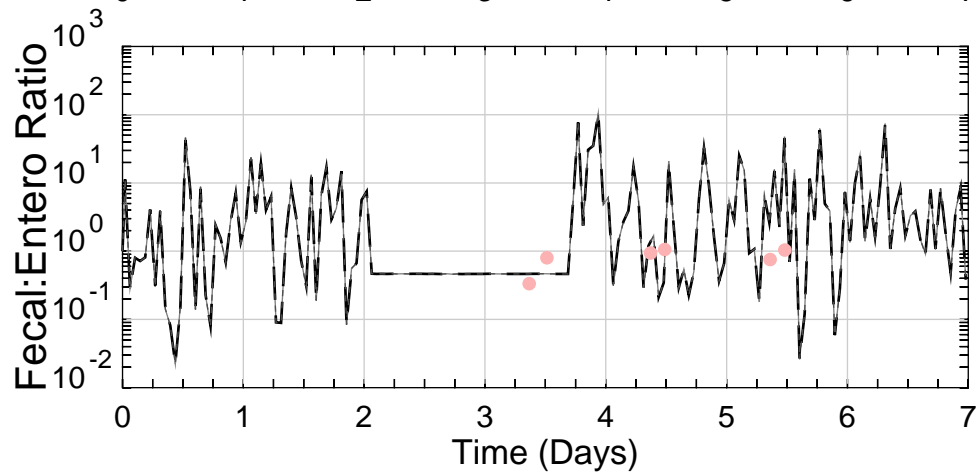
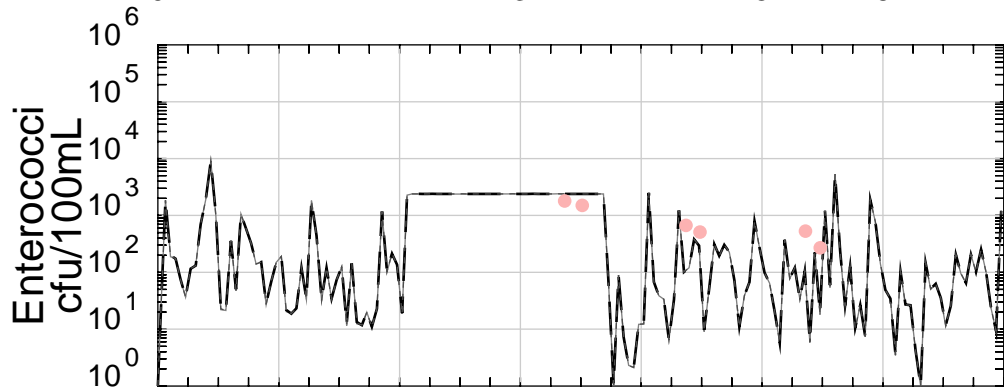
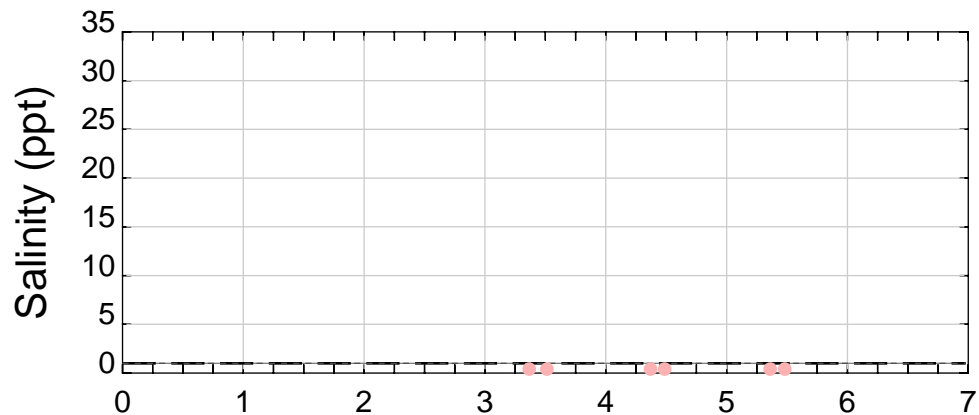
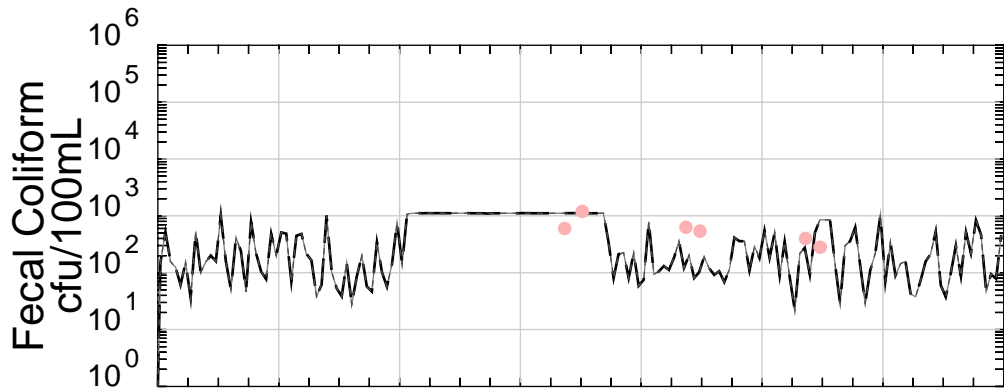
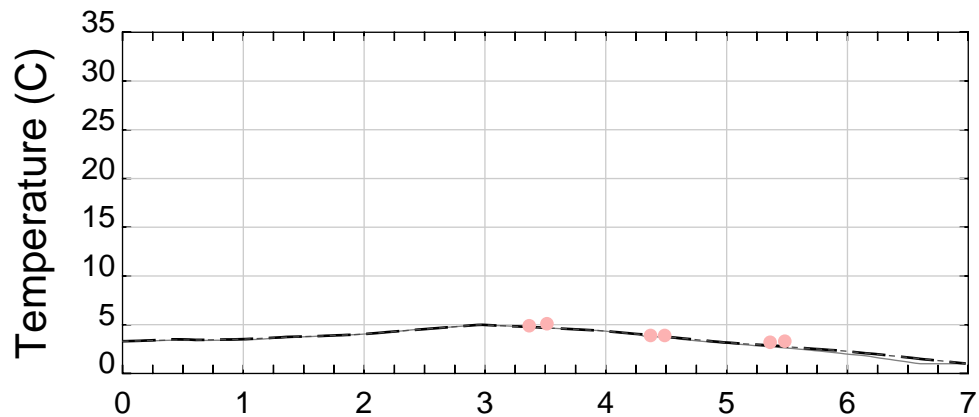
### Additional Validation Wet-Weather Time-Series Figures



# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

FW2

Station: B24 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- . - Model at Bottom

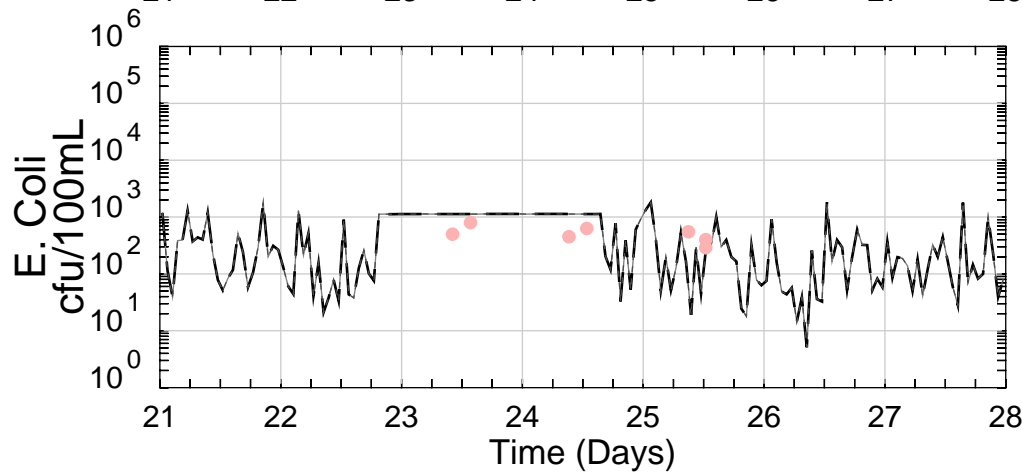
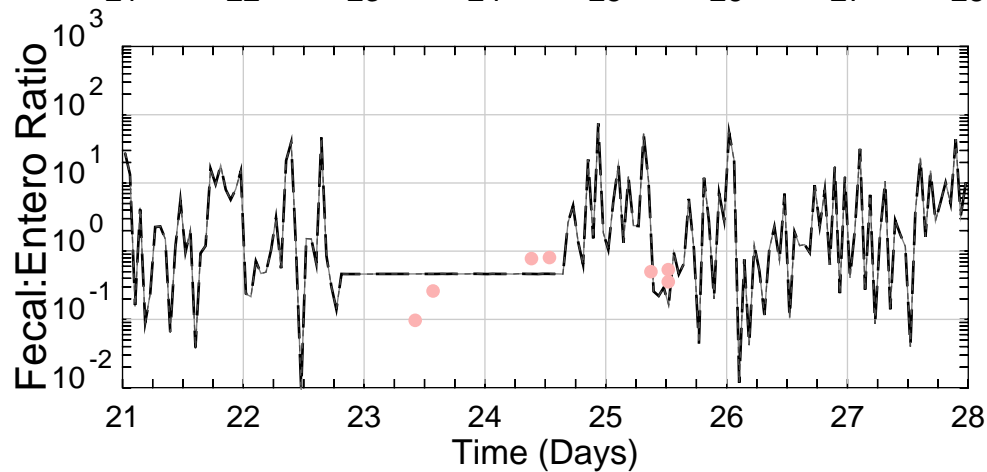
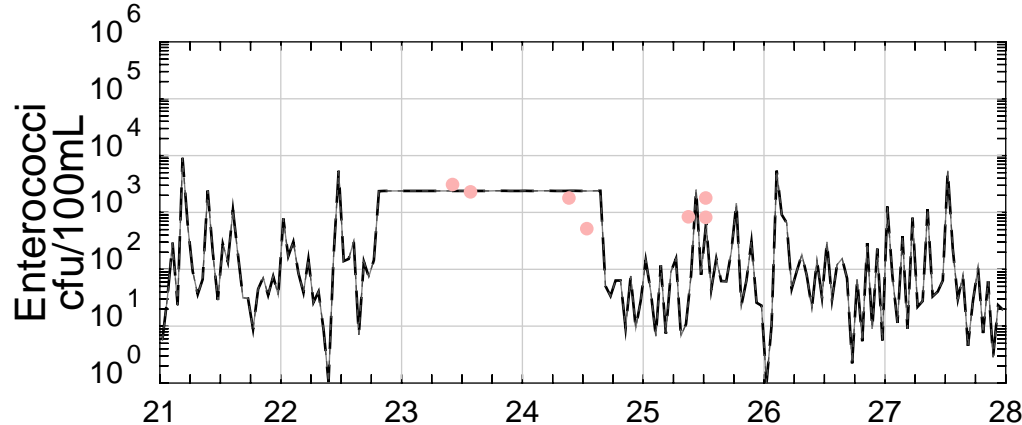
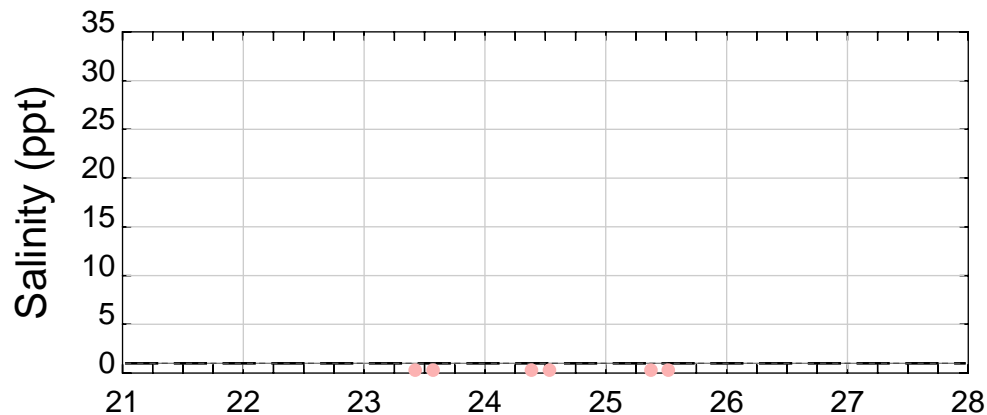
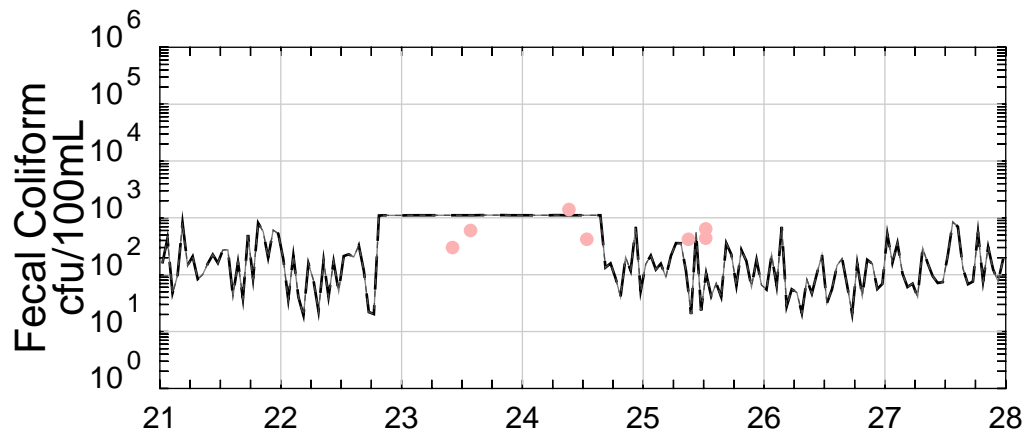
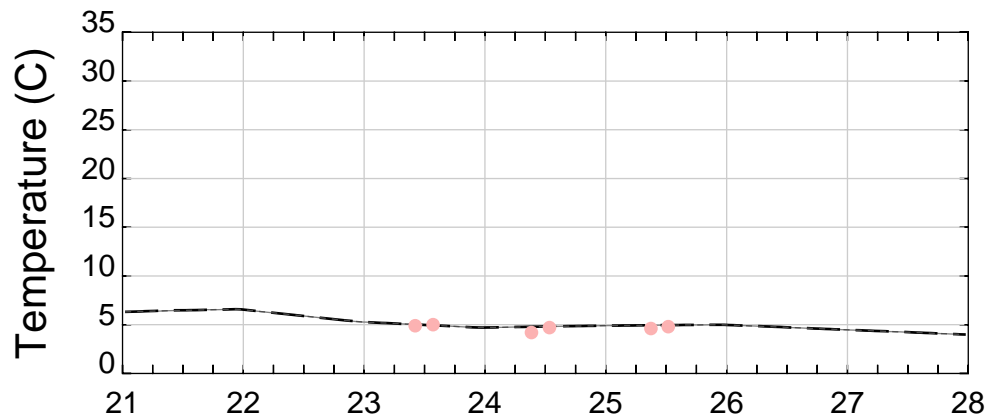
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

FW2

Station: B24 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

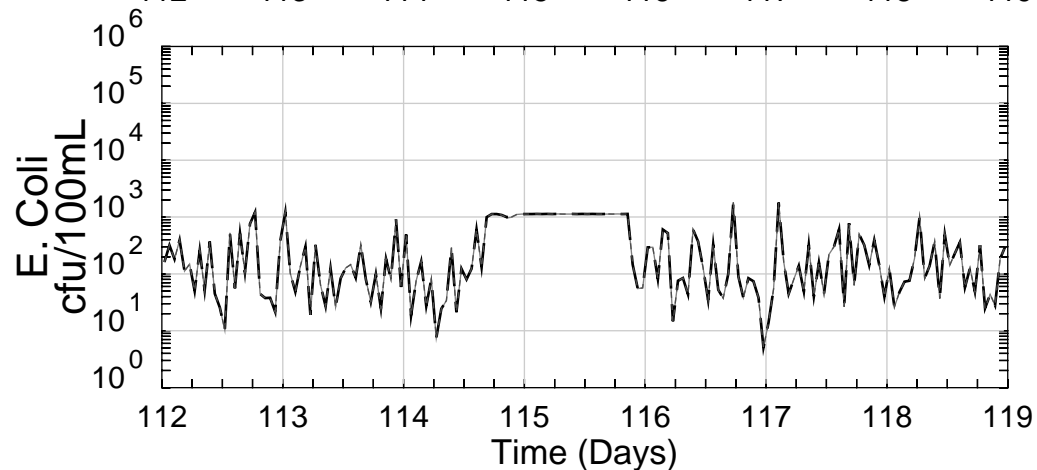
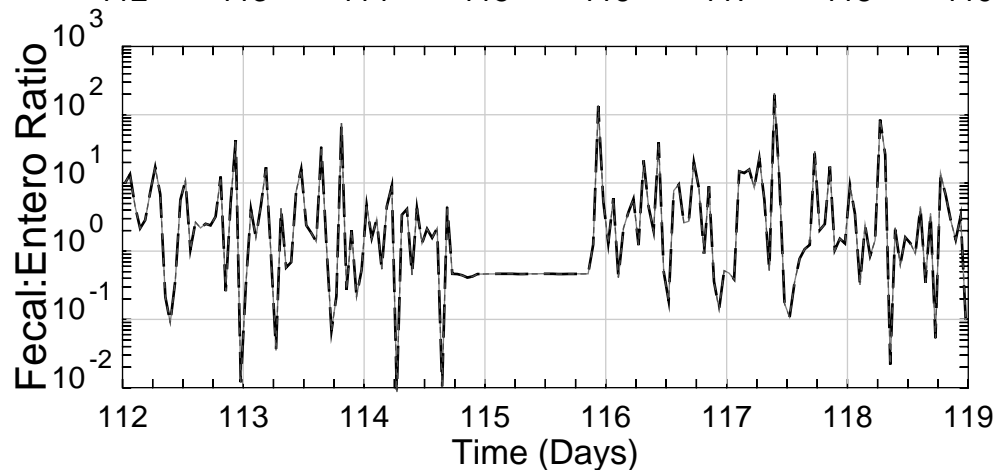
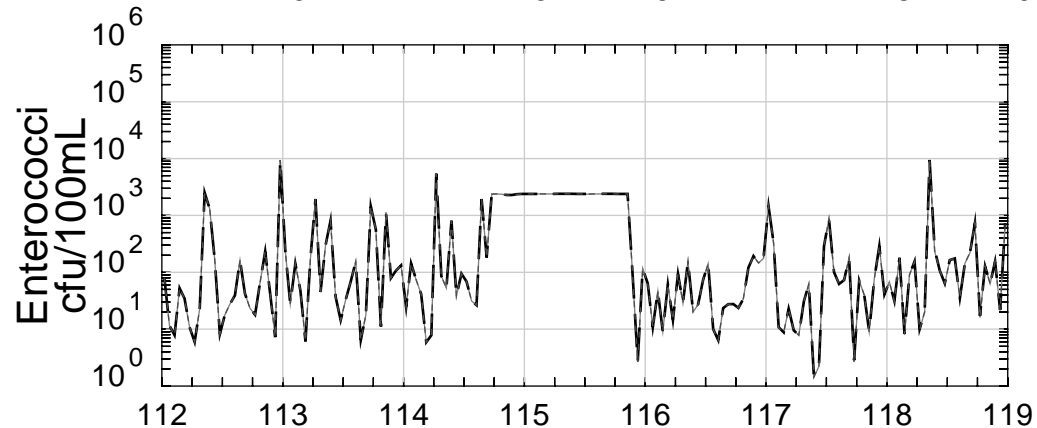
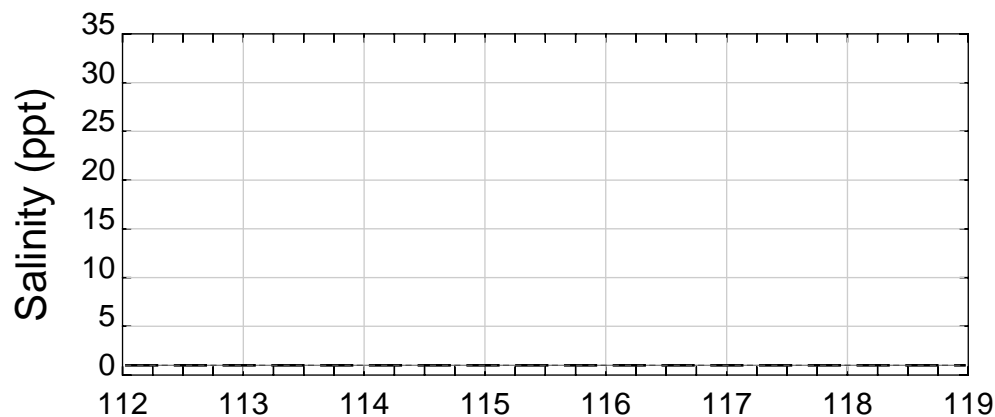
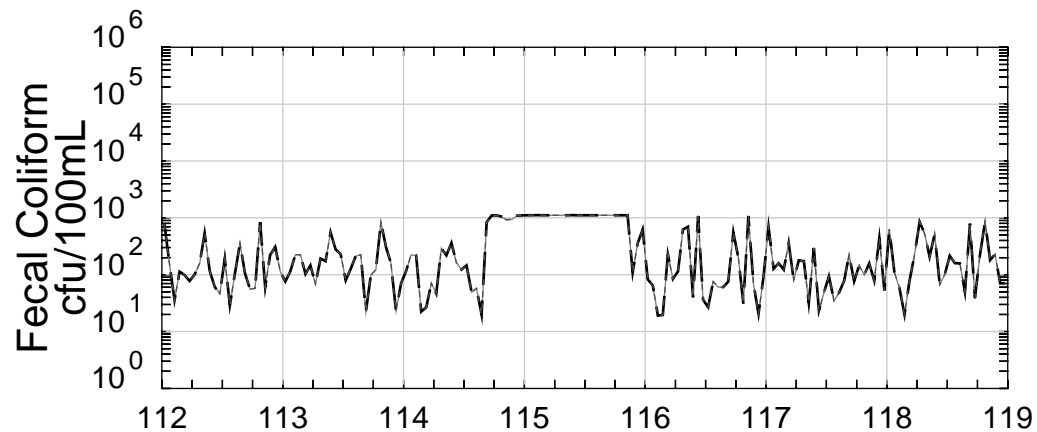
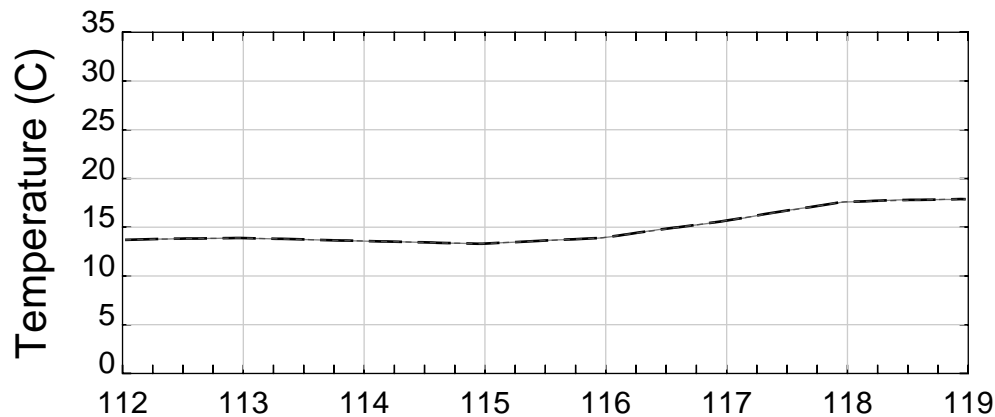
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

FW2

Station: B24 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

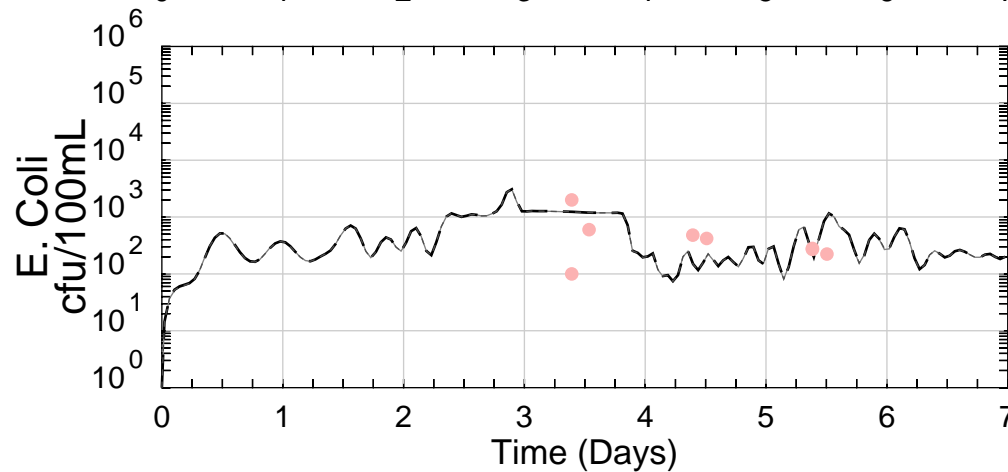
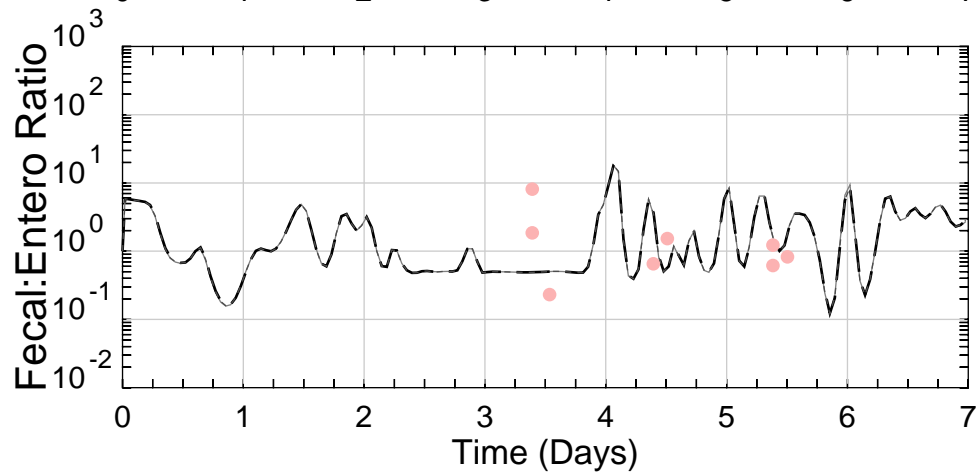
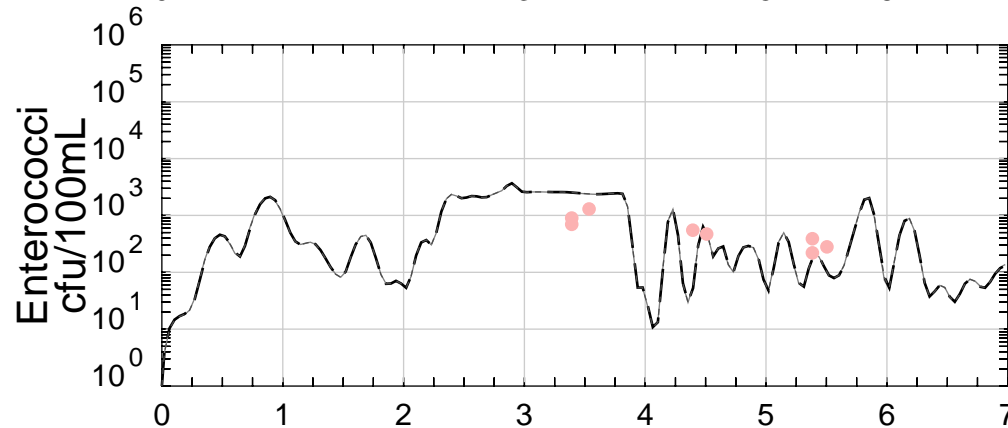
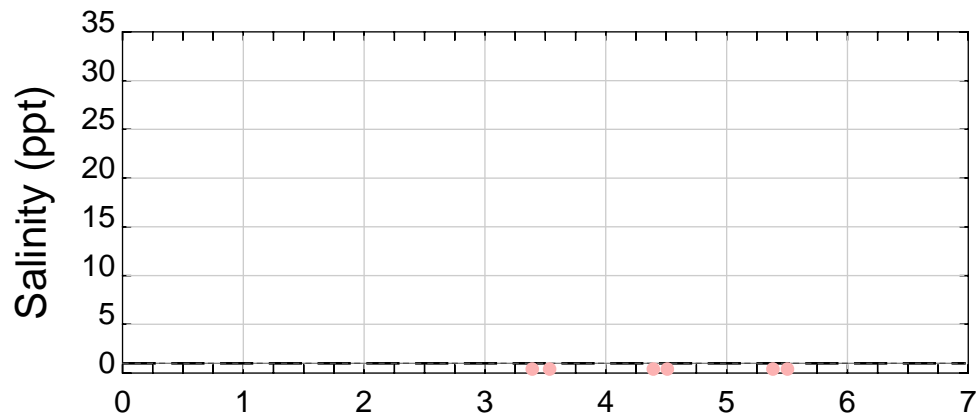
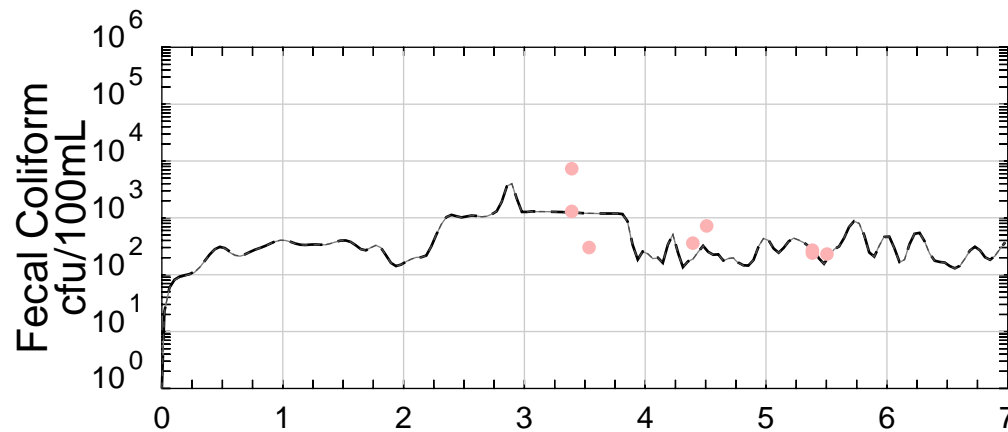
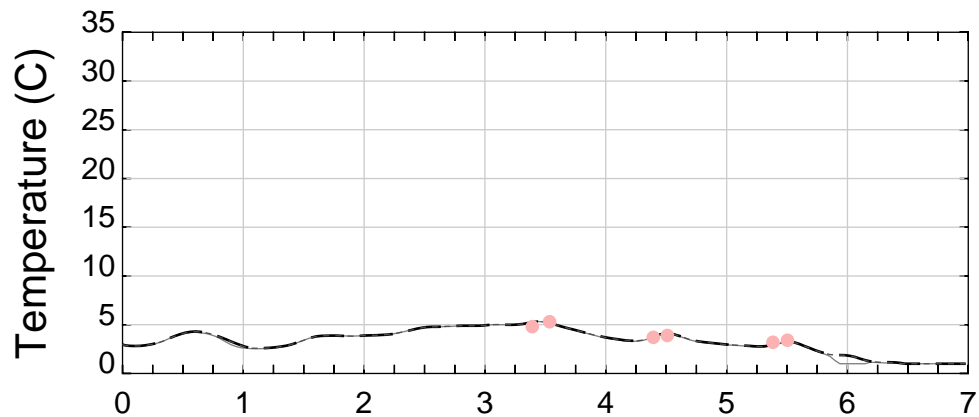
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 — - Model at Bottom

● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

Station: 3 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)

FW2



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Data = 2017

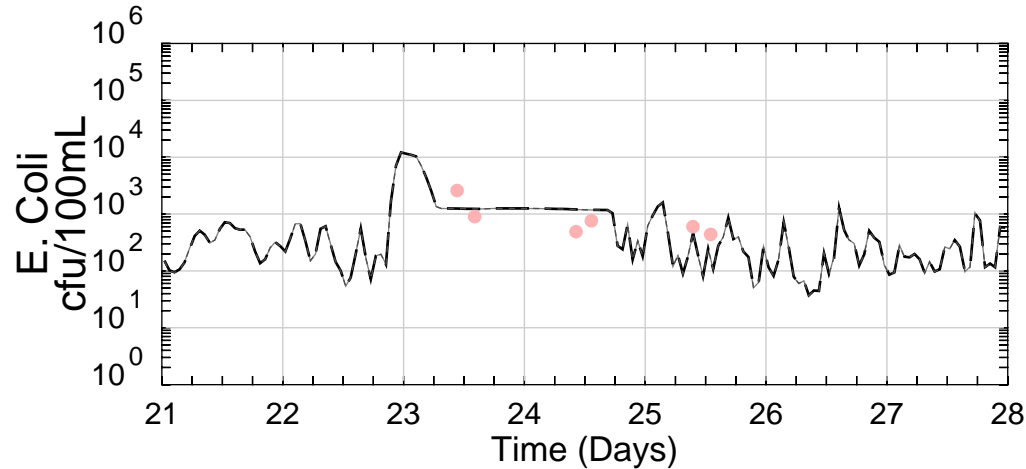
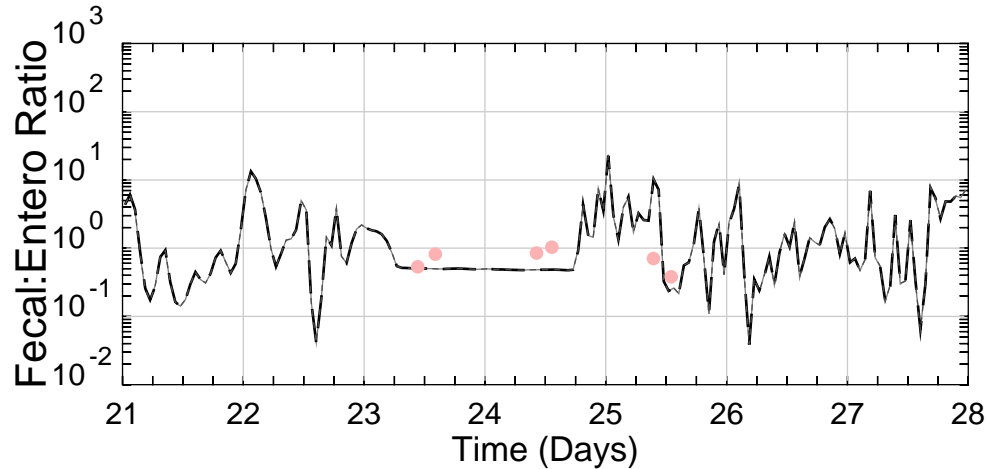
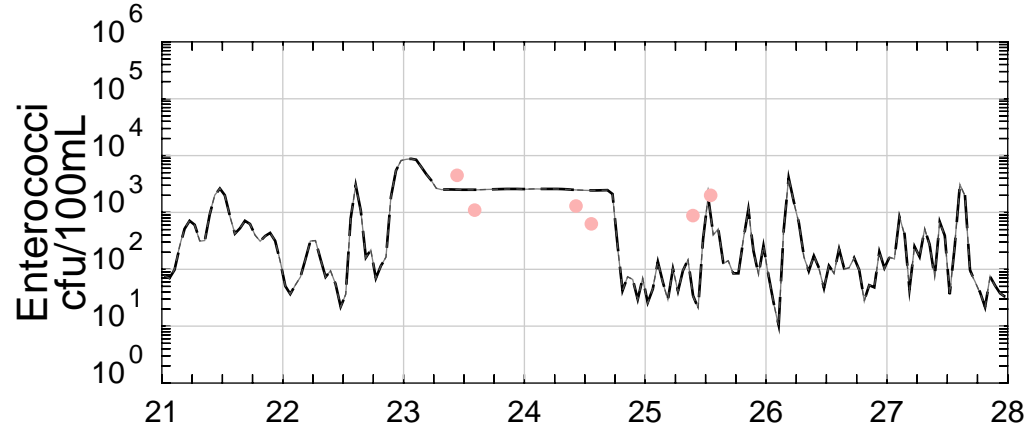
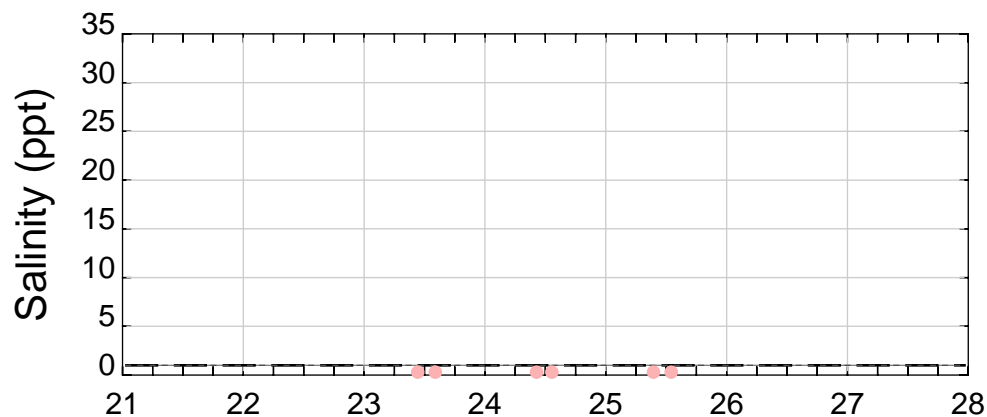
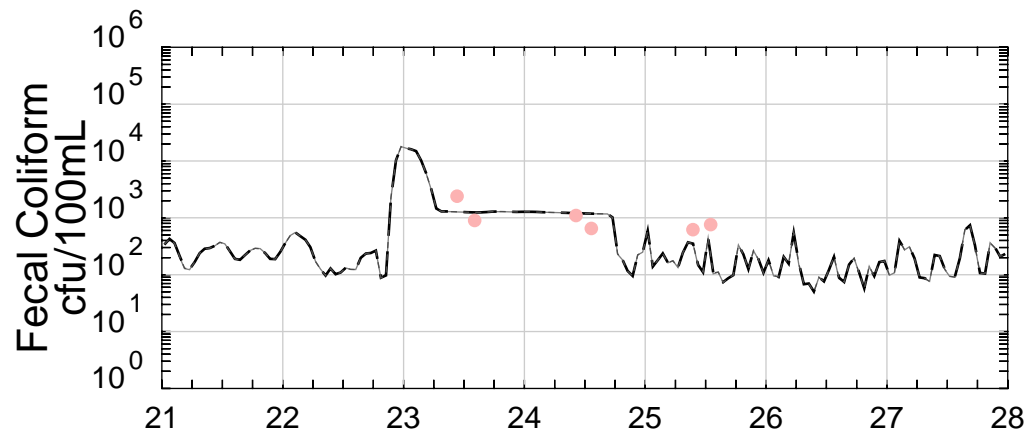
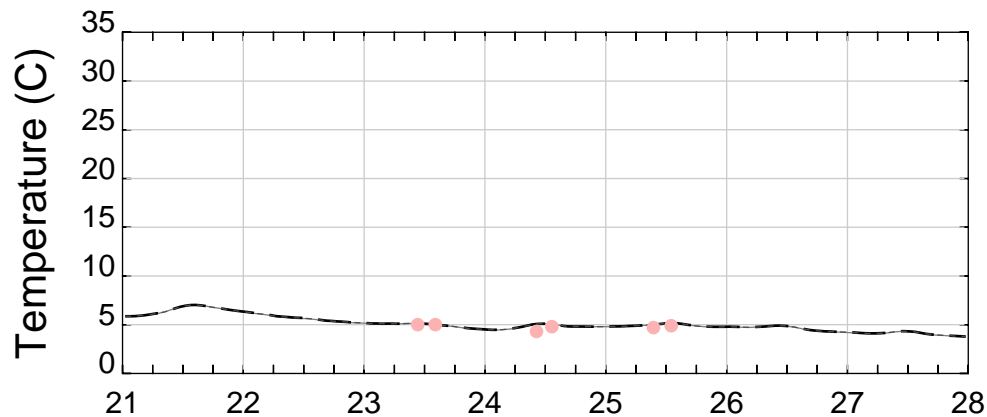
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom

- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

Station: 3 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)

FW2



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

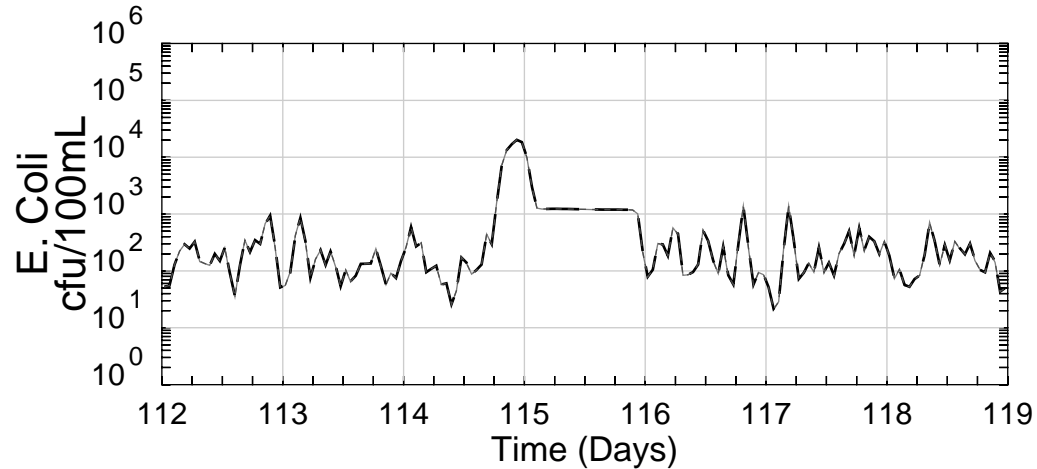
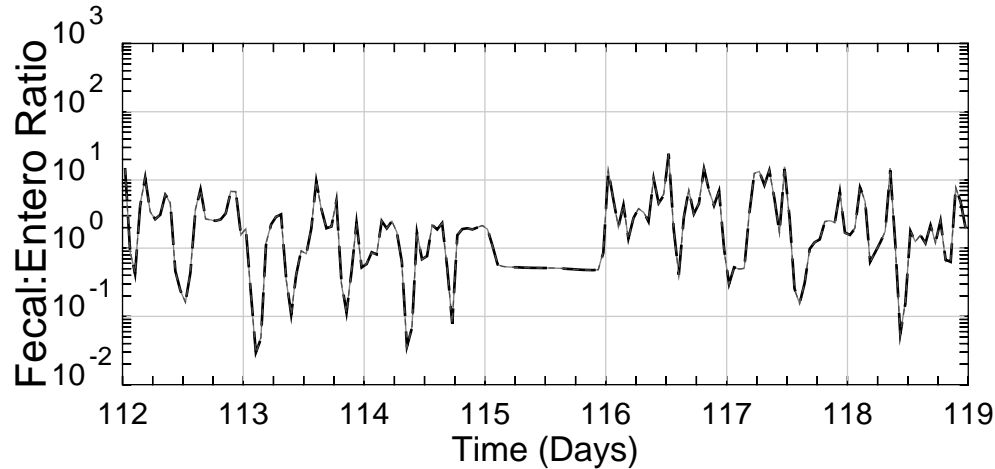
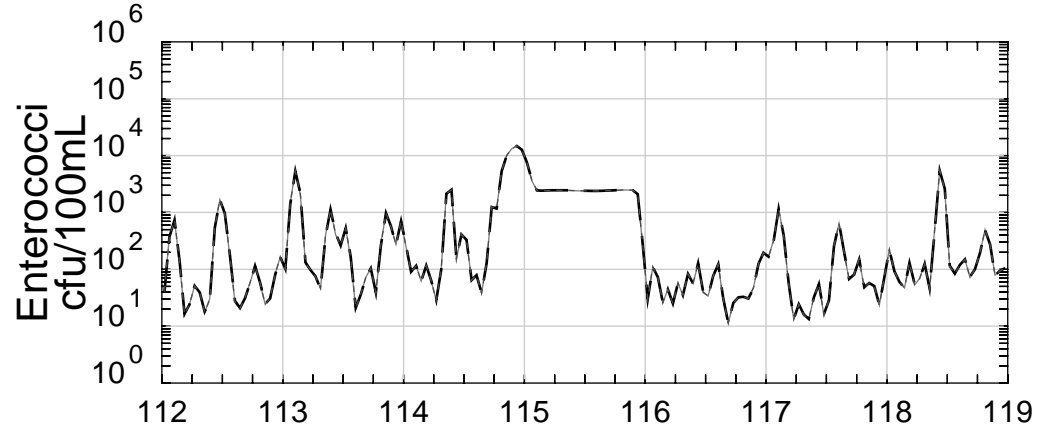
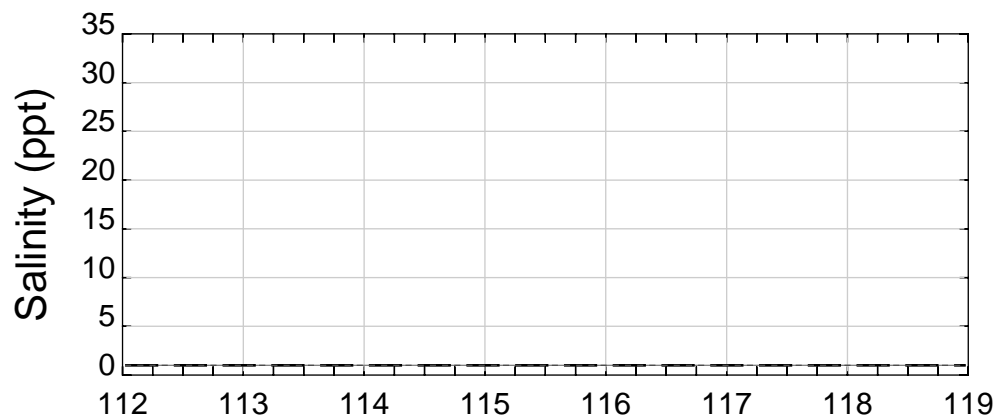
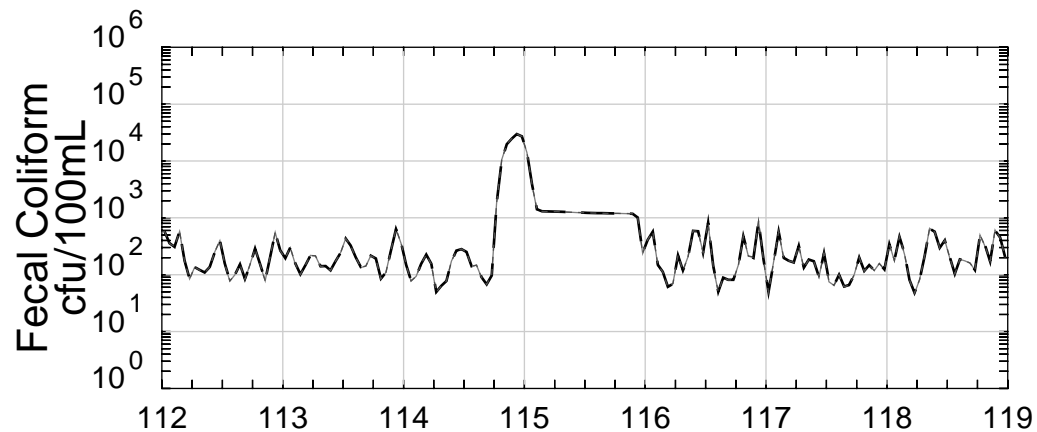
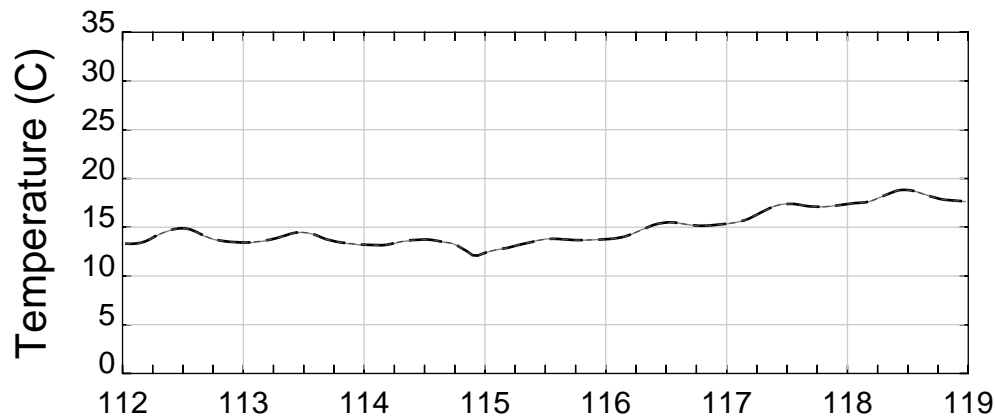
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom

- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

Station: 3 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)

FW2

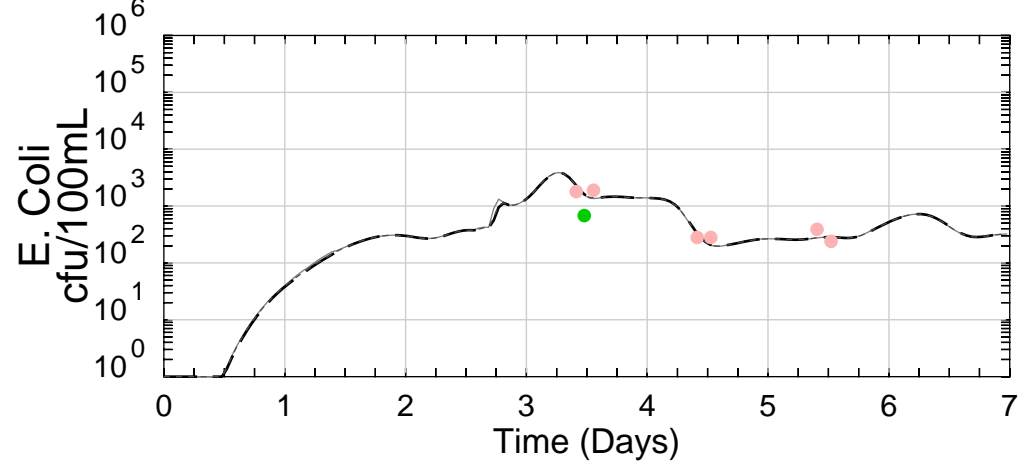
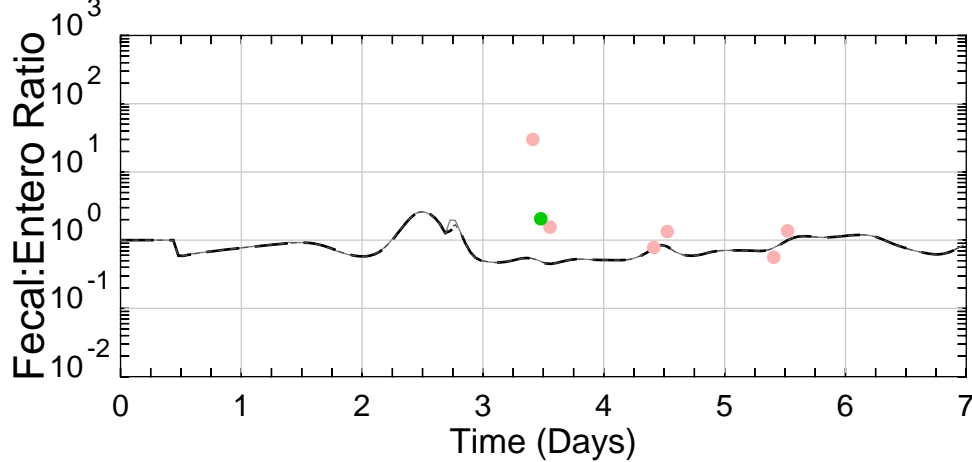
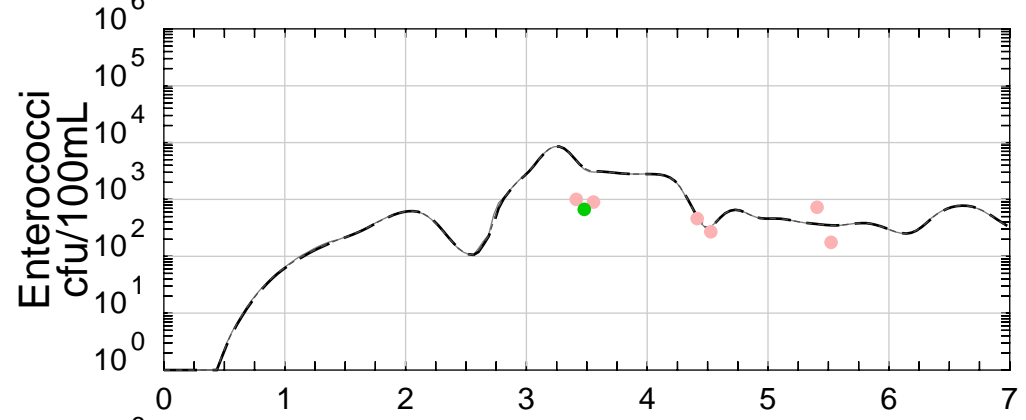
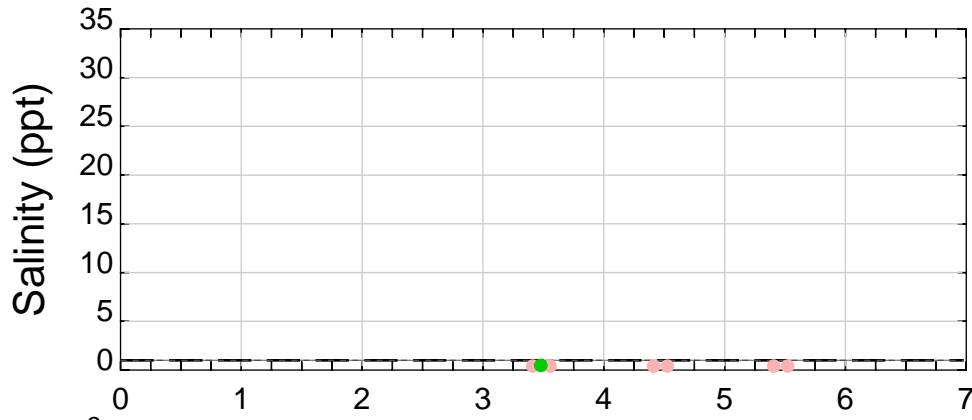
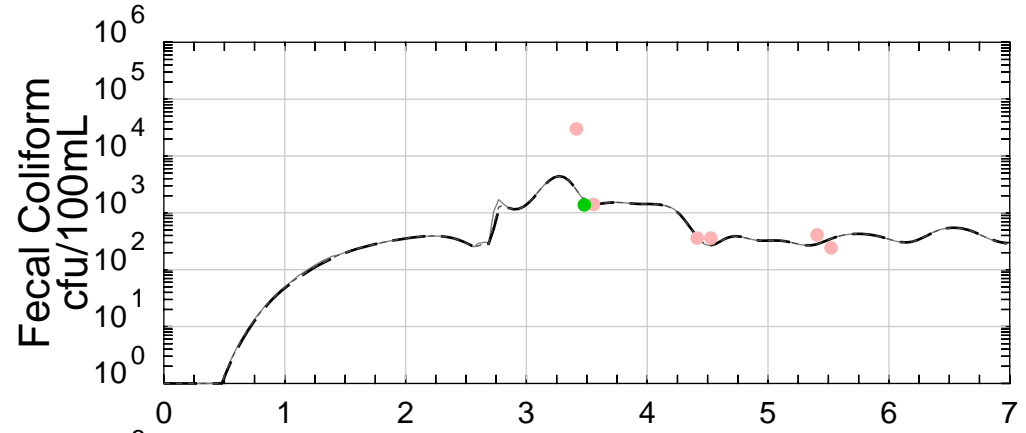
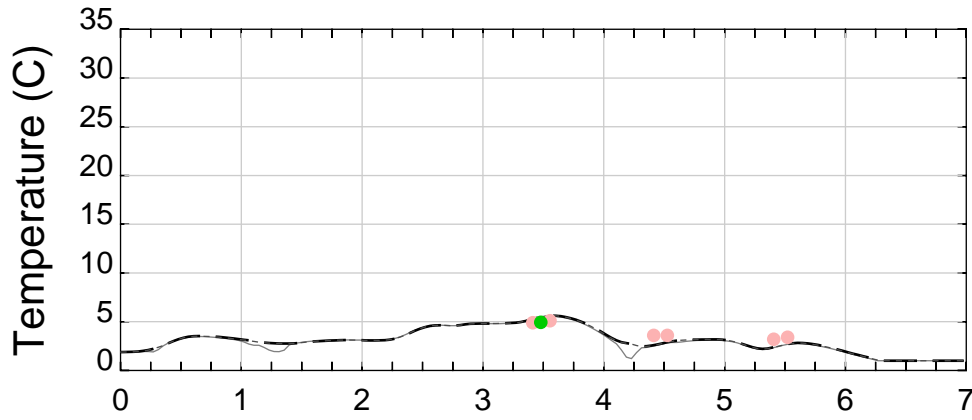


Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 4 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

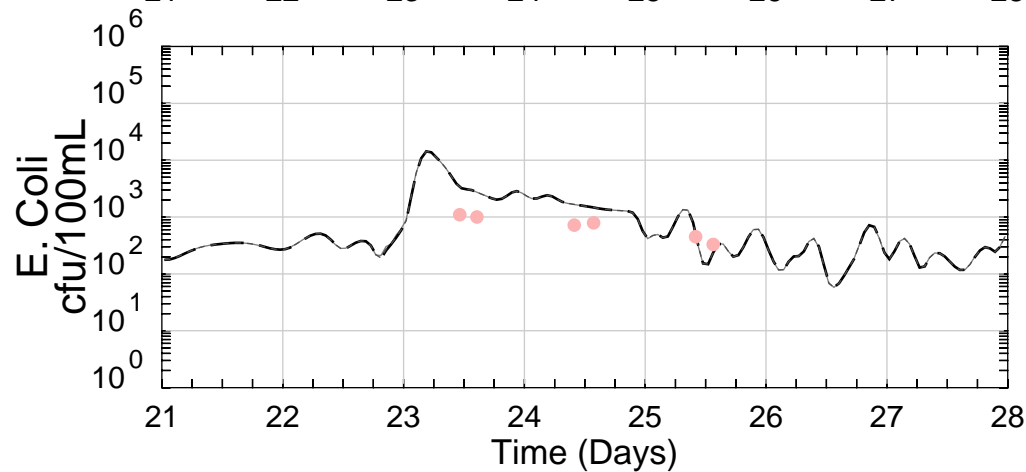
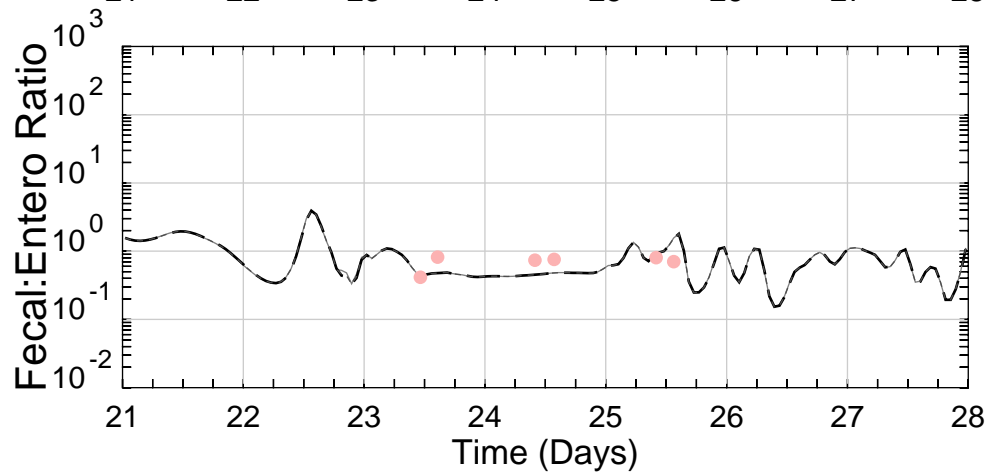
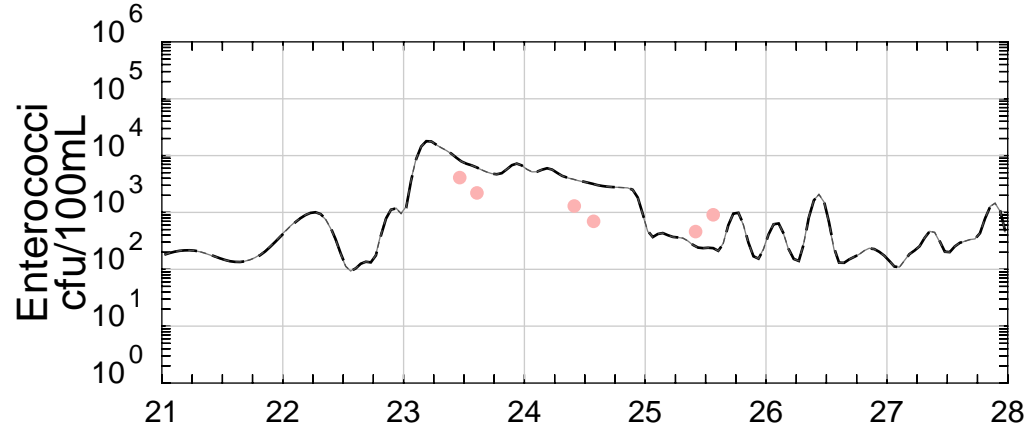
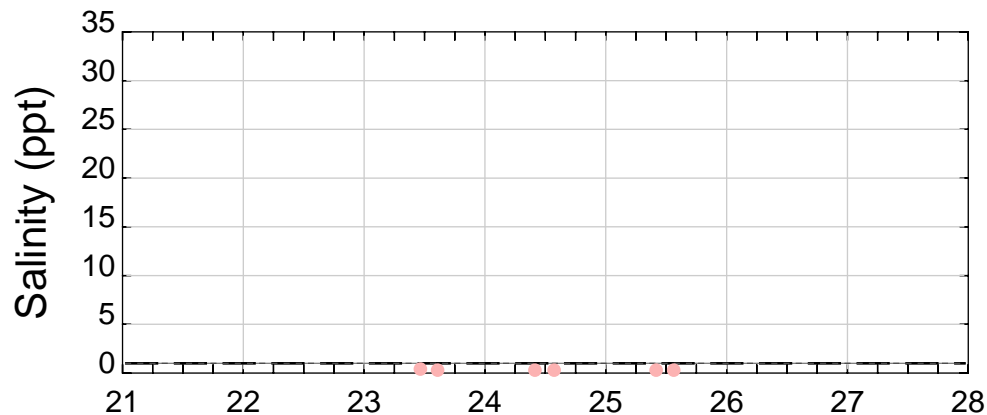
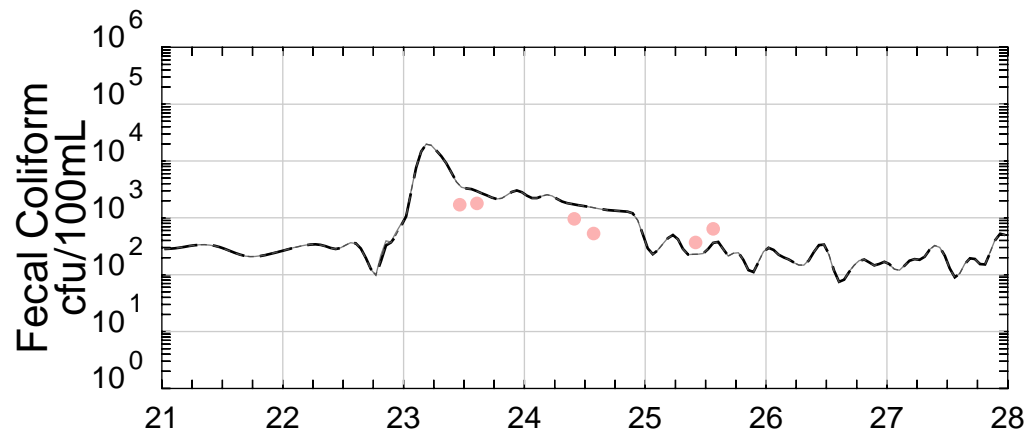
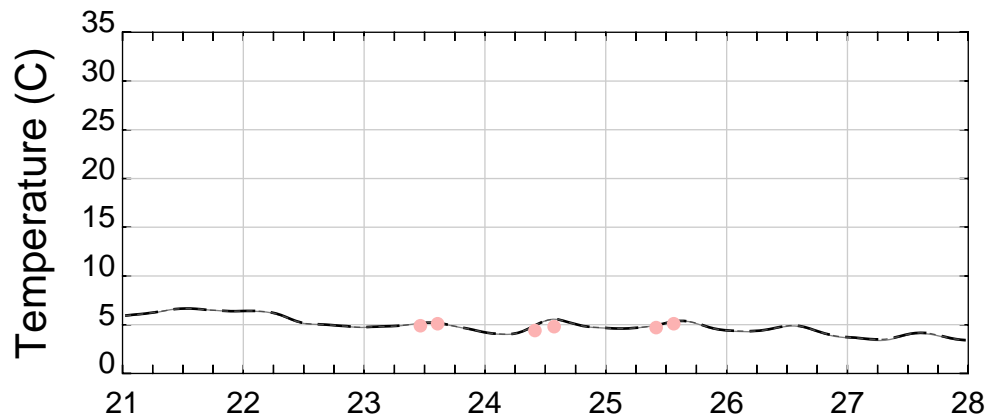
● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

Station: 4 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)

FW2



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Data = 2017

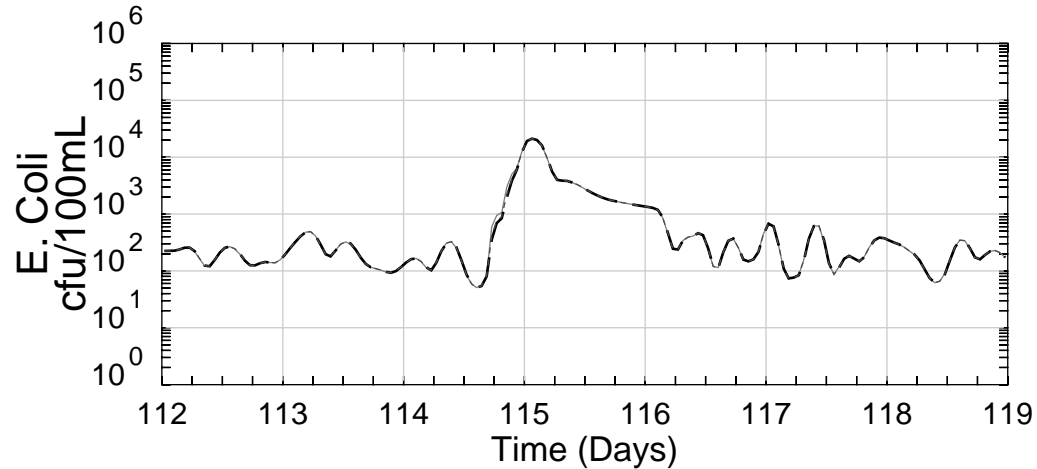
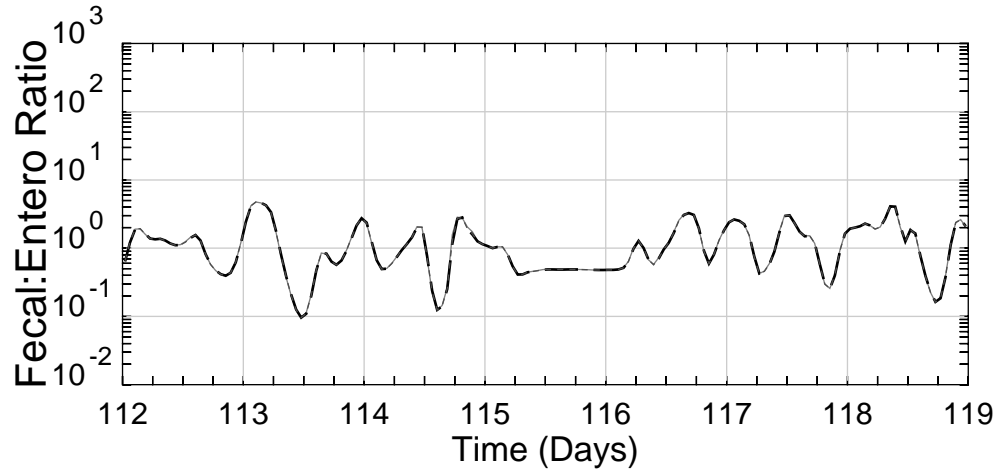
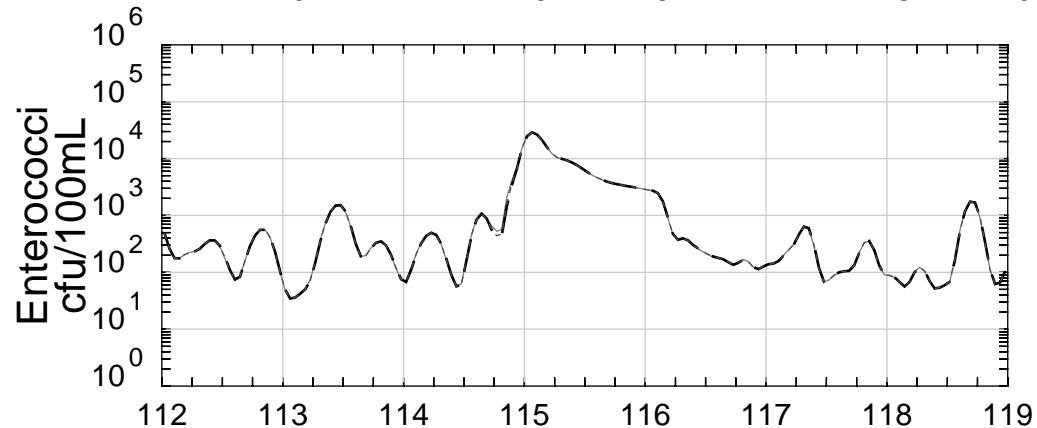
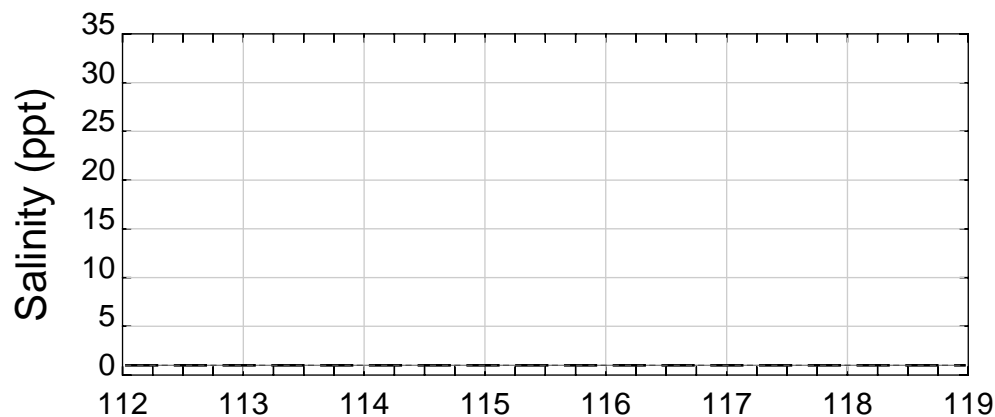
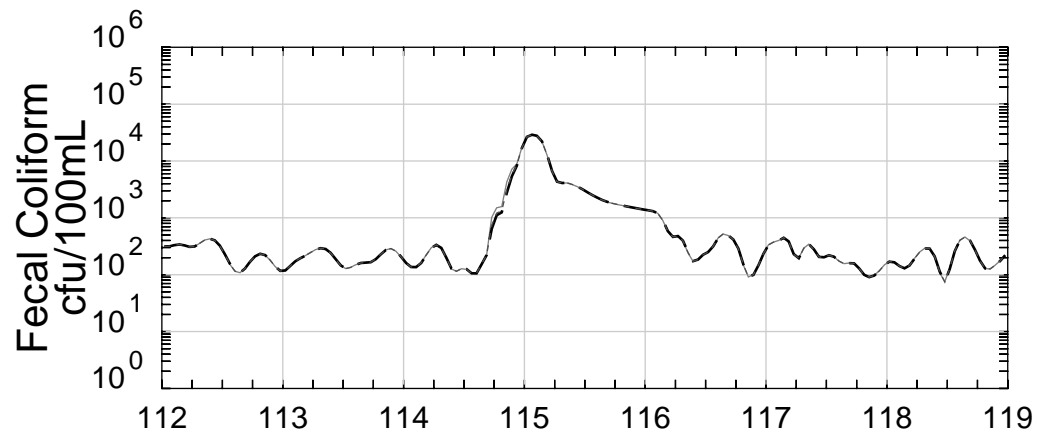
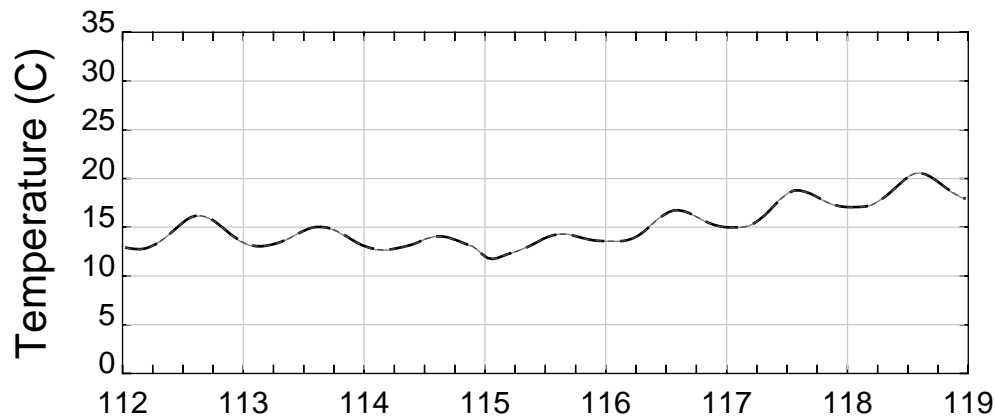
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom

- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

Station: 4 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)

FW2

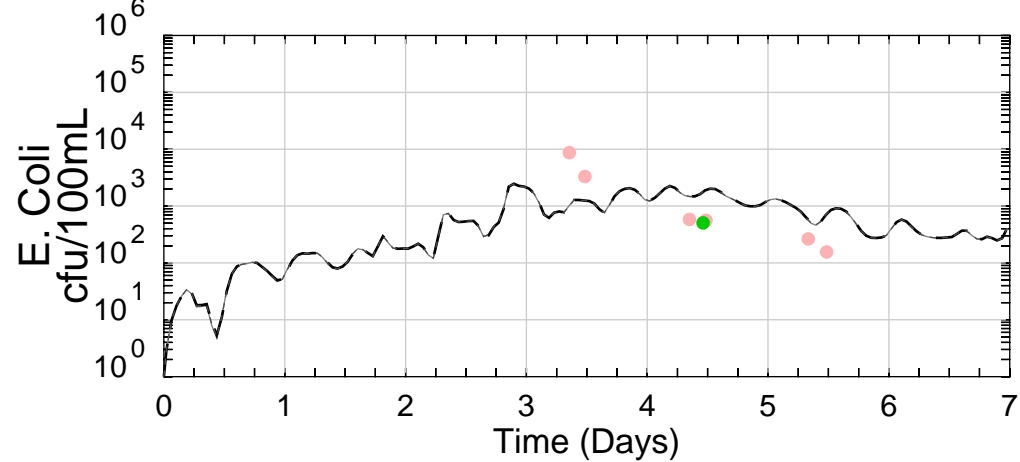
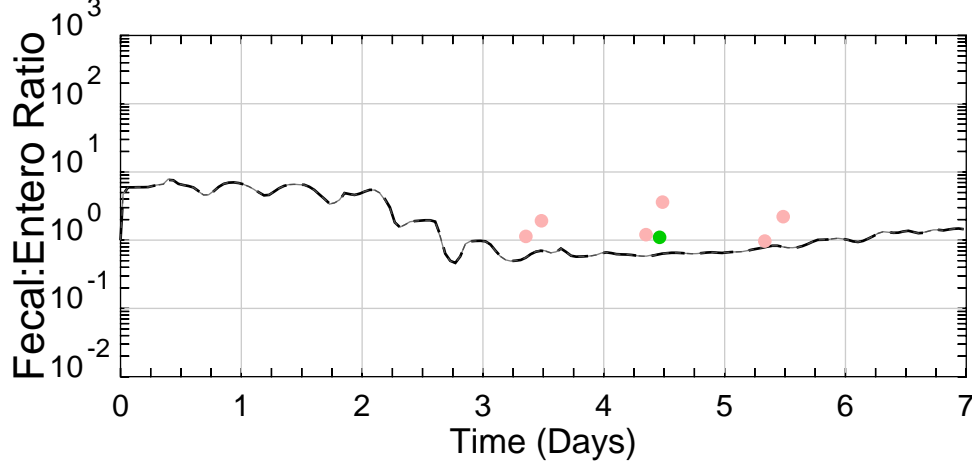
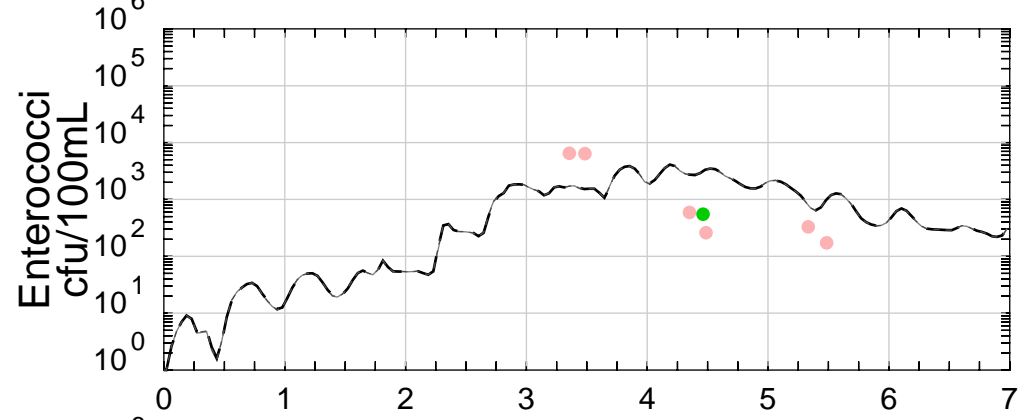
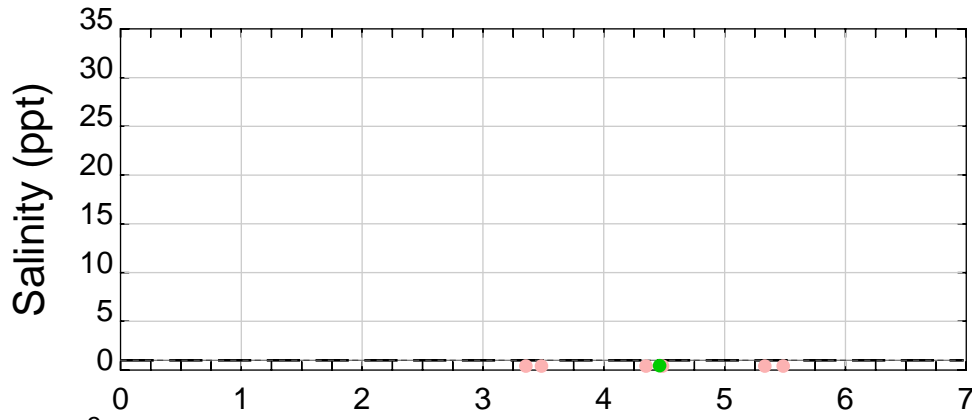
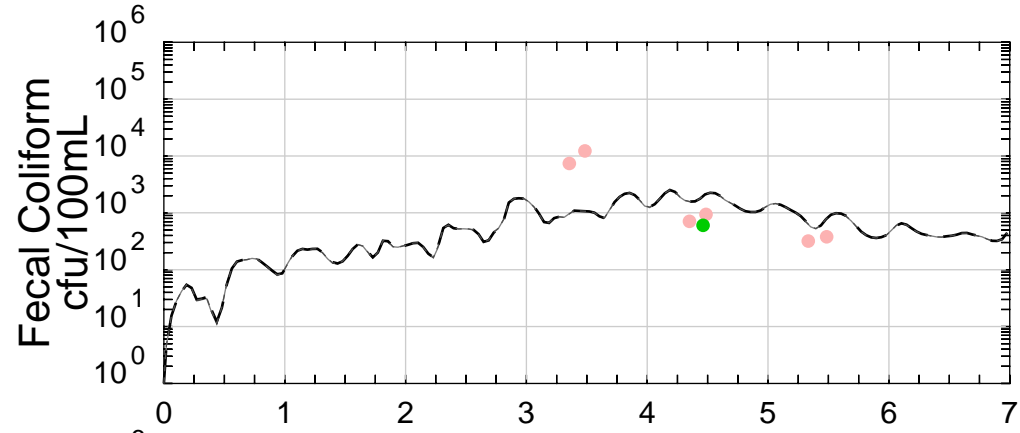
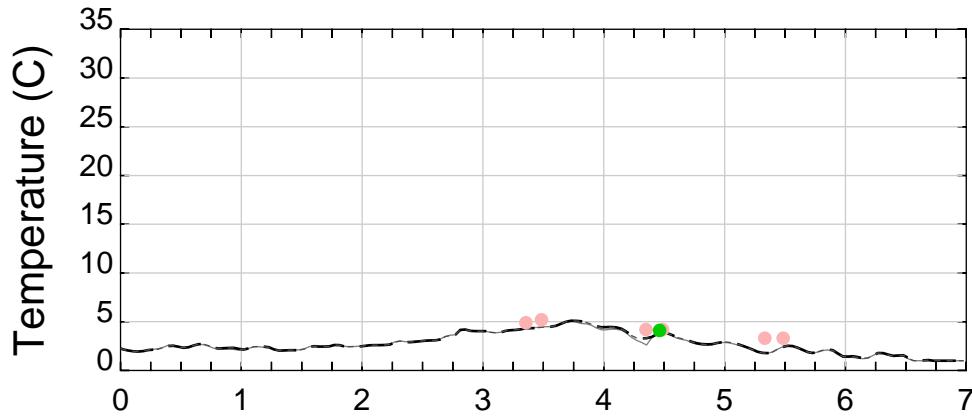


Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom

- ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 7 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

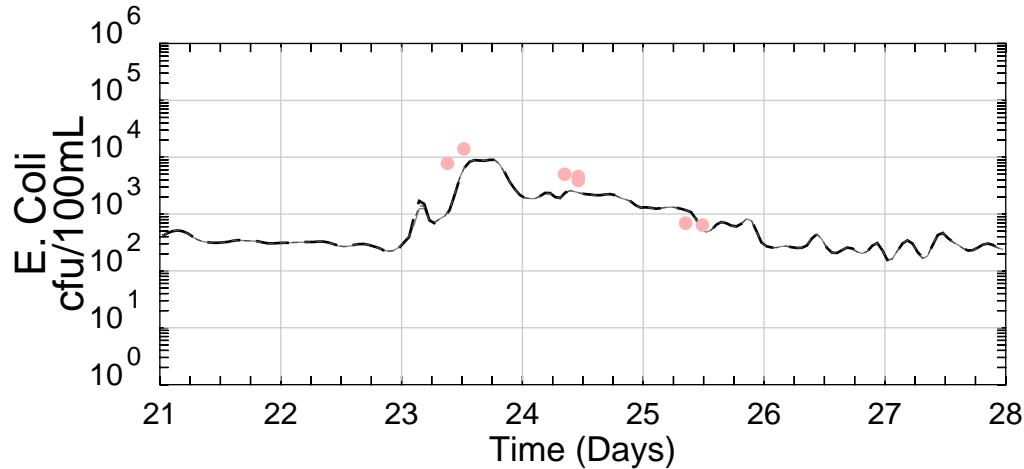
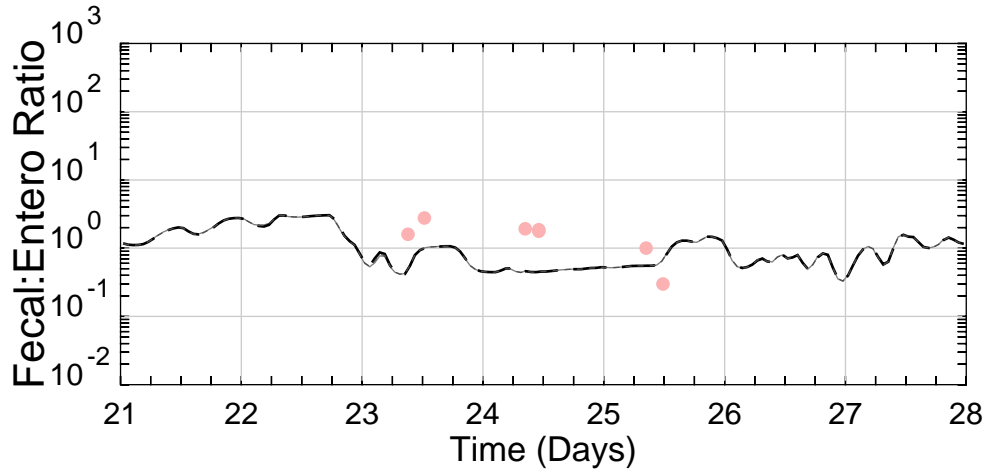
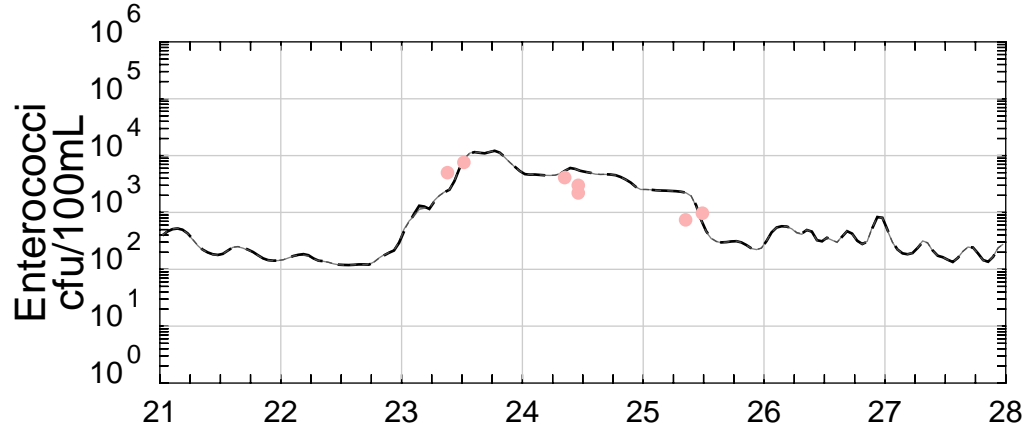
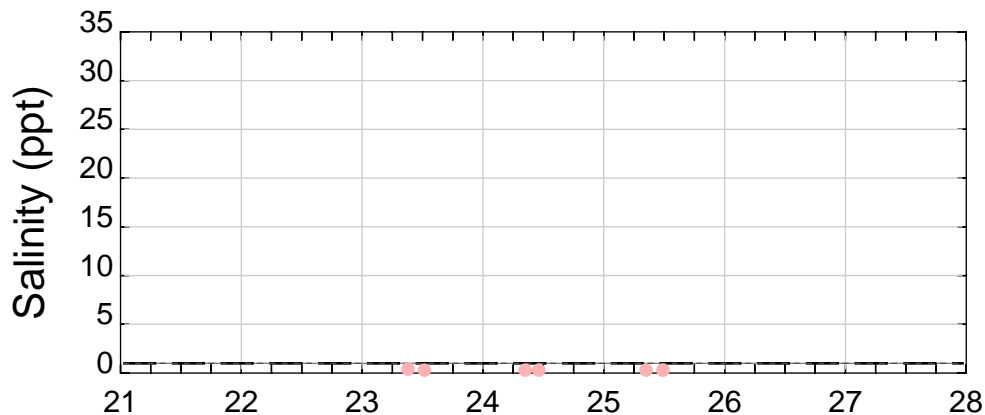
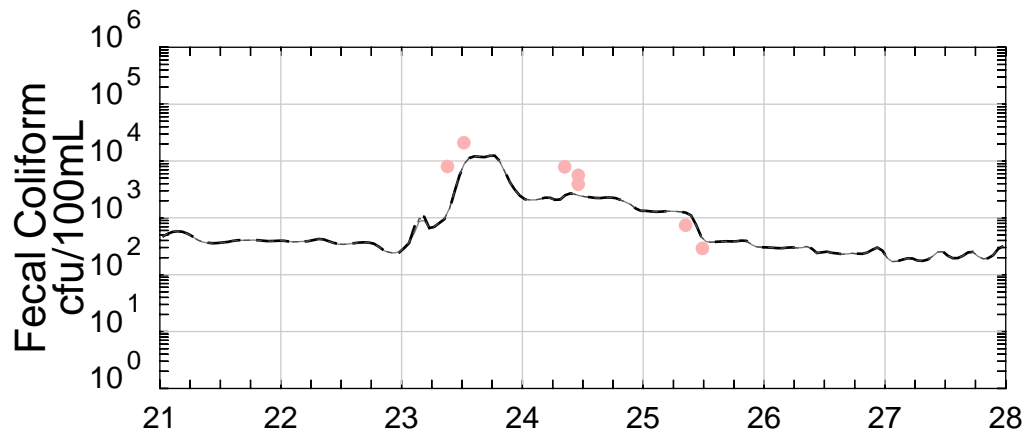
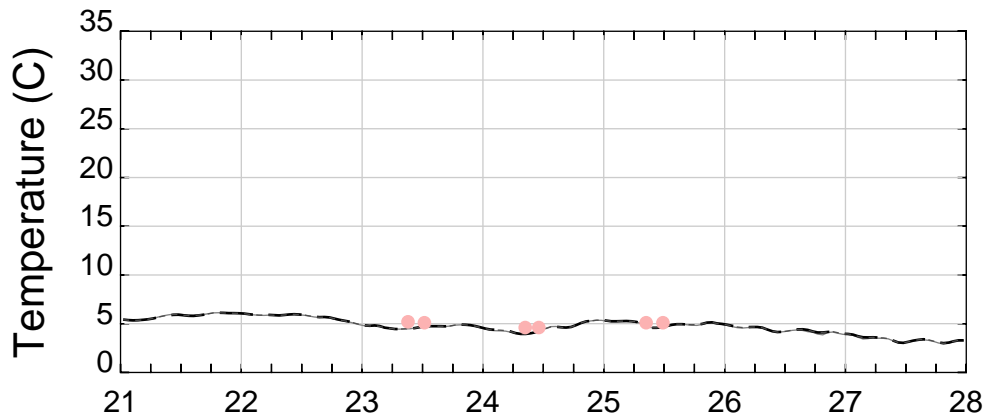
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - . - Model at Bottom

● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

Station: 7 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)

FW2/SE2



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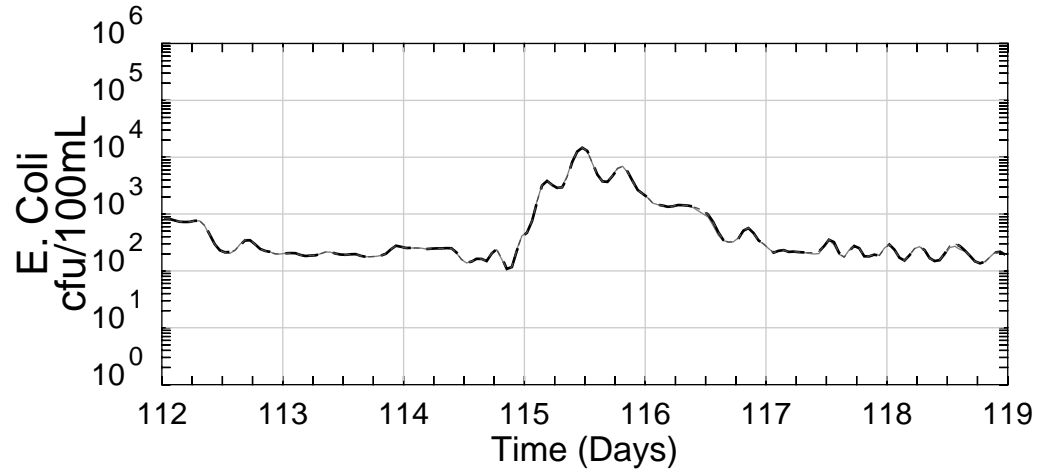
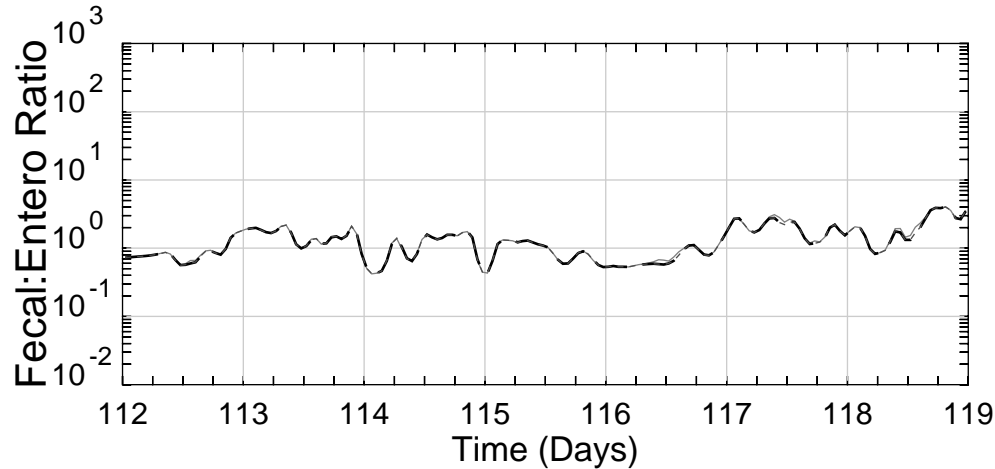
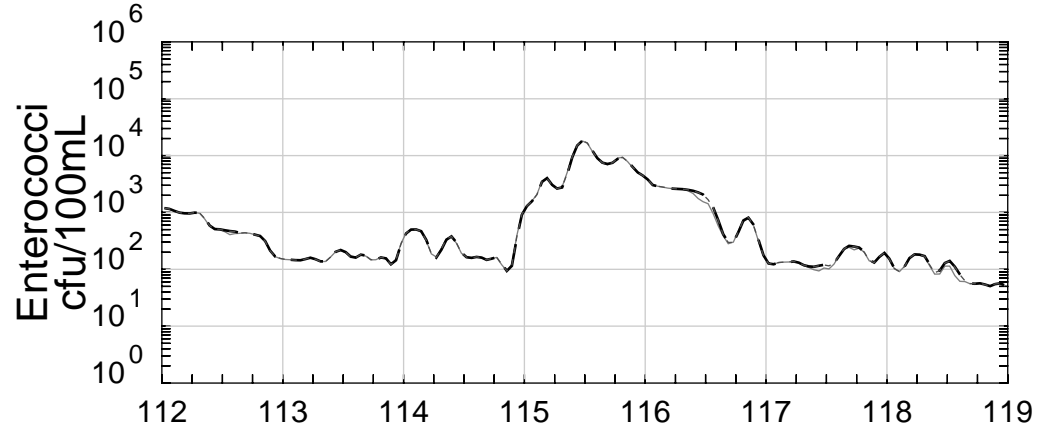
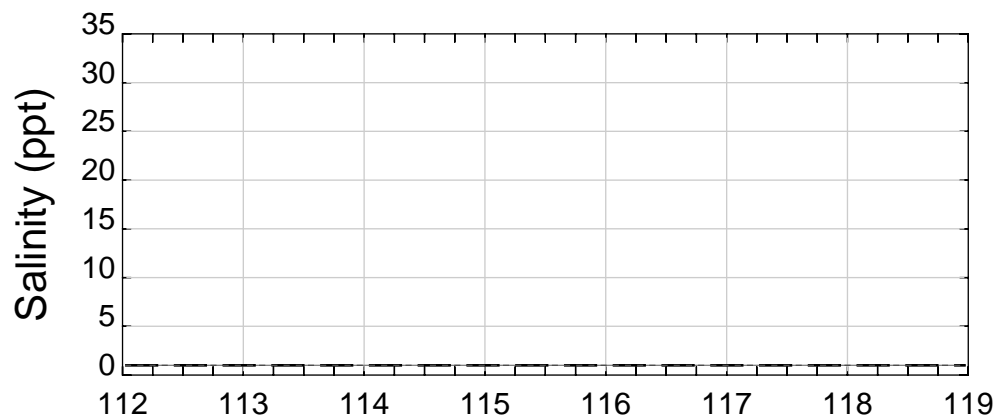
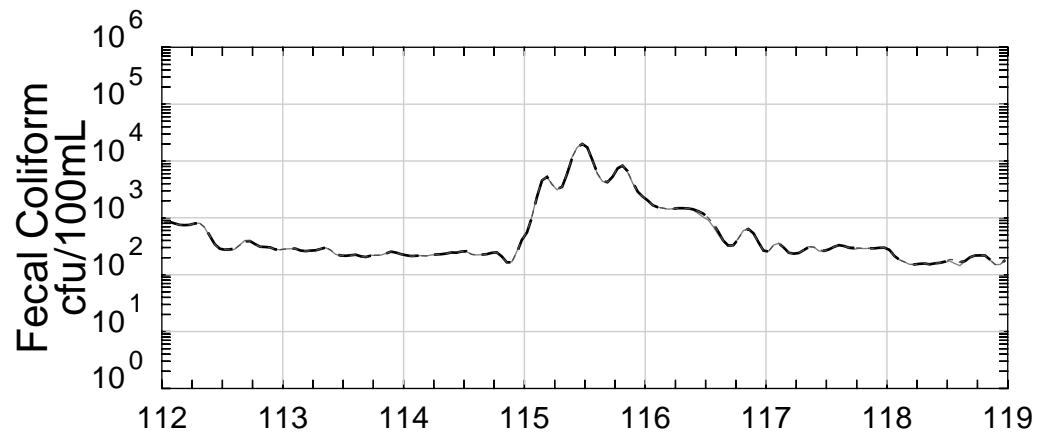
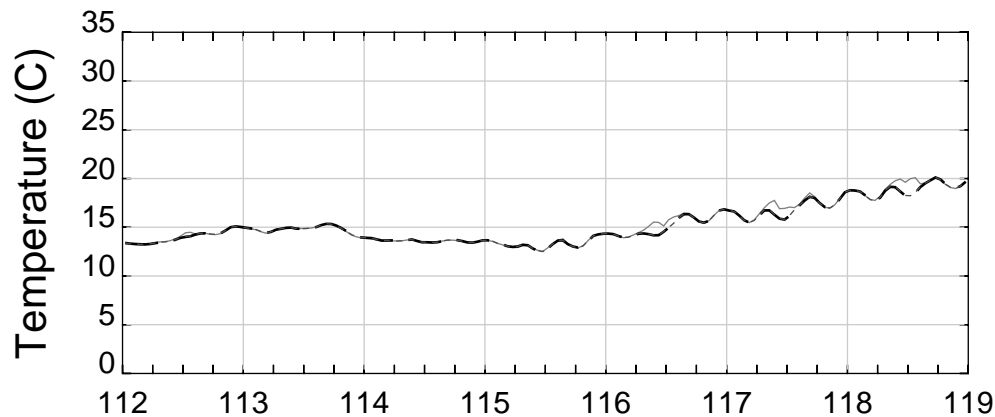
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom

- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

Station: 7 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)

FW2/SE2



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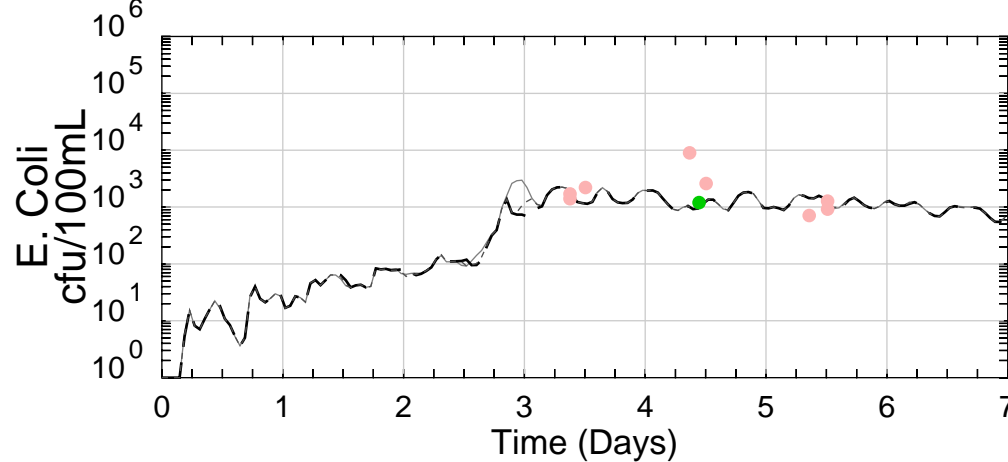
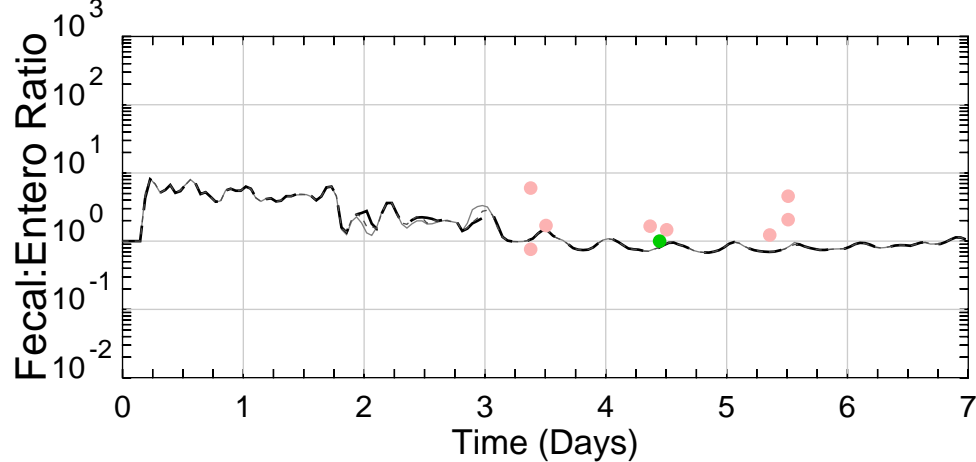
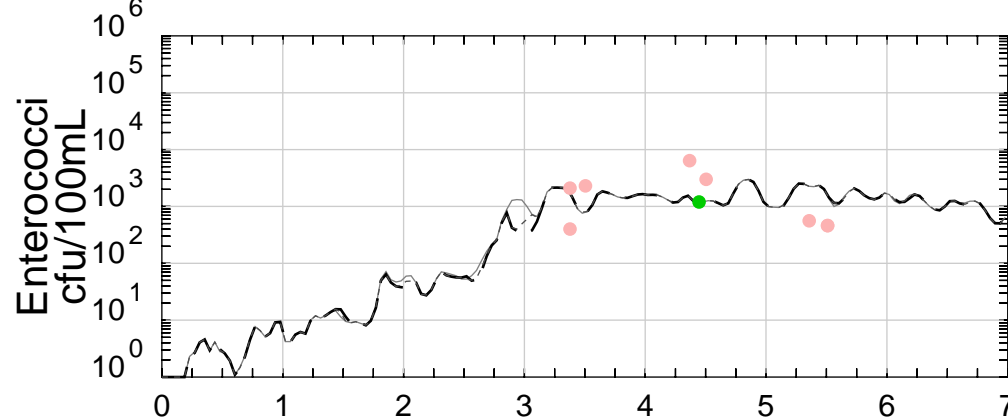
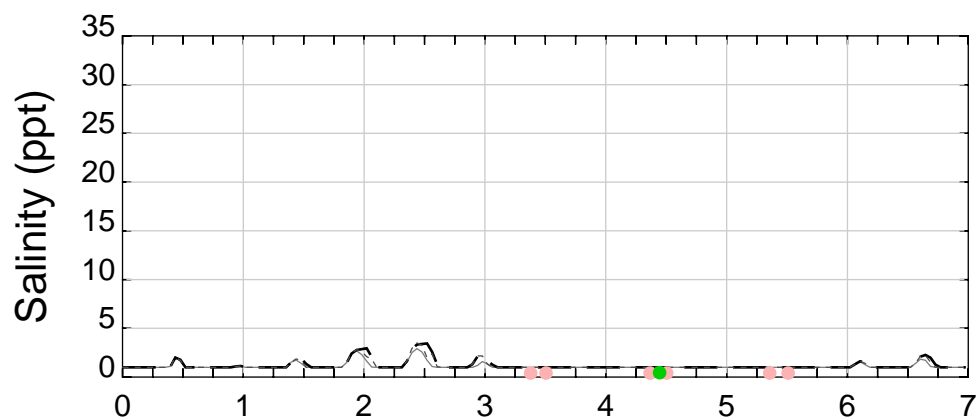
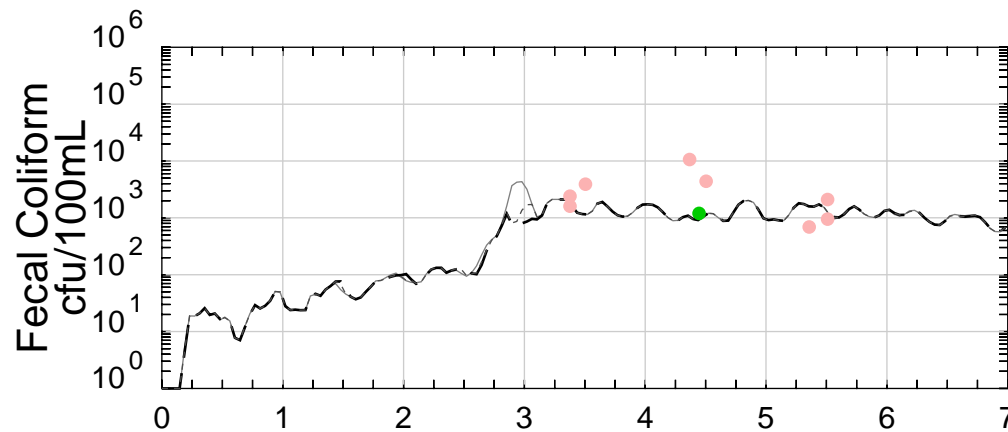
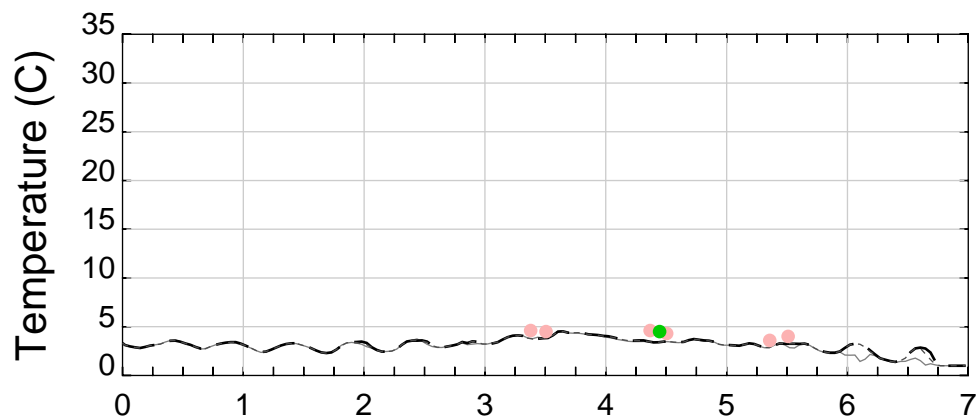
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom

- ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
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# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

## FW2/SE2

### Station: 8 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



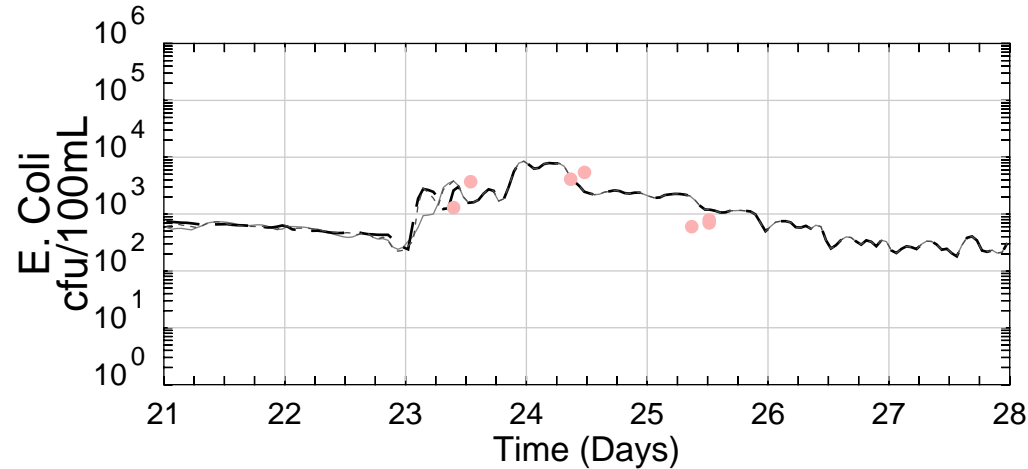
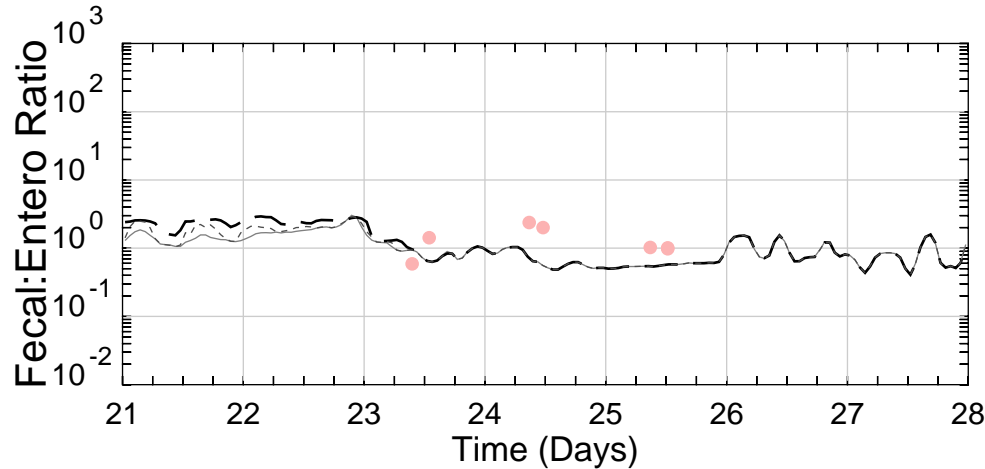
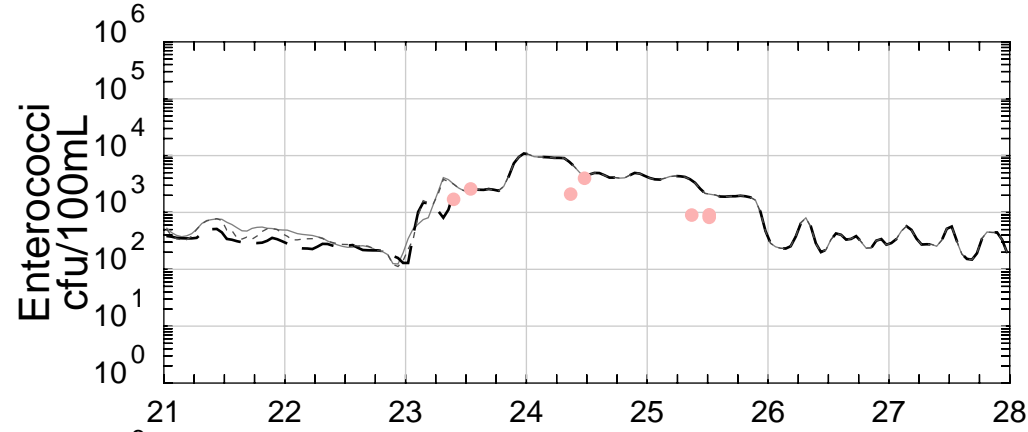
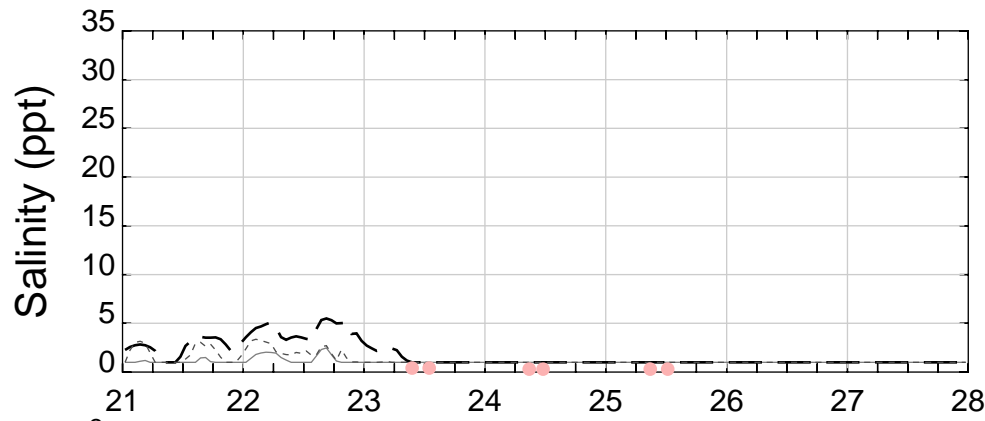
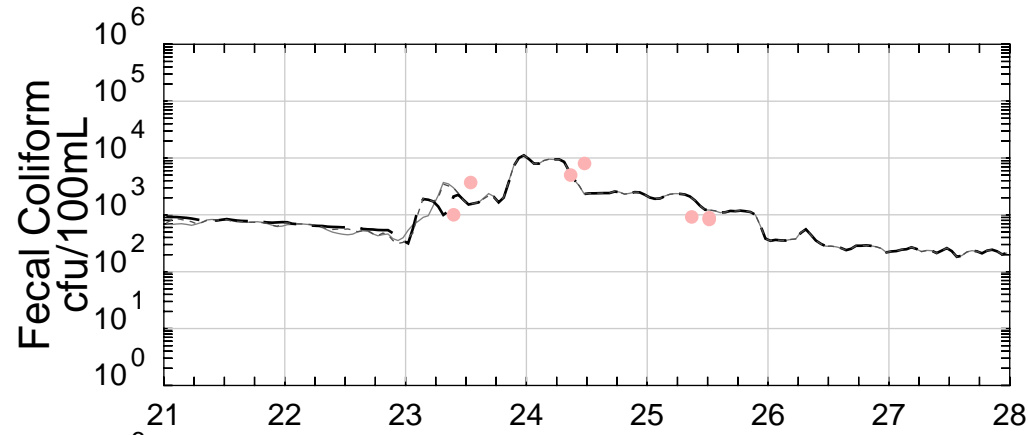
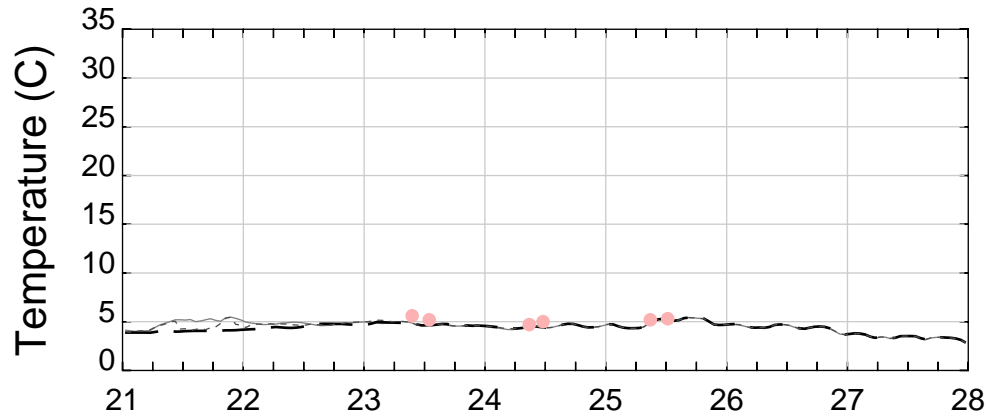
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Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
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 - - - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



Station: 8 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)

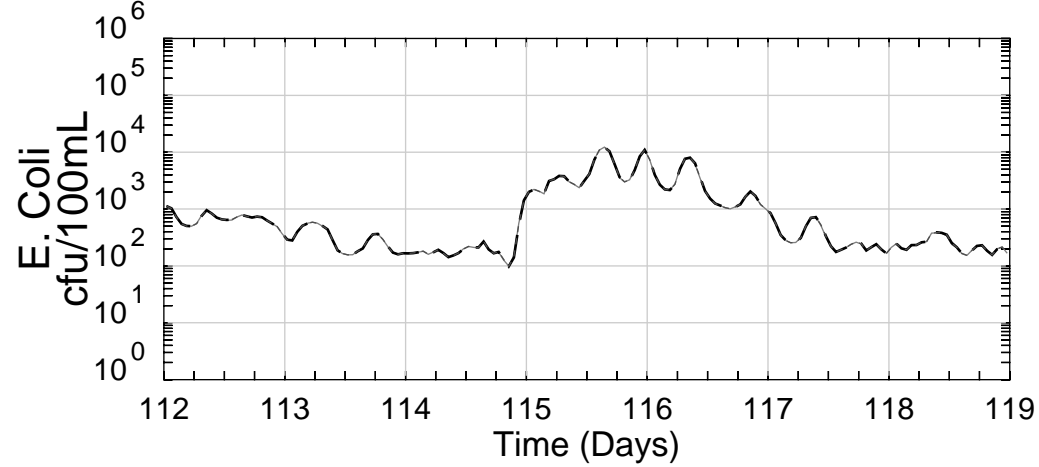
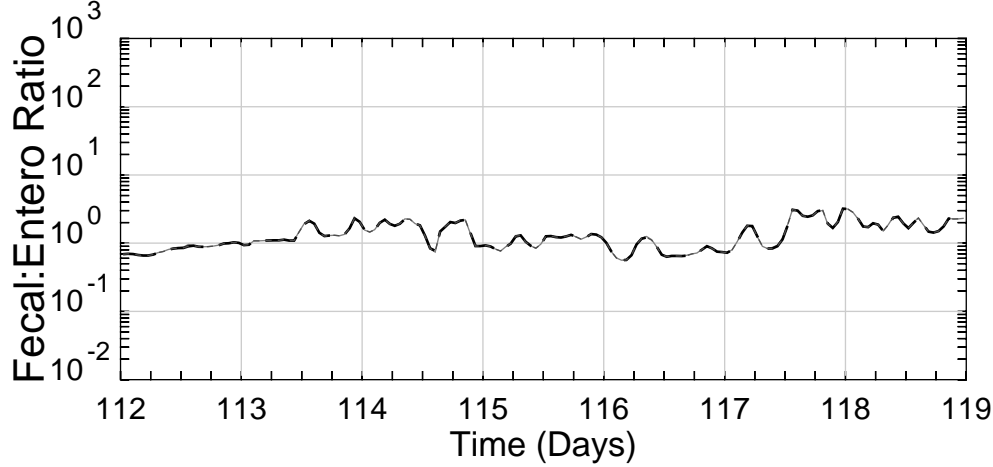
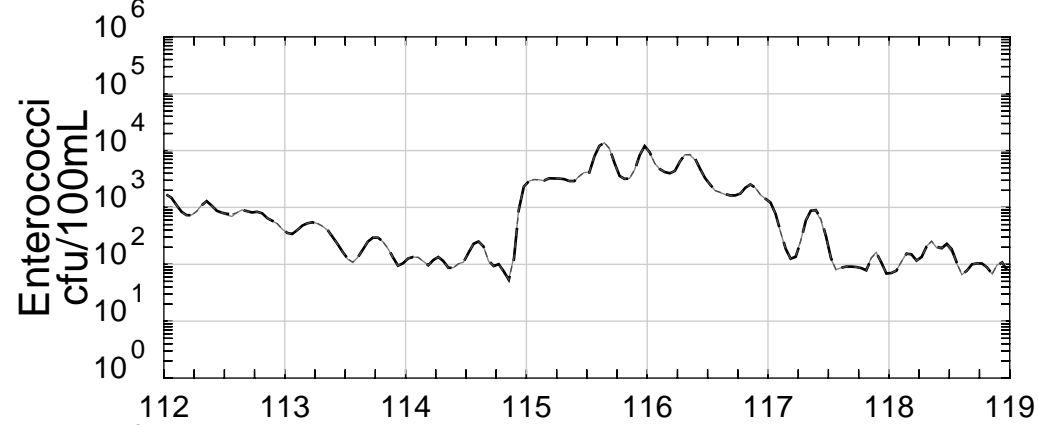
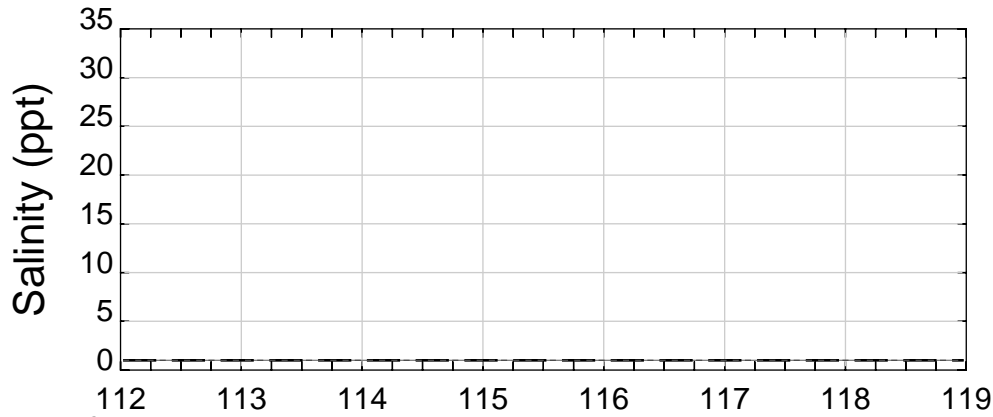
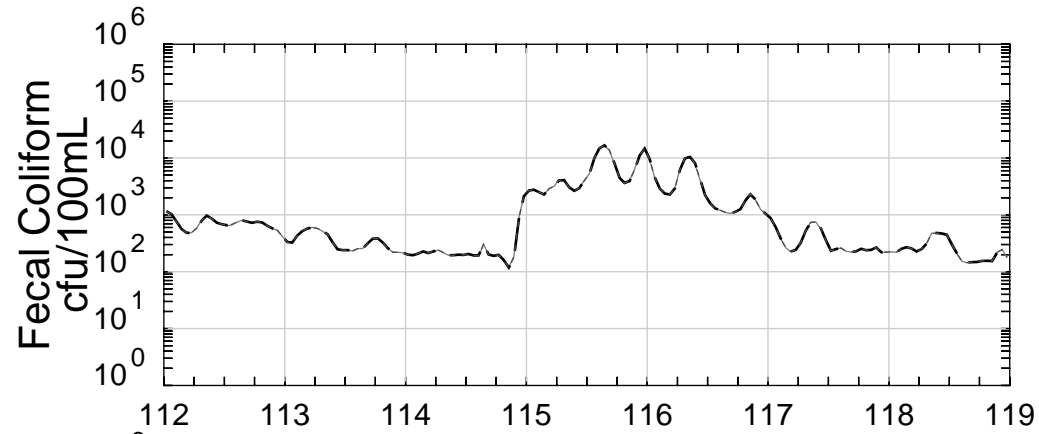
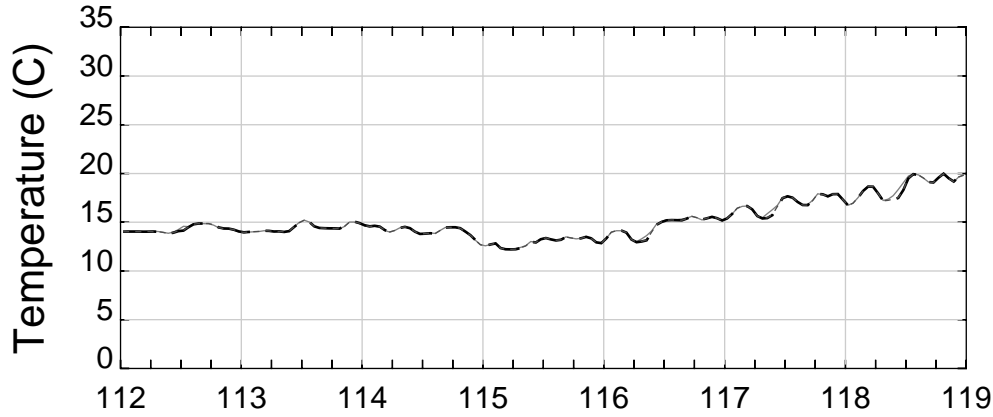


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- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 8 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



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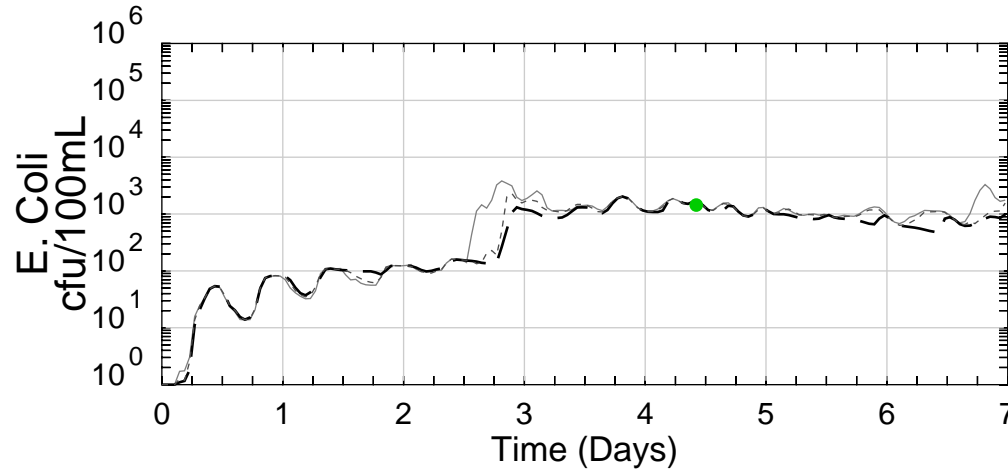
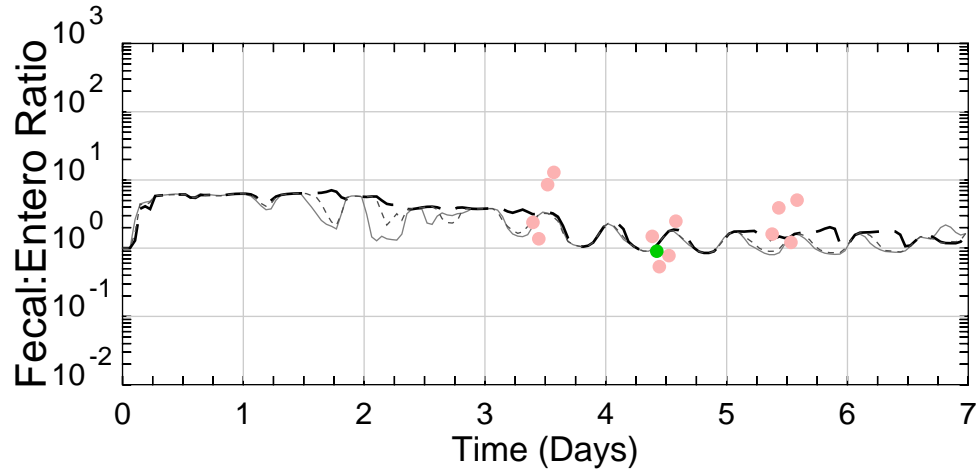
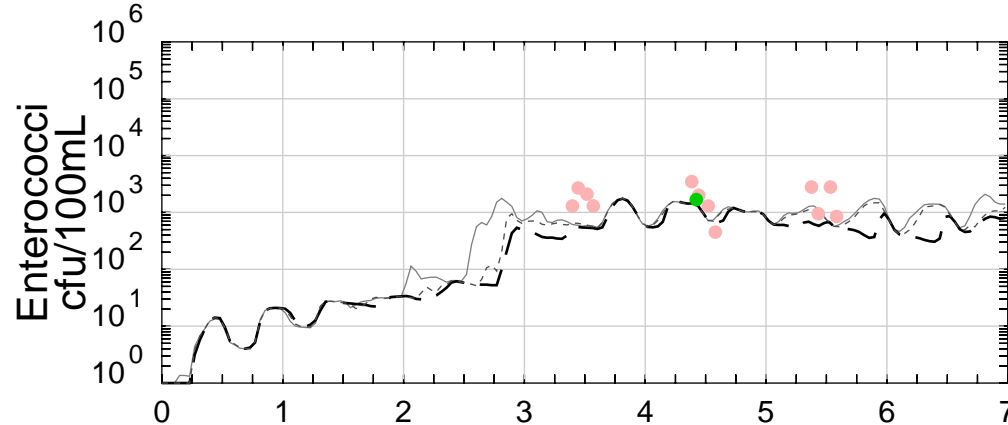
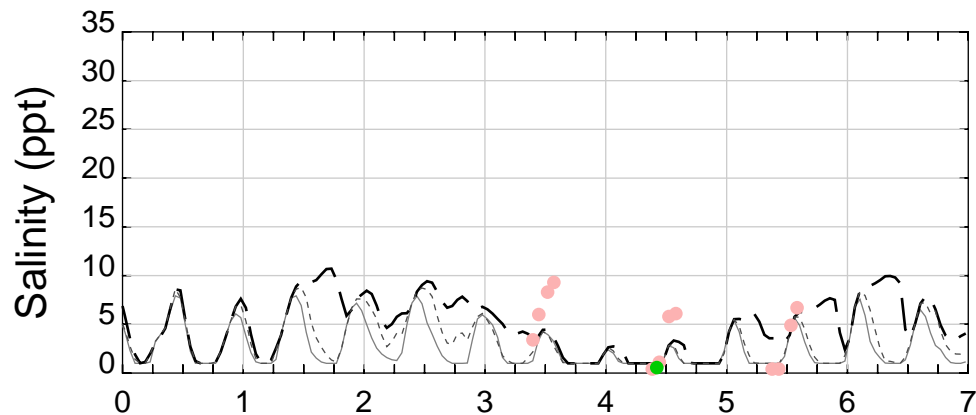
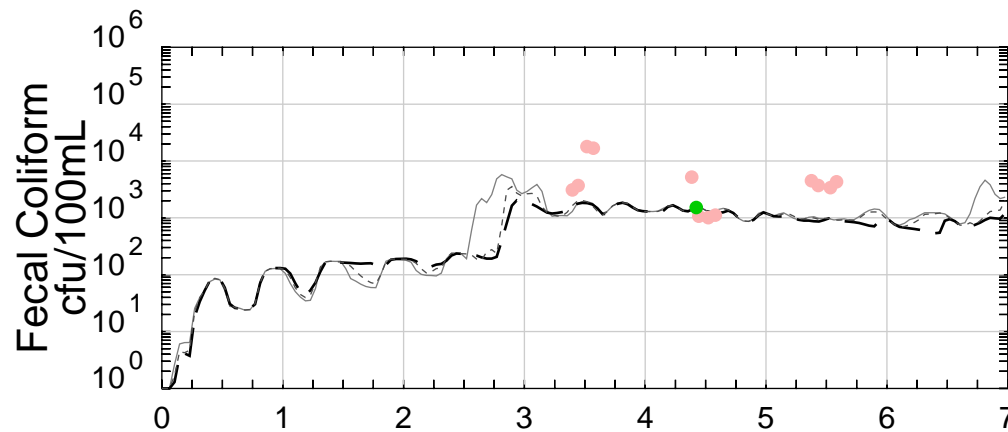
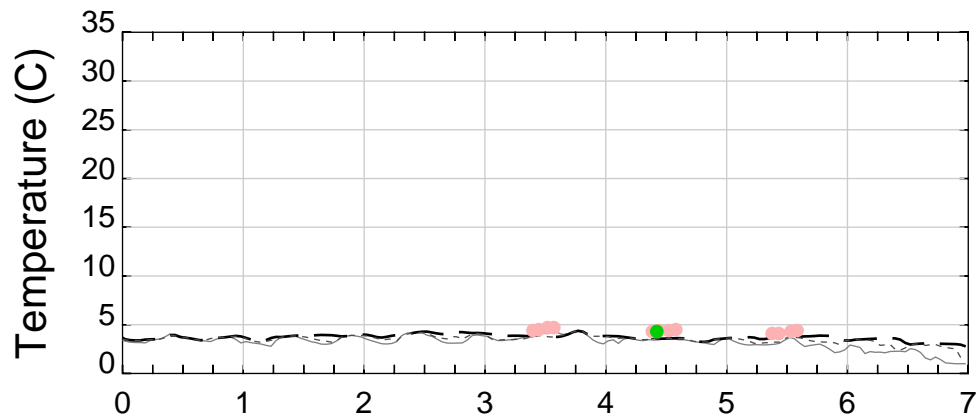
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● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

SE3

Station: 10 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



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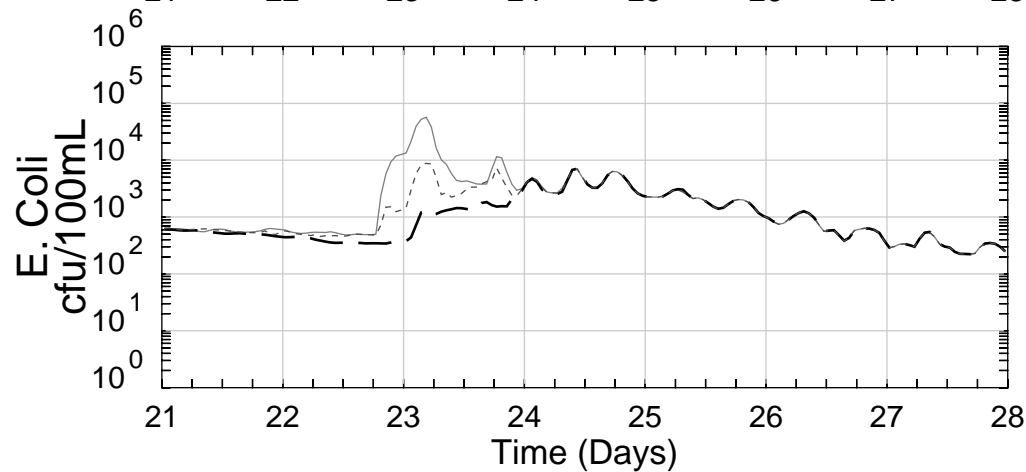
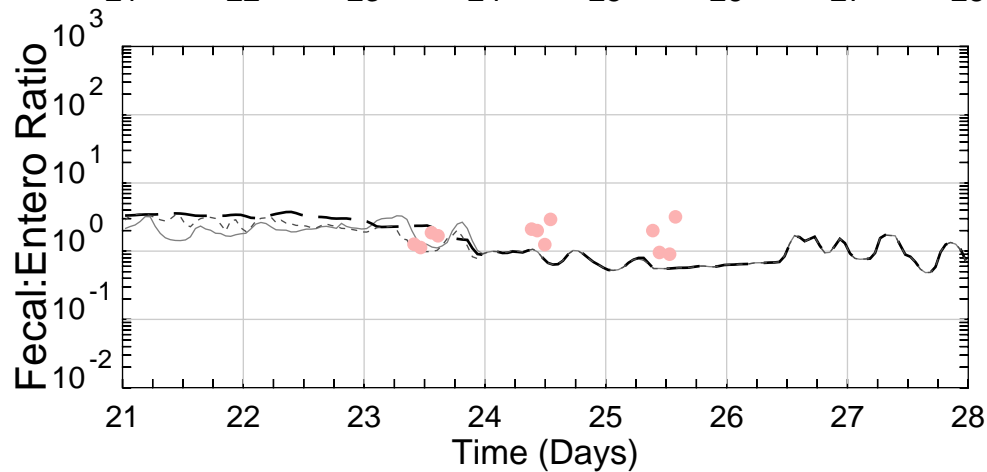
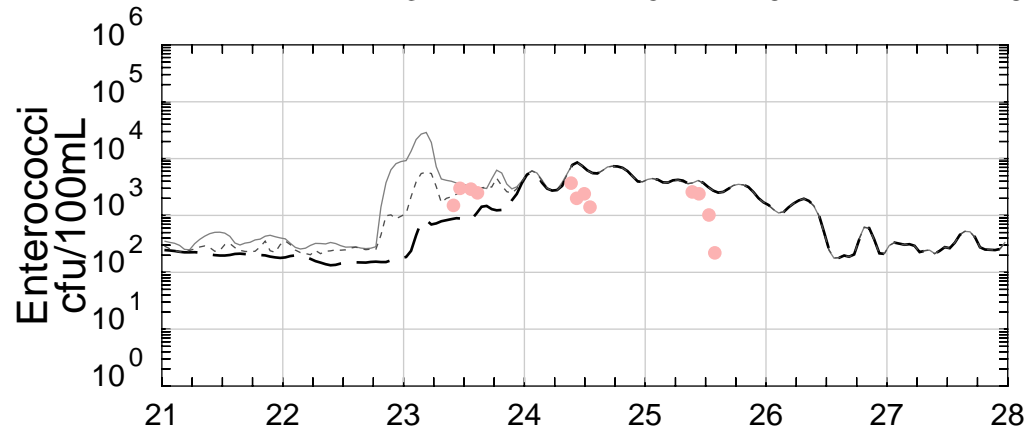
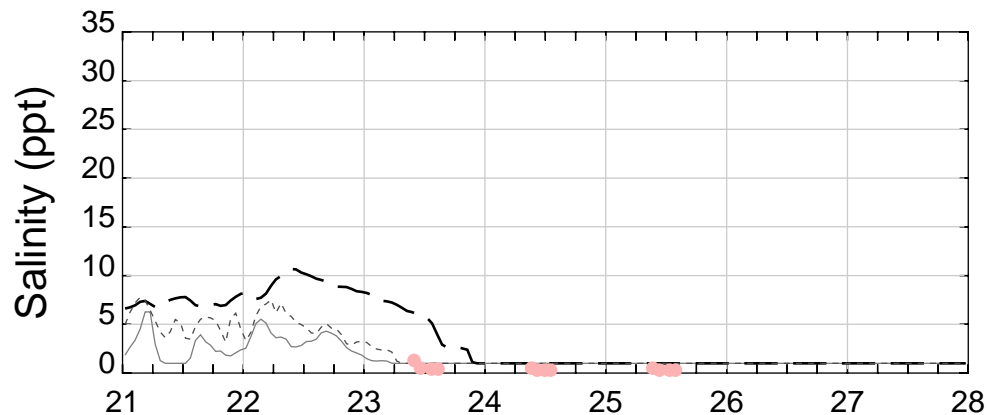
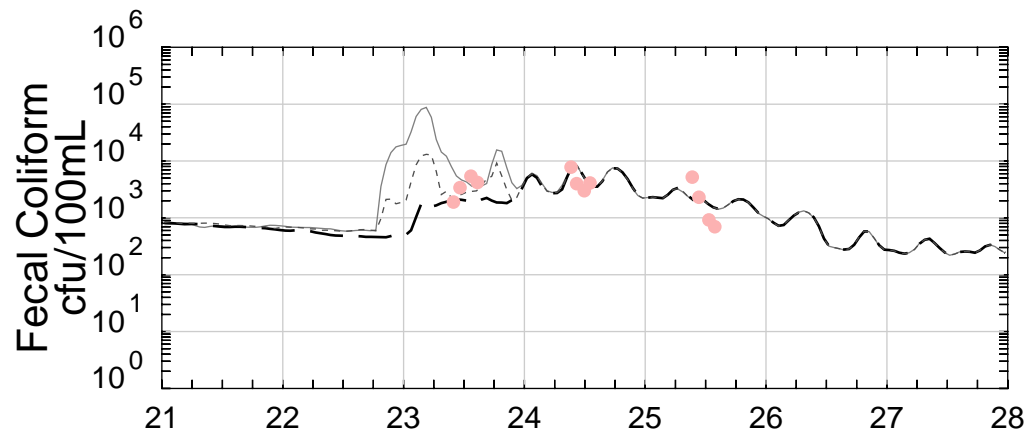
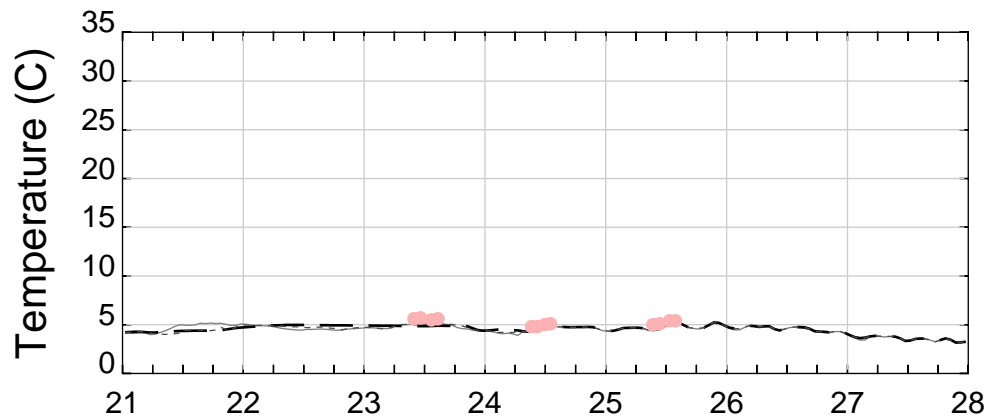
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

SE3

Station: 10 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)

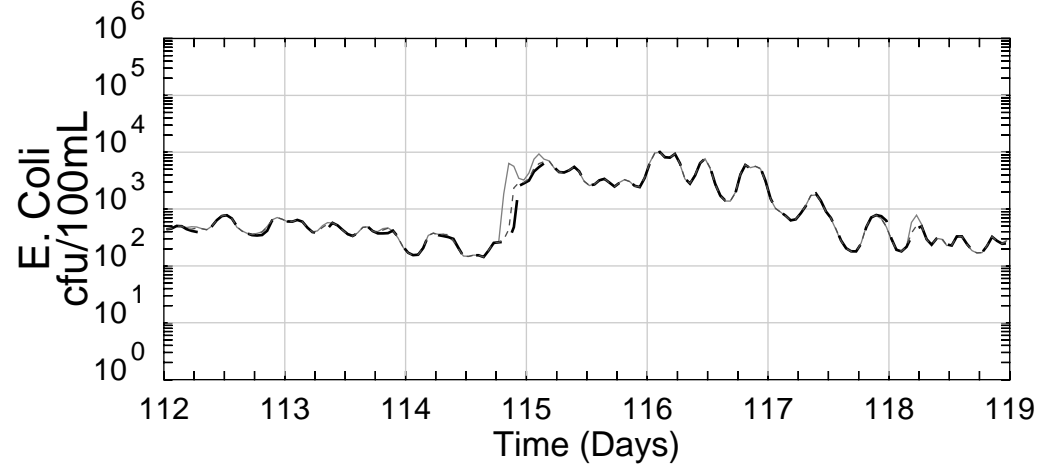
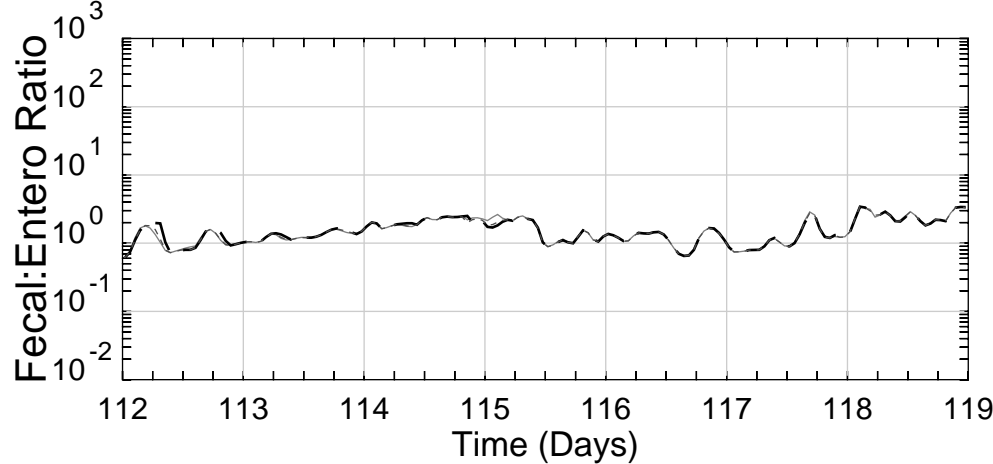
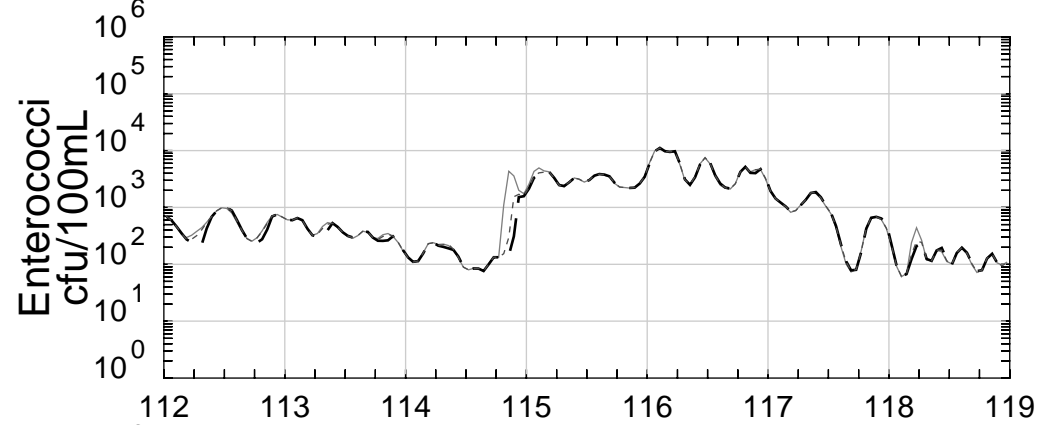
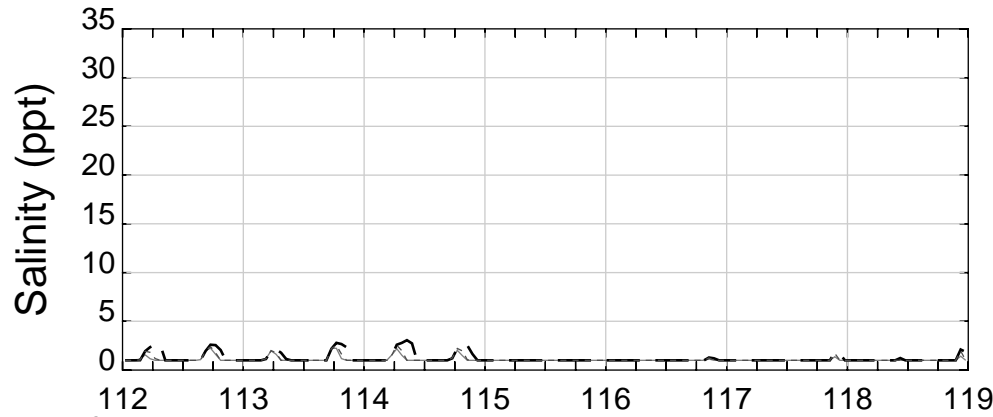
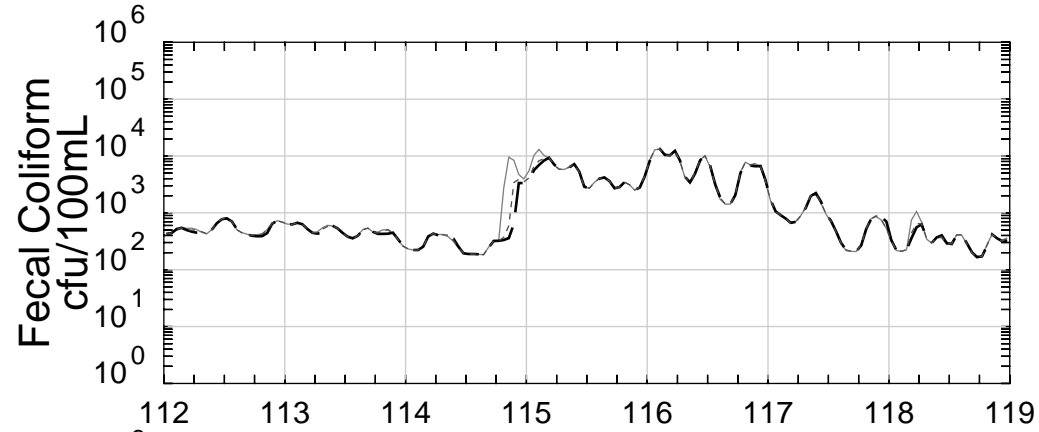
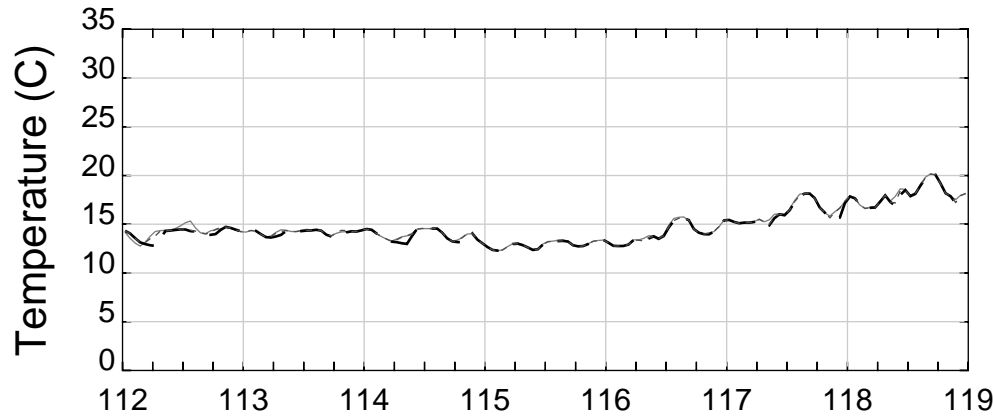


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- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 10 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



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 Data = 2017

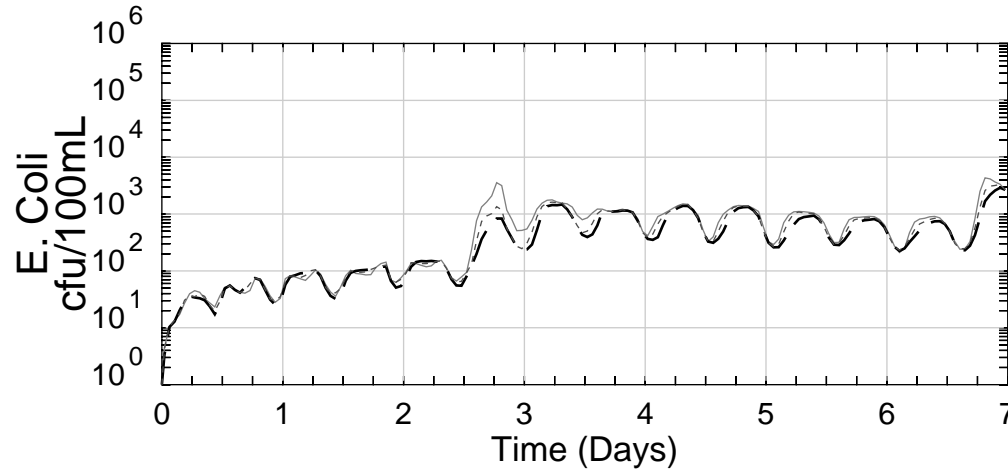
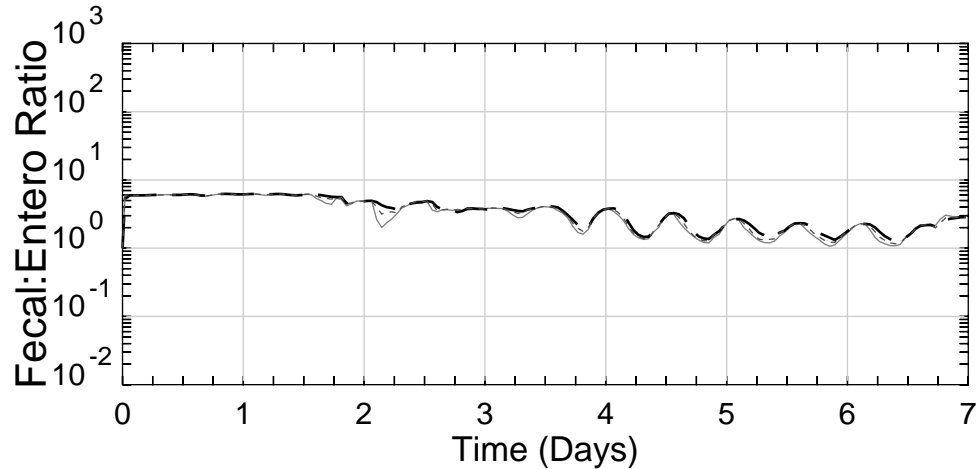
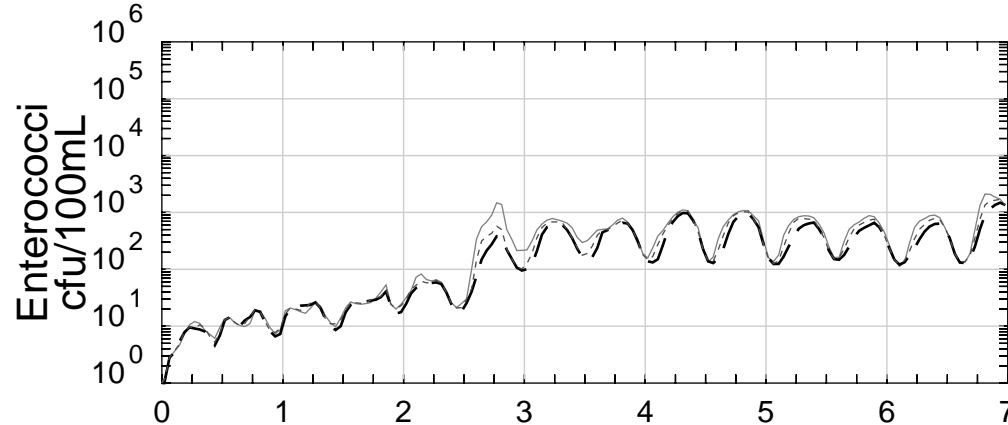
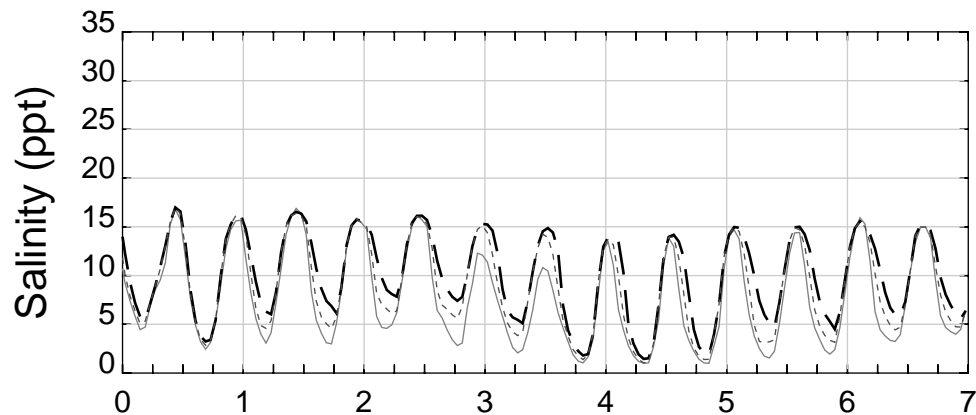
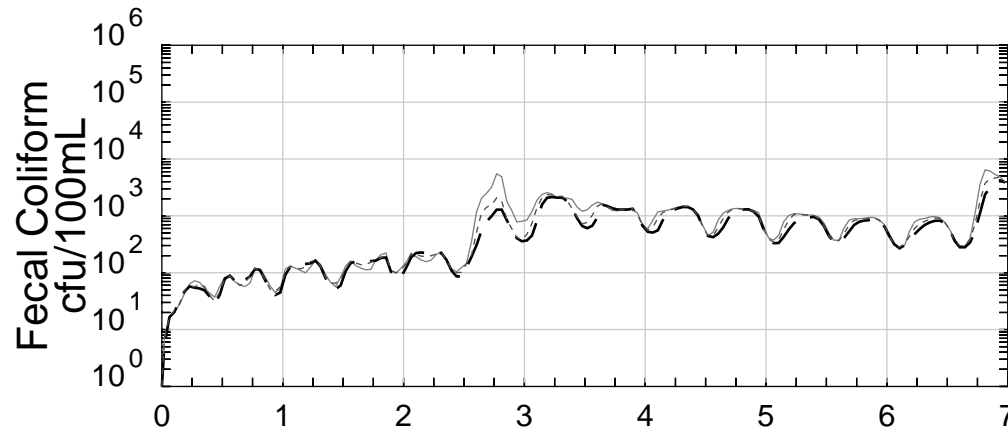
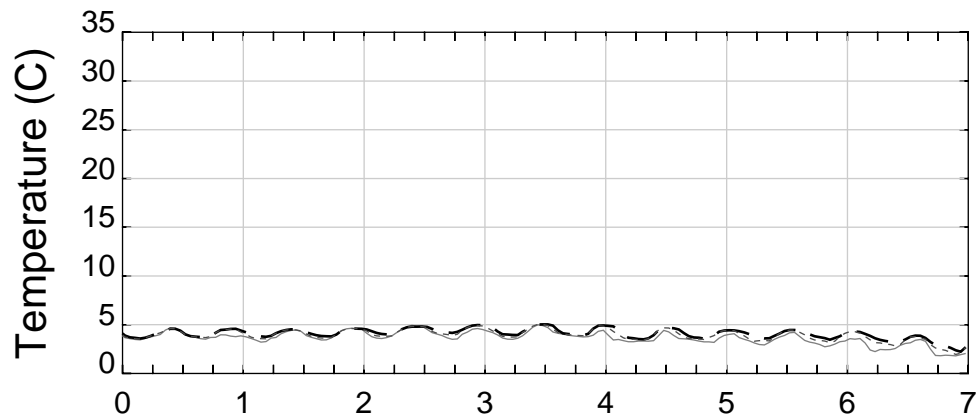
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● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

SE3

Station: B6 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



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 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

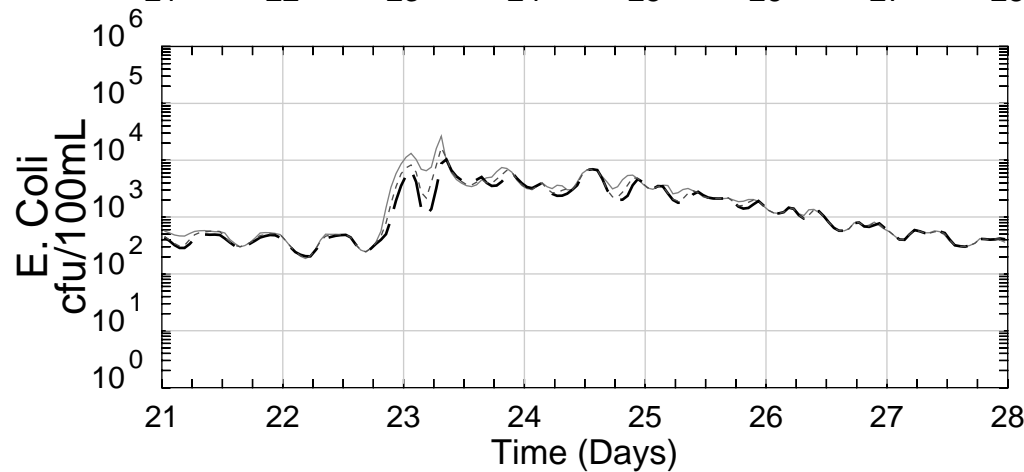
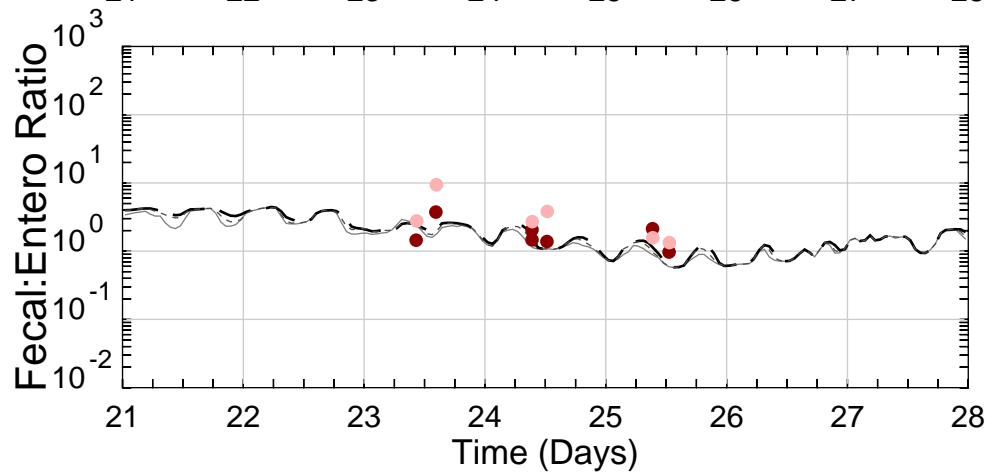
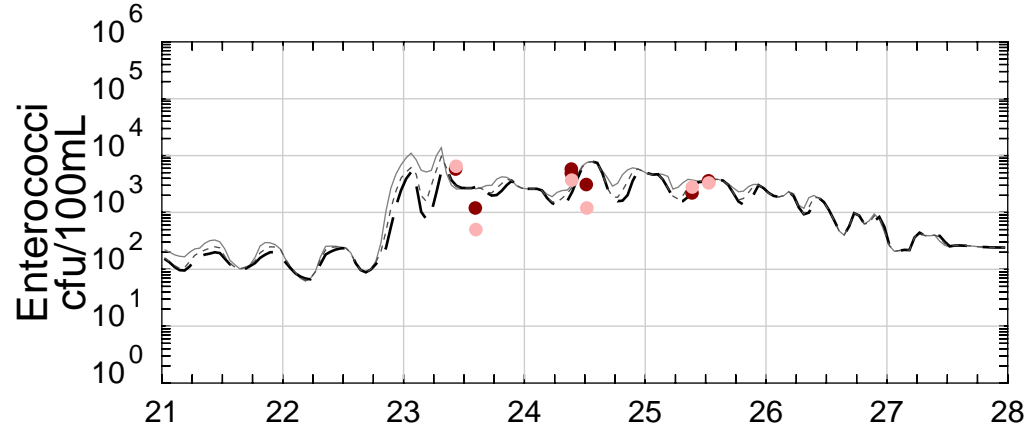
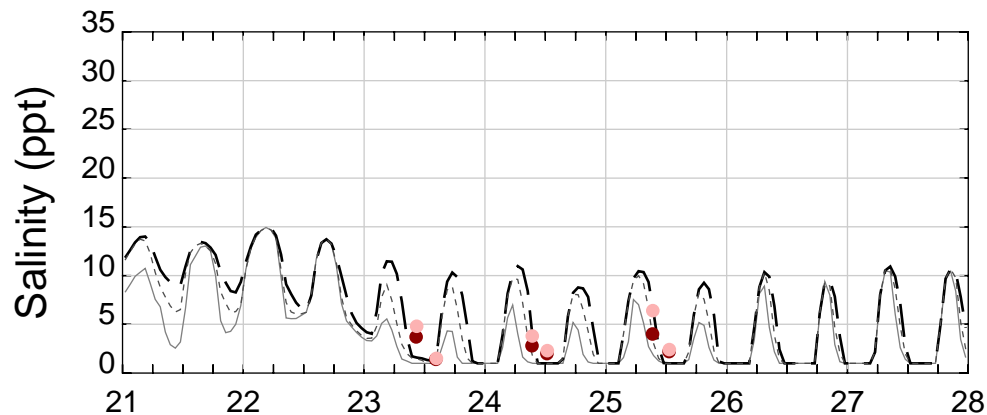
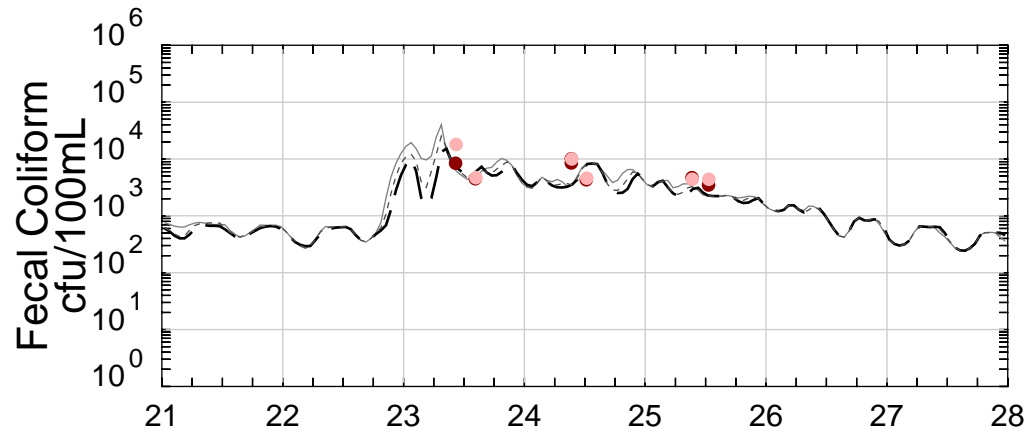
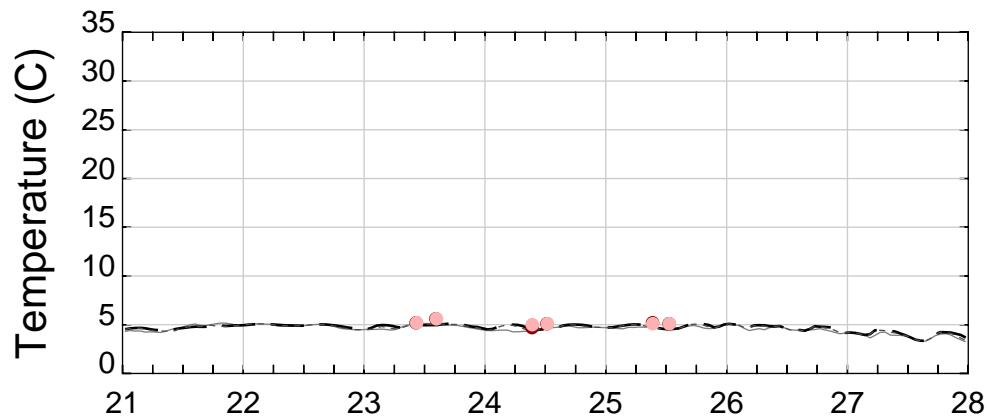
● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
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# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

SE3

Station: B6 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)



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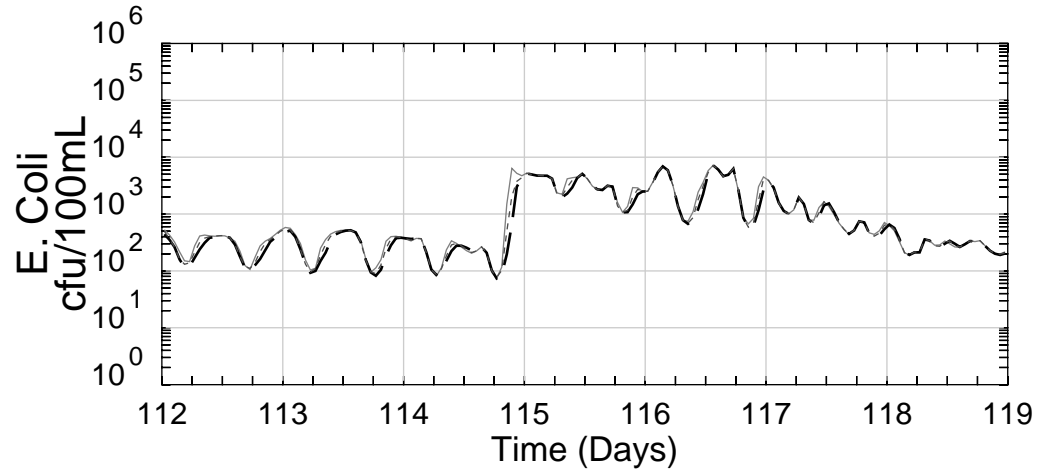
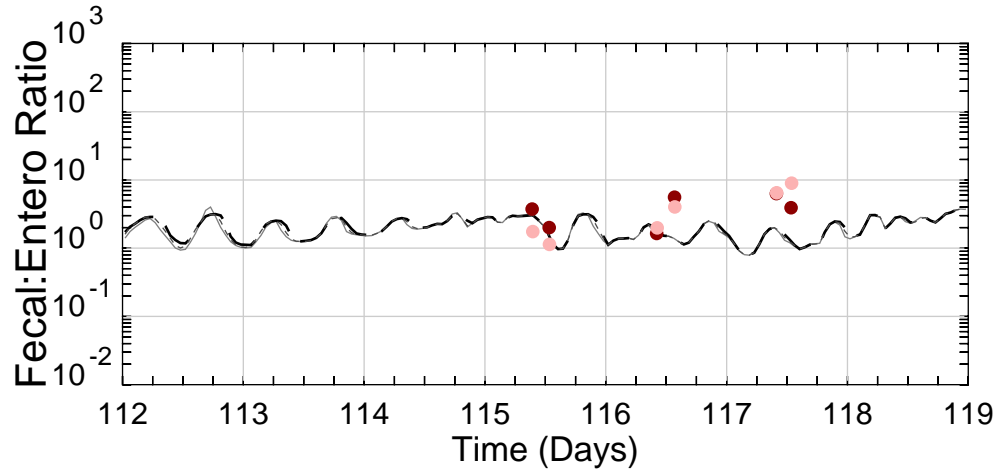
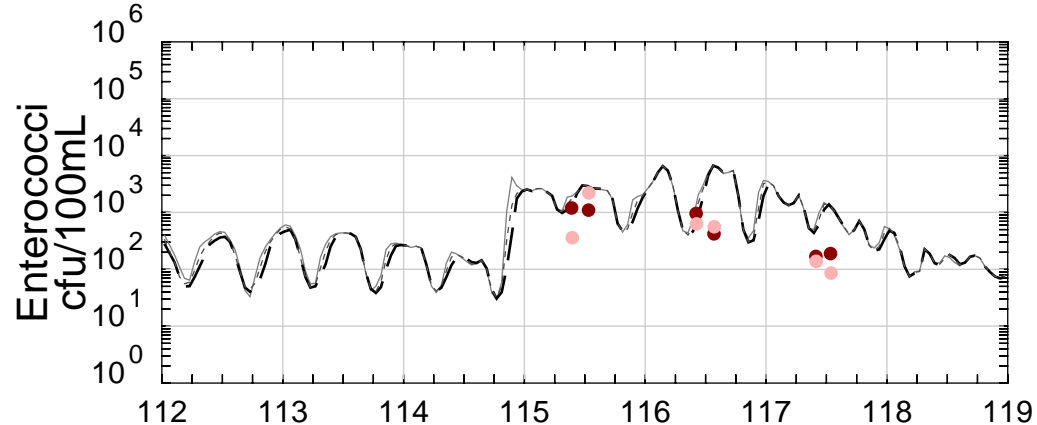
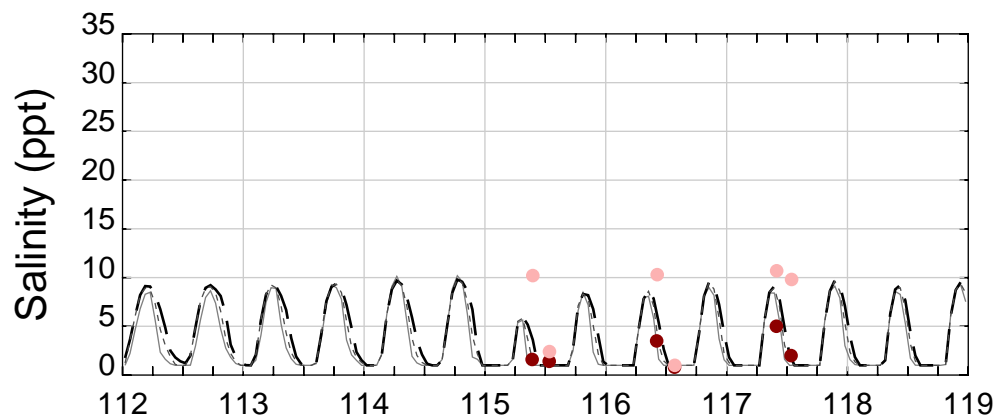
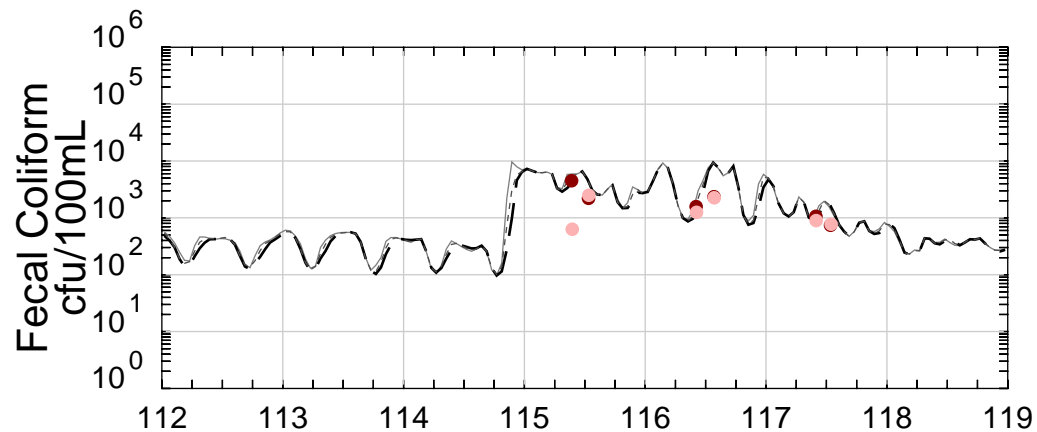
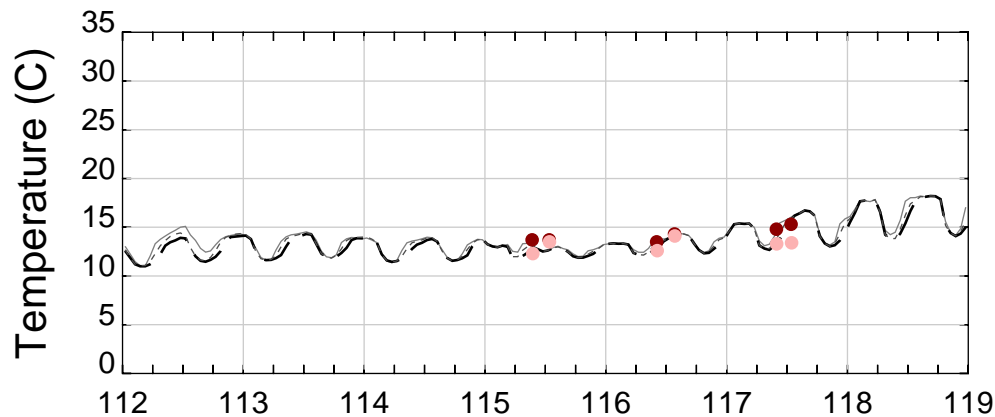
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● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

SE3

Station: B6 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



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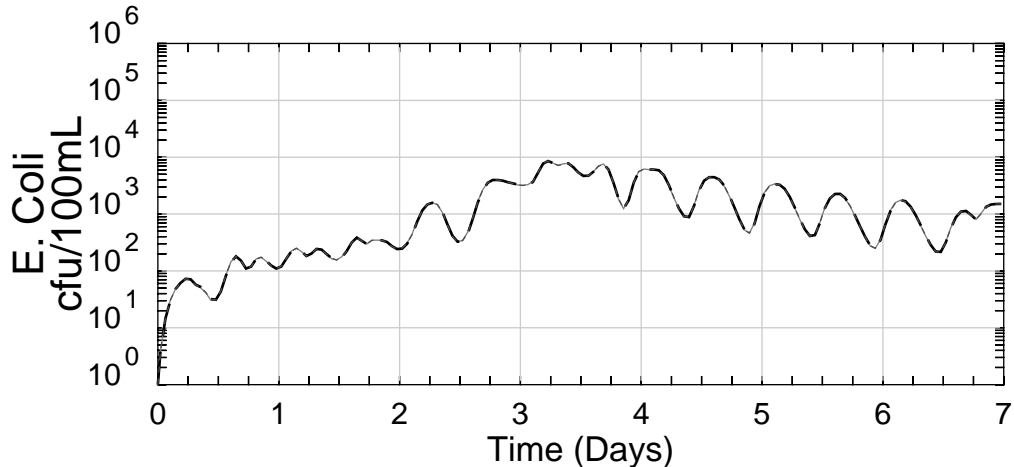
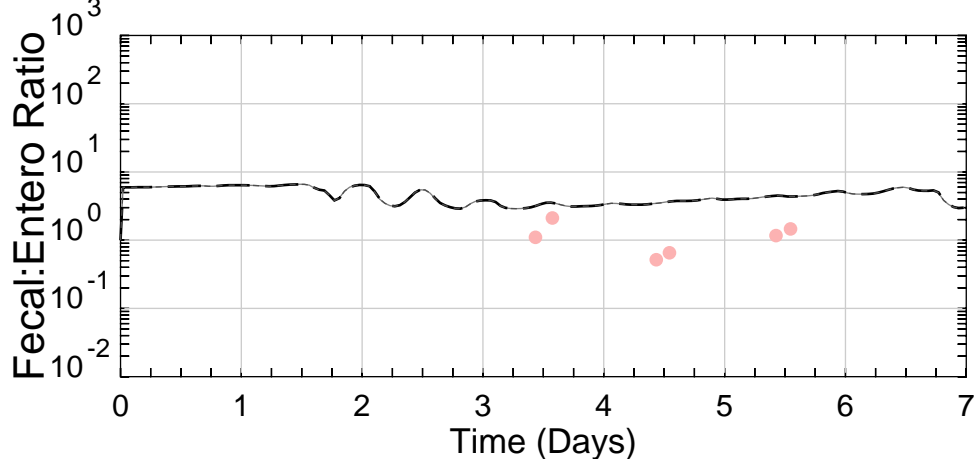
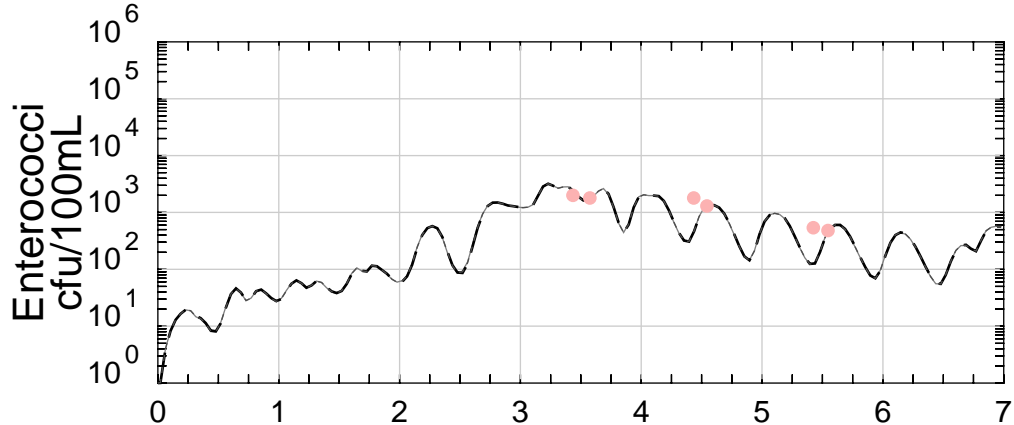
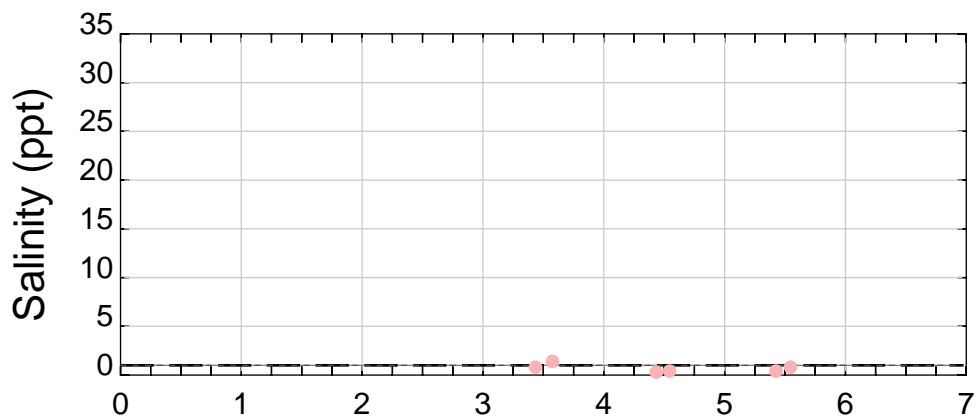
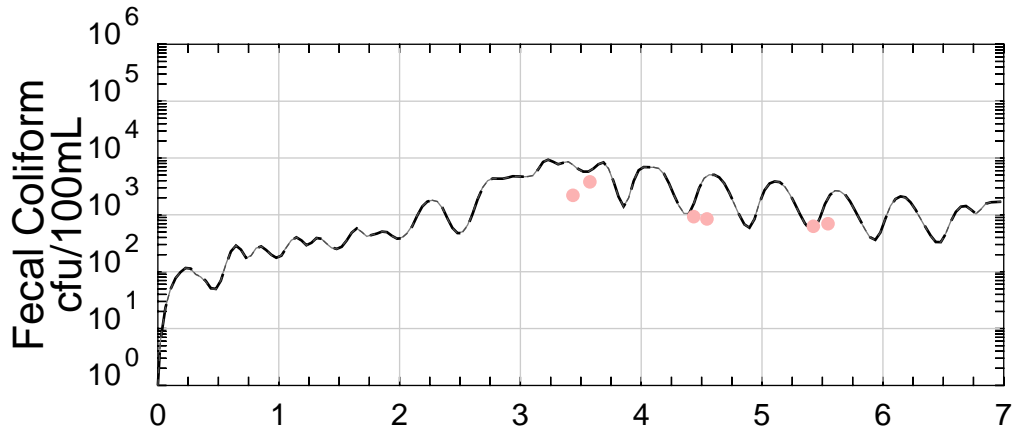
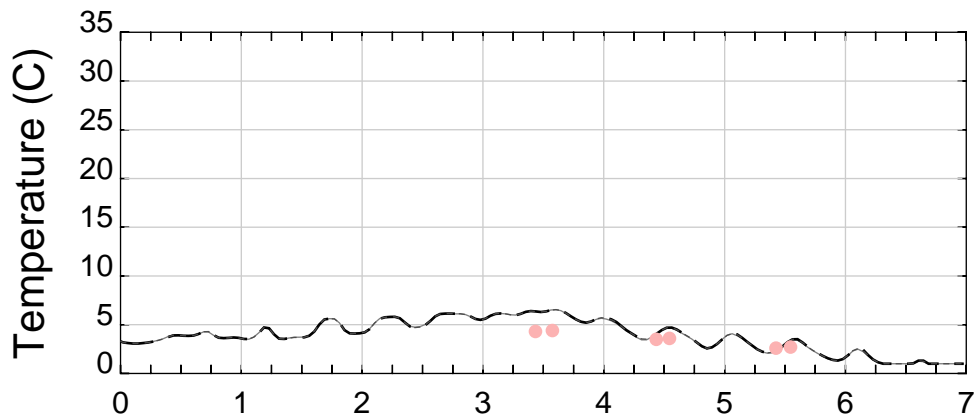
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● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
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# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

SE1

Station: B1 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



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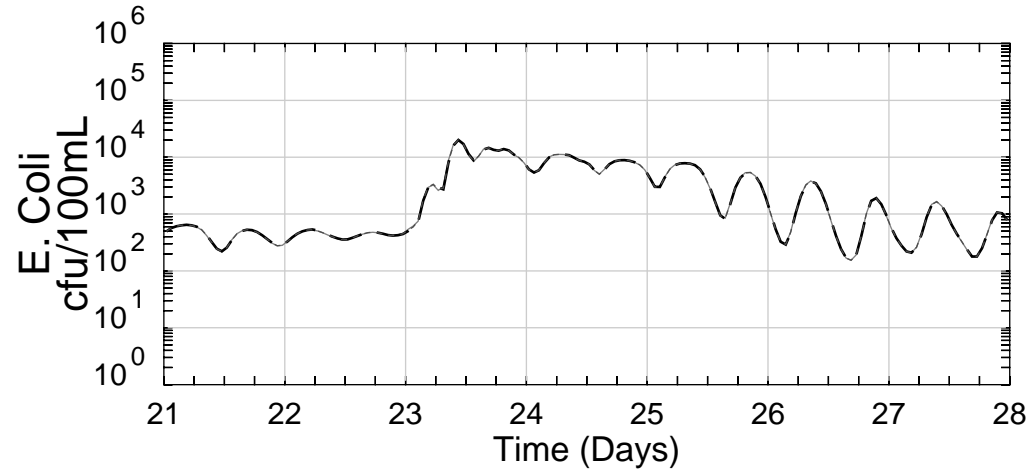
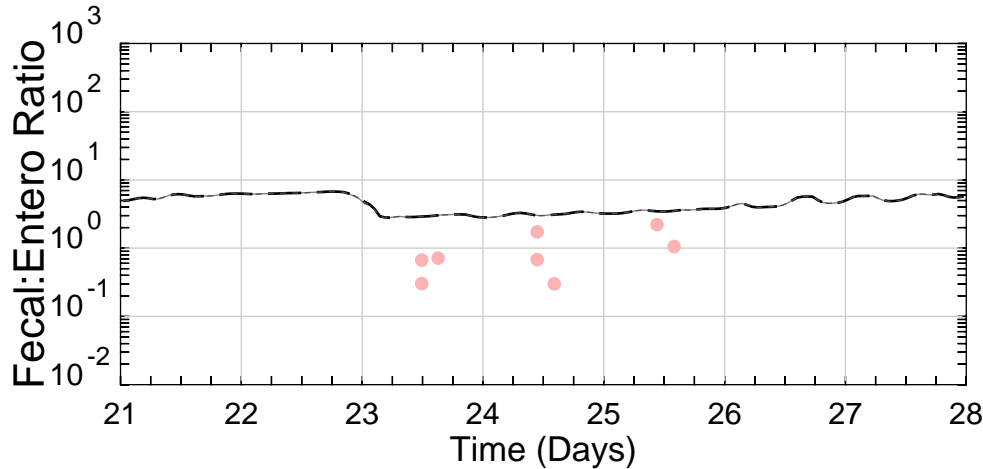
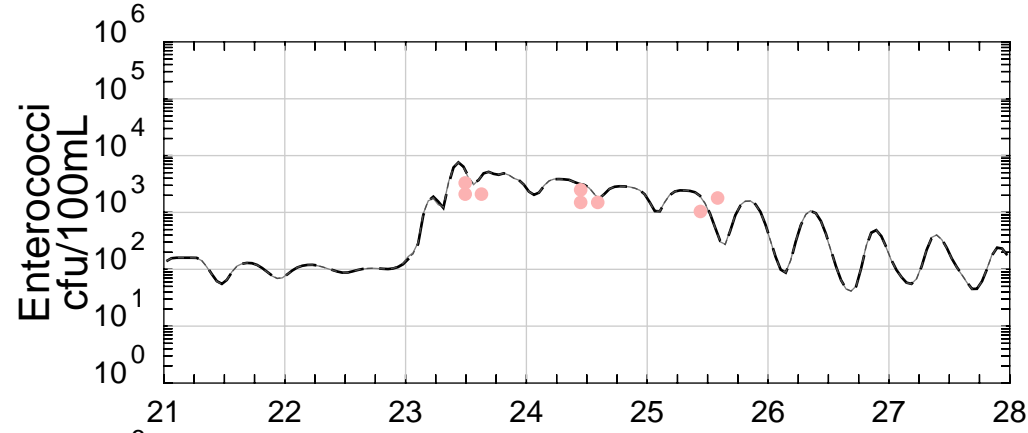
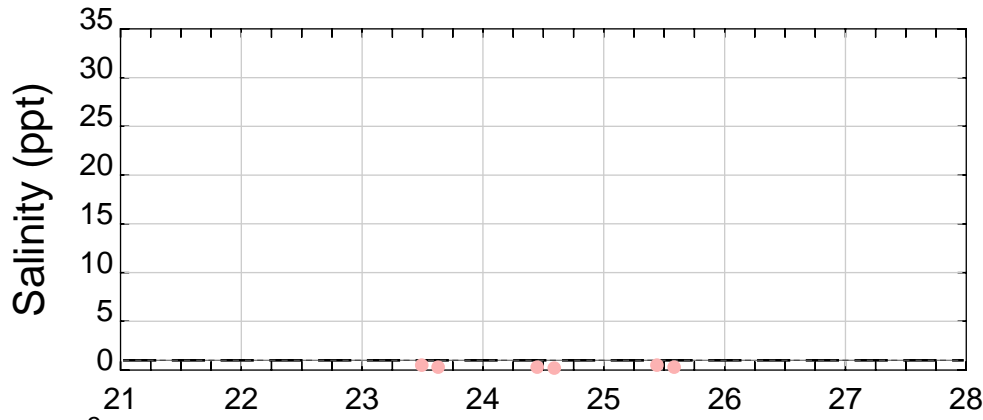
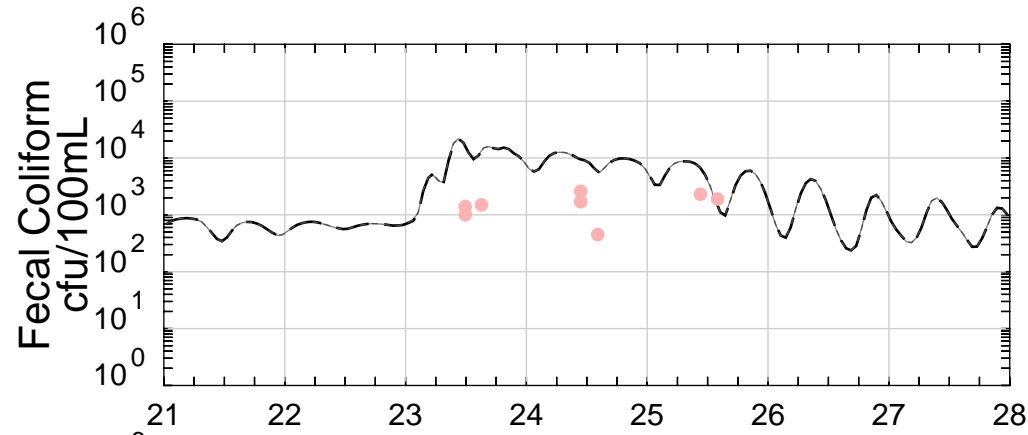
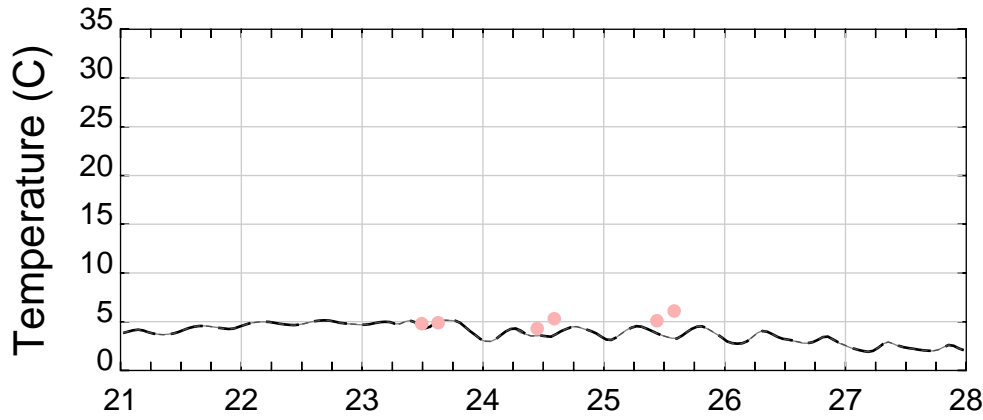
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● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

SE1

Station: B1 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)



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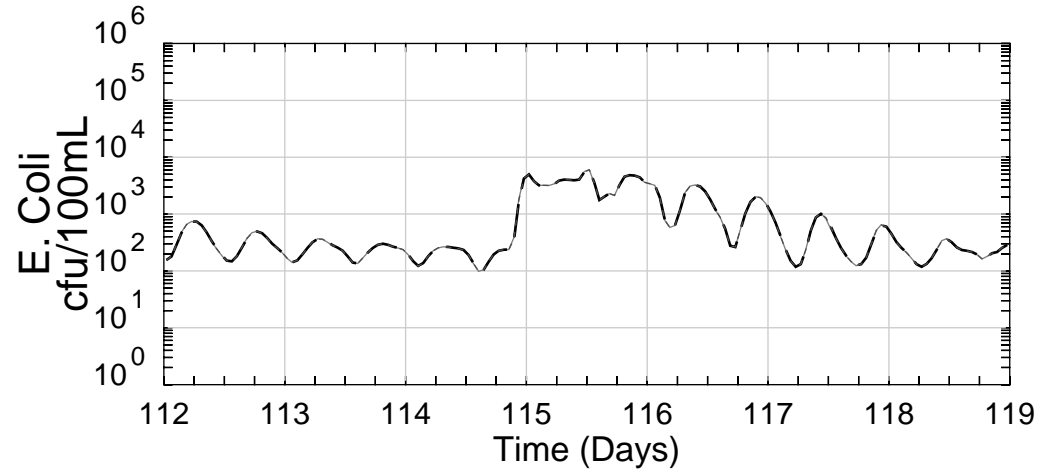
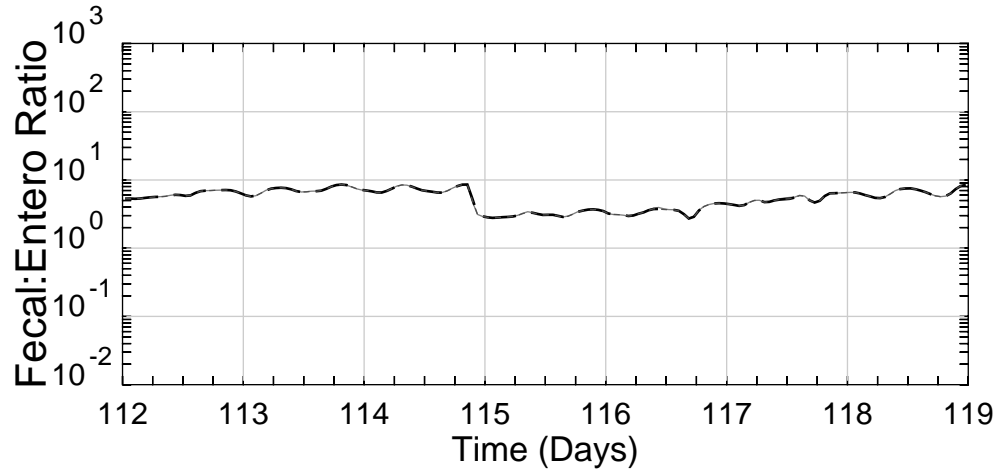
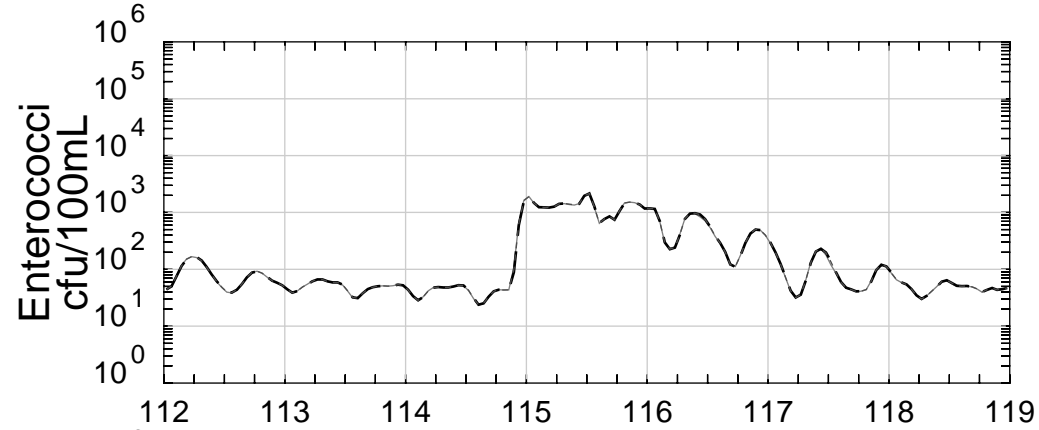
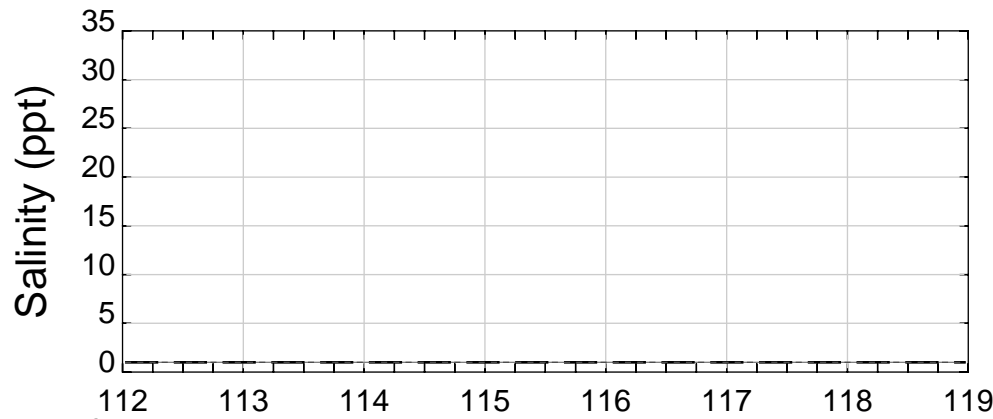
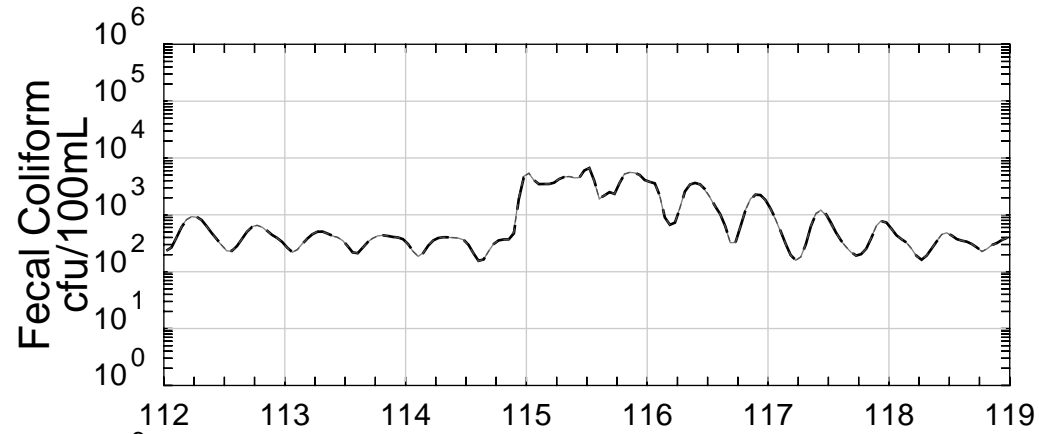
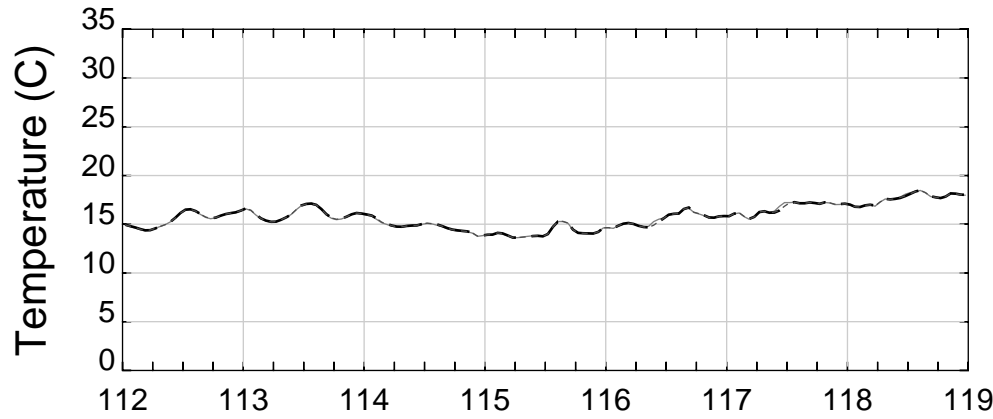
- Model at Surface
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- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
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# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

SE1

Station: B1 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



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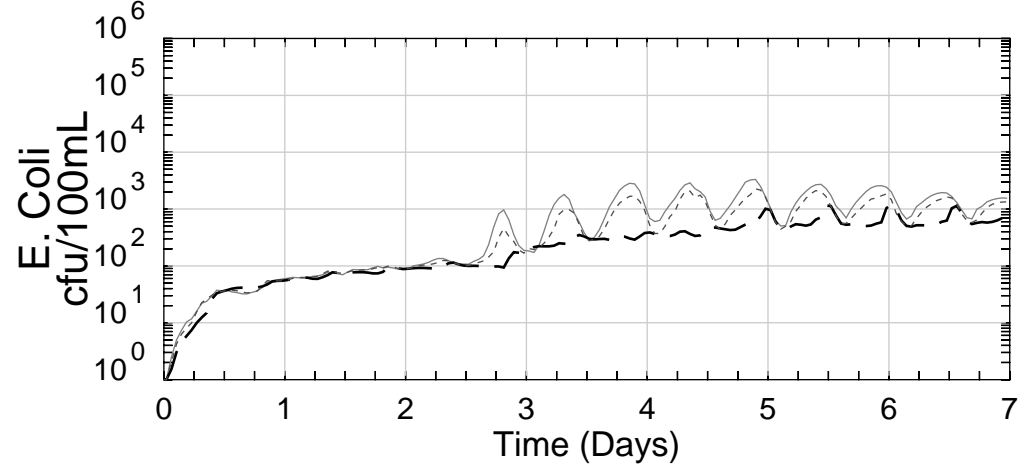
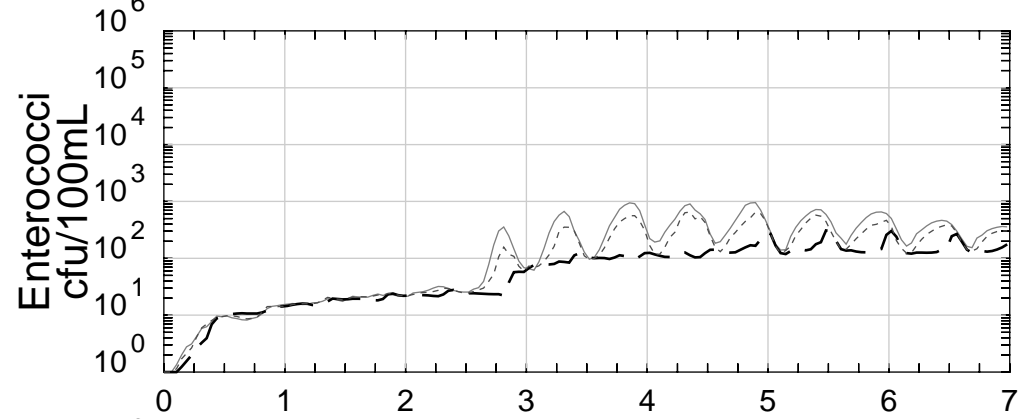
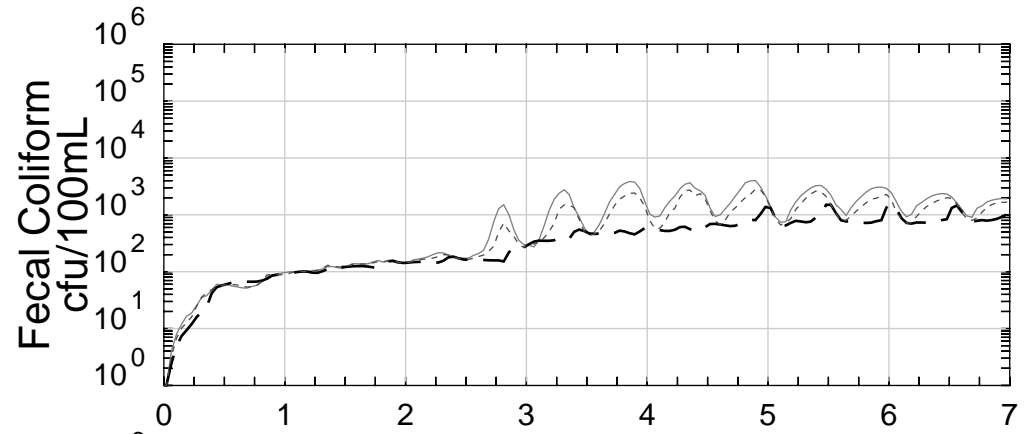
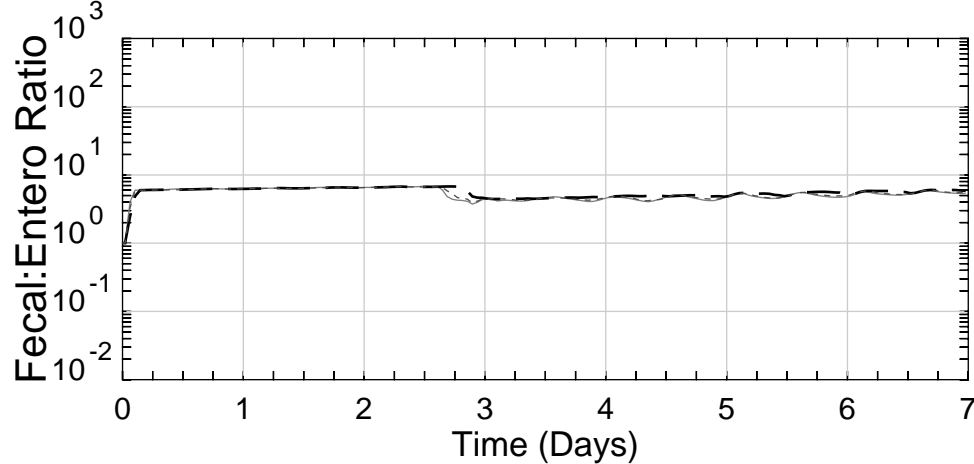
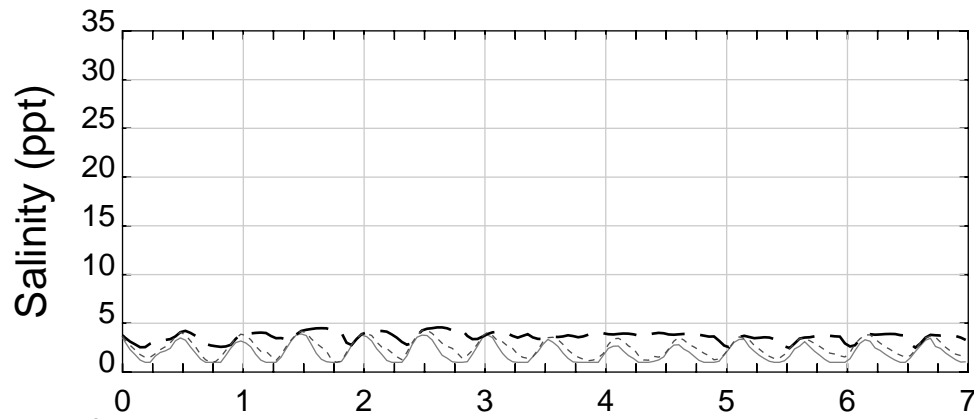
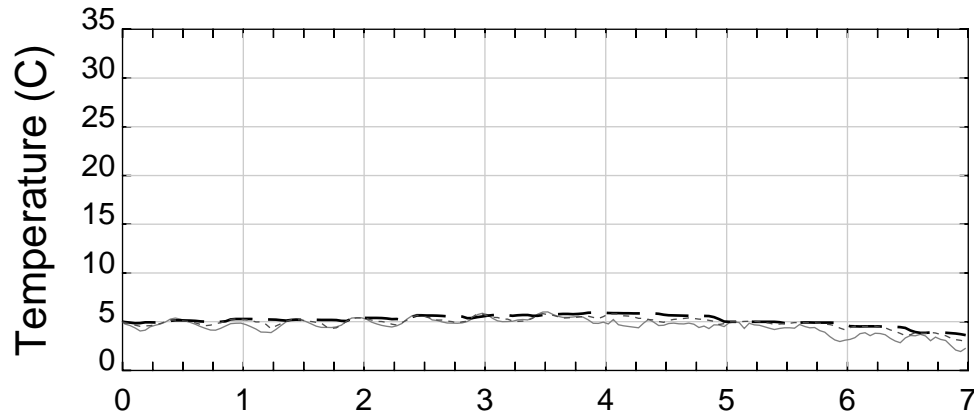
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 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

SE1

Station: B2 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - · - Model at Bottom

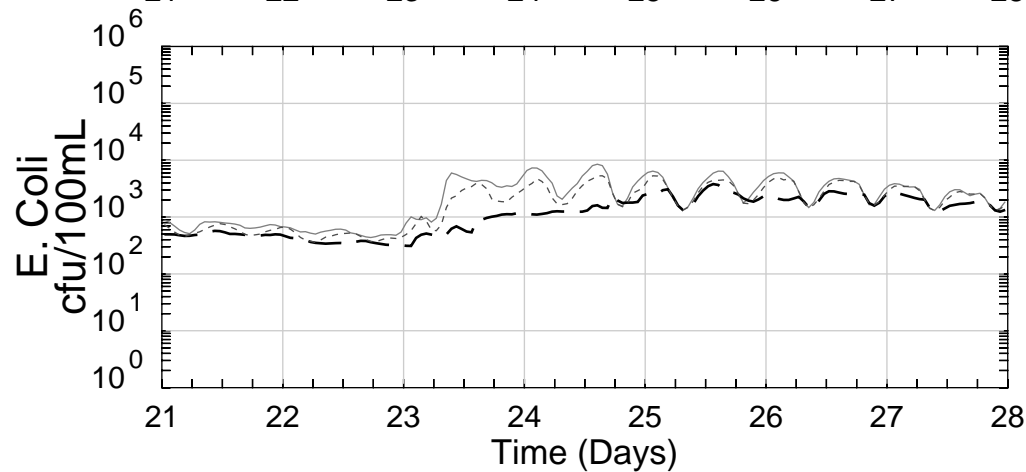
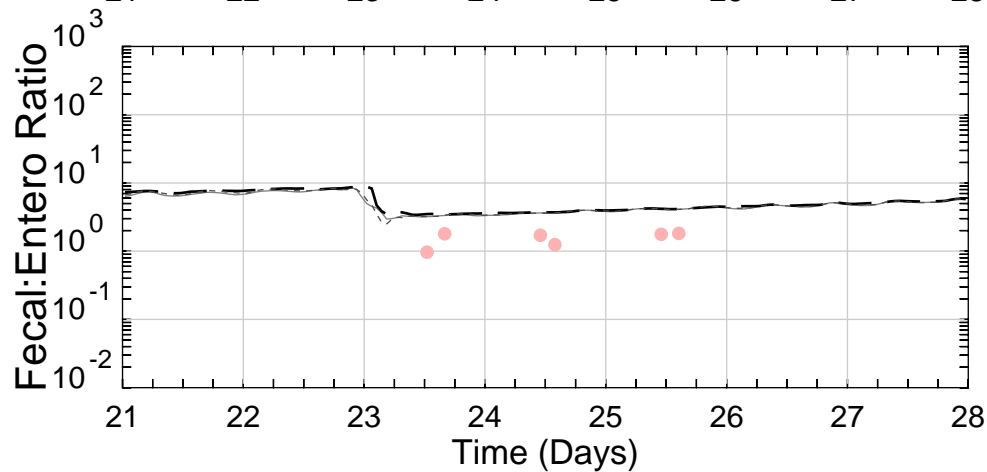
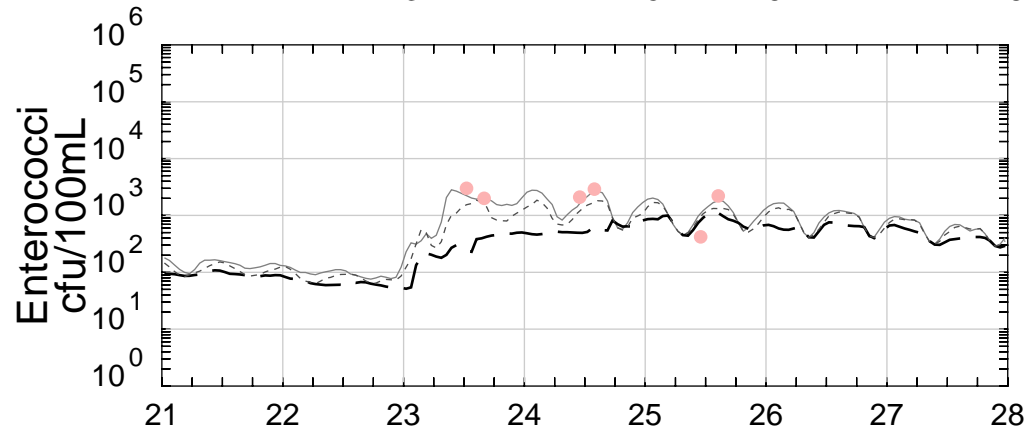
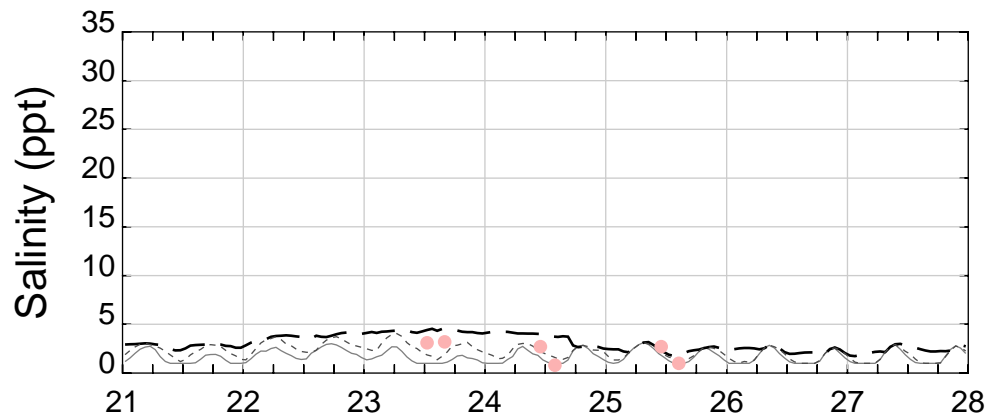
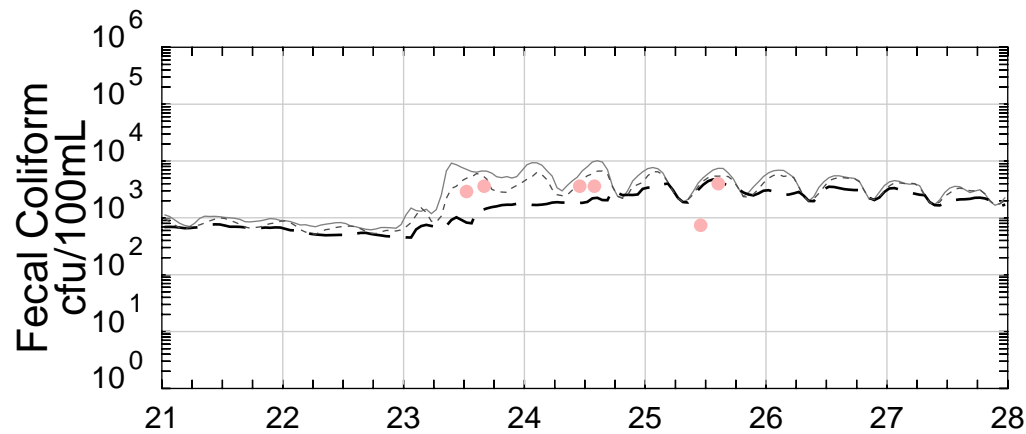
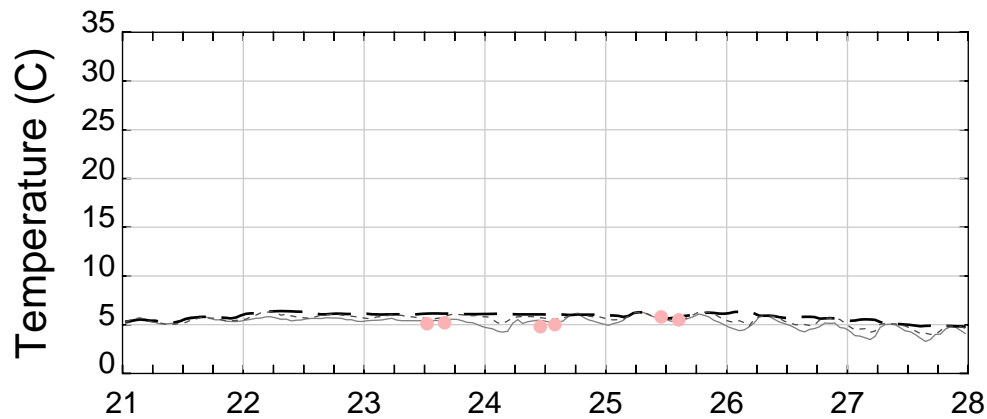
● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

SE1

Station: B2 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

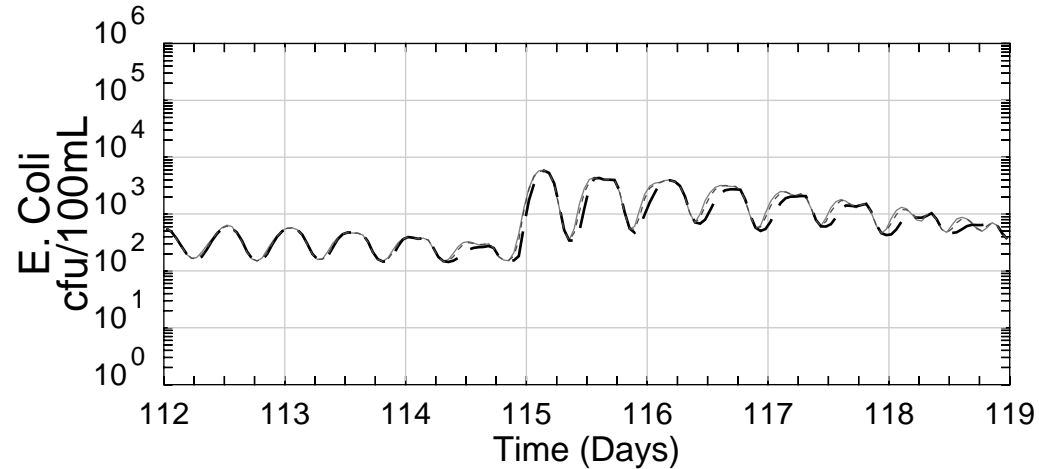
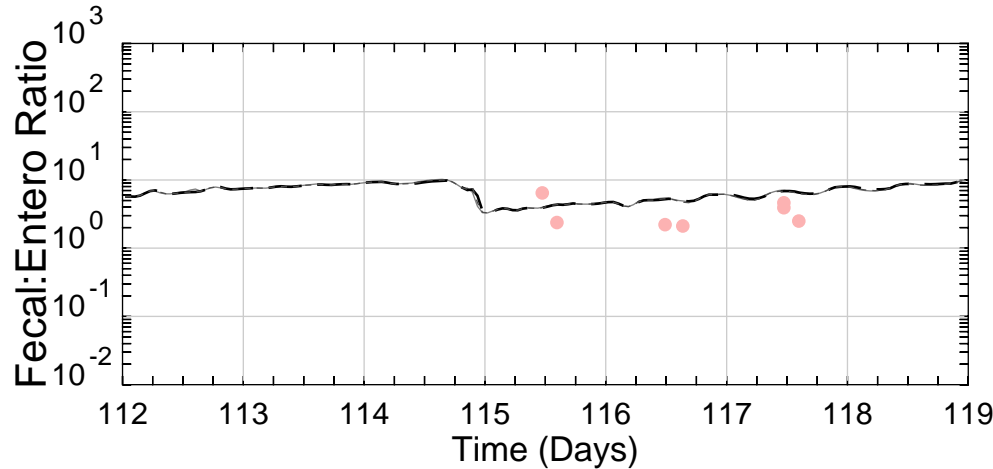
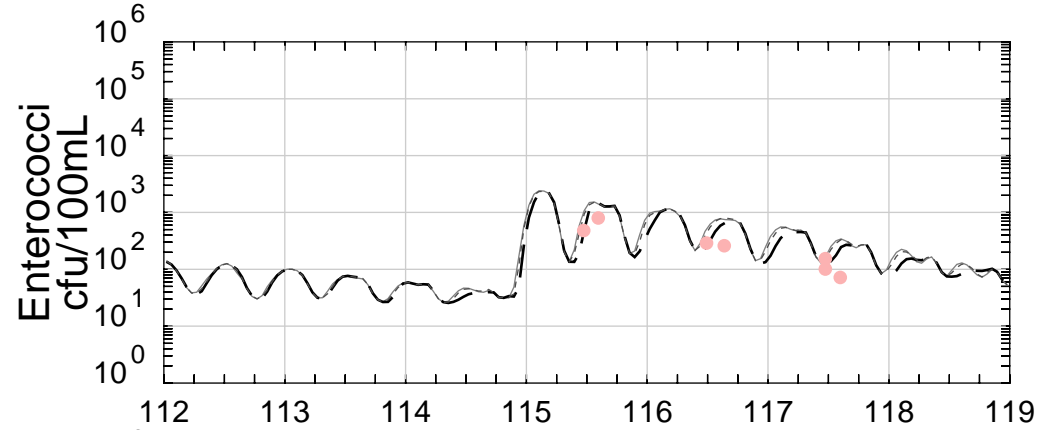
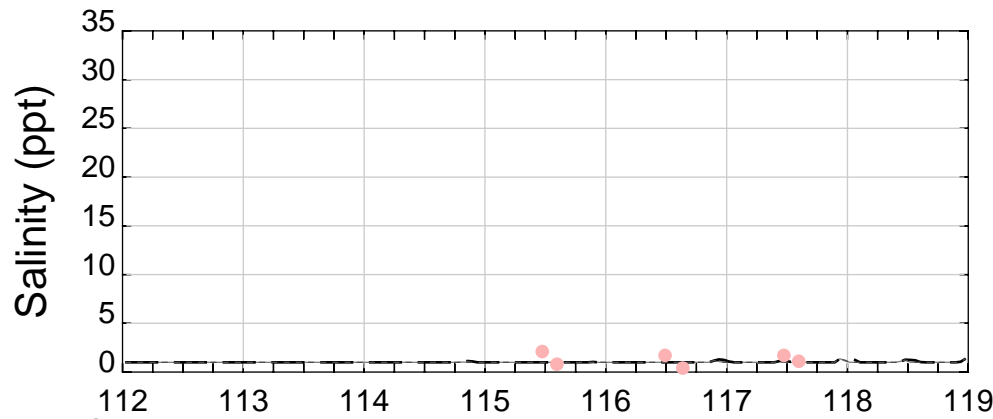
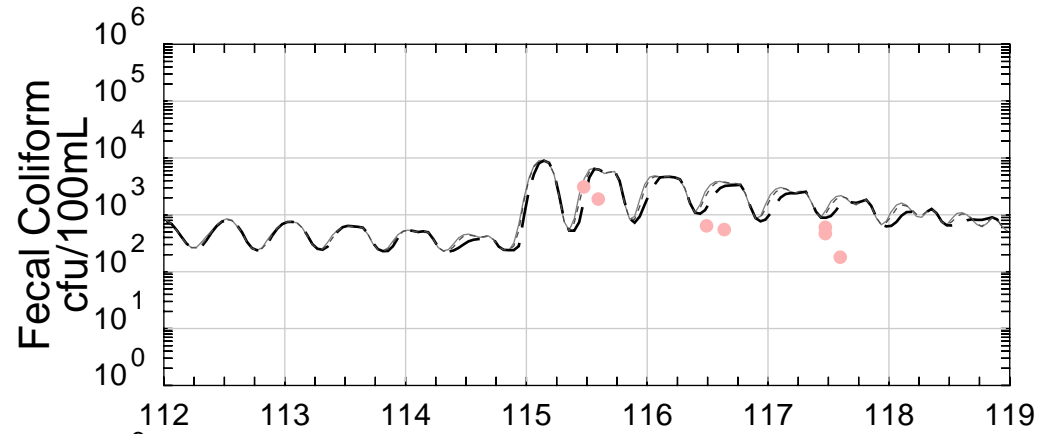
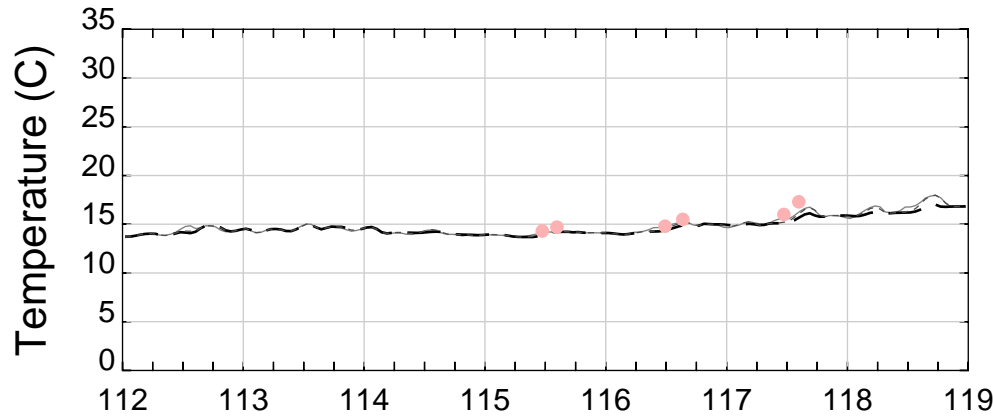
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- . - Model at Bottom

- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

SE1

Station: B2 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

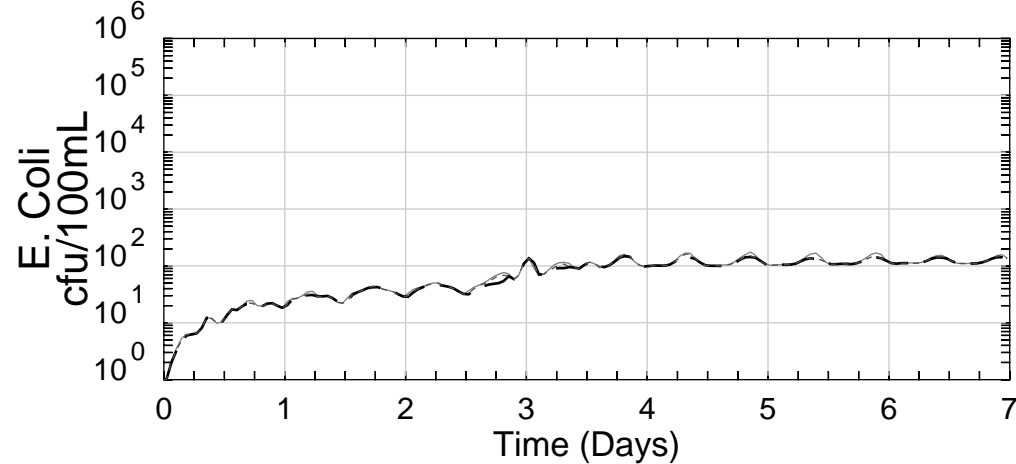
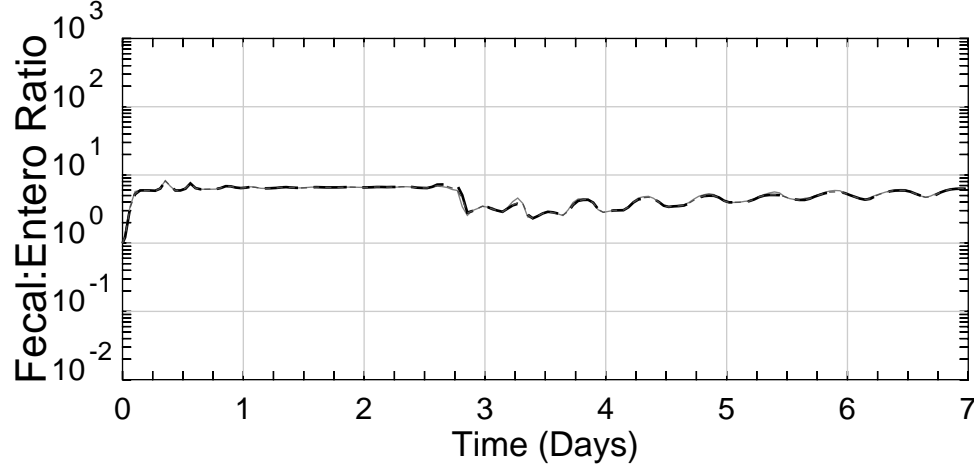
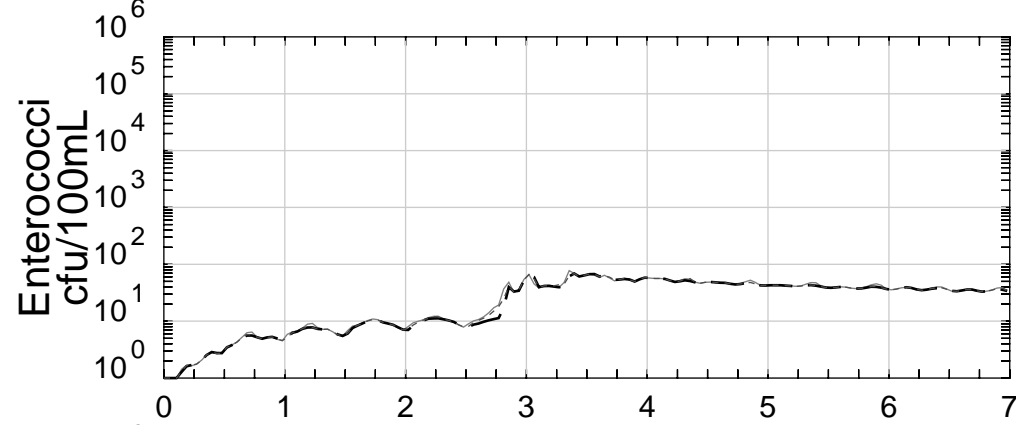
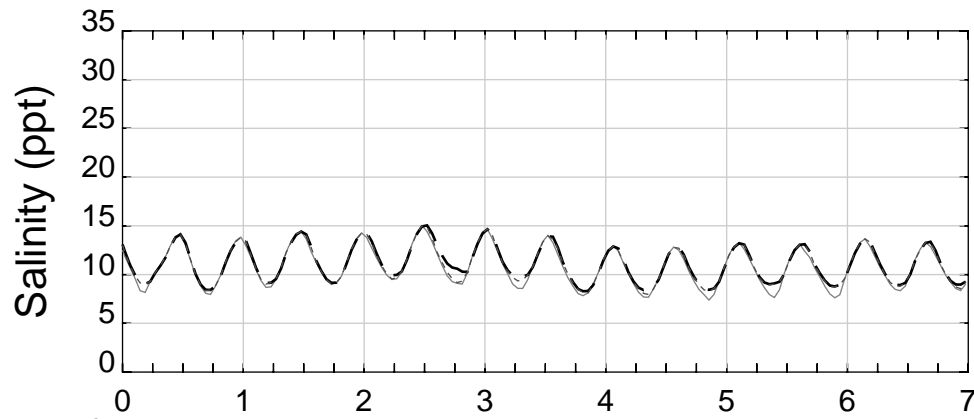
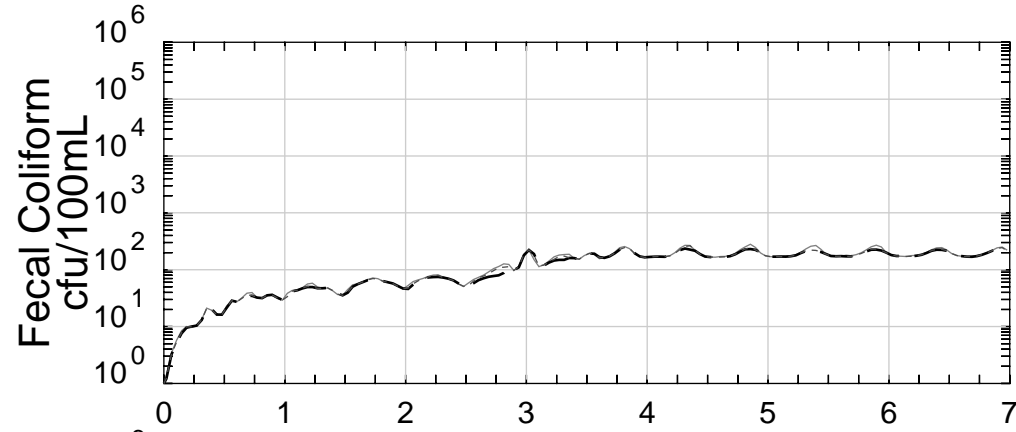
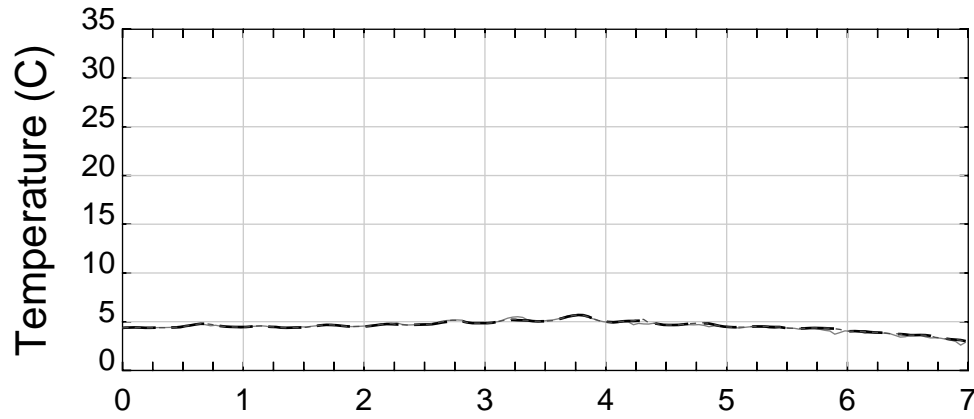
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom

- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

SE2

Station: 14 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

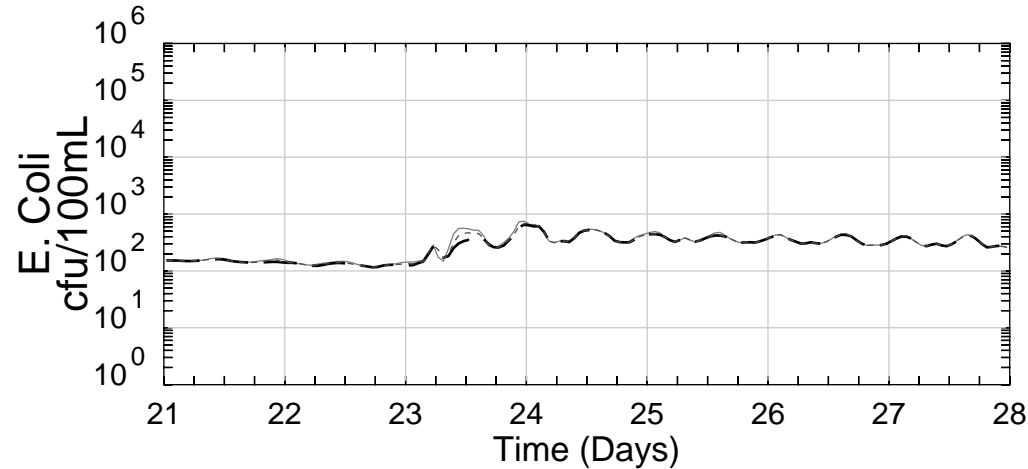
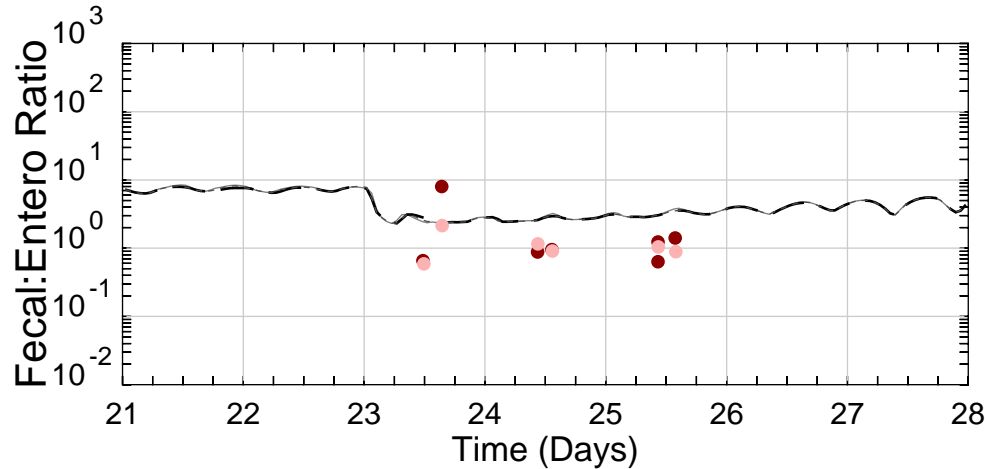
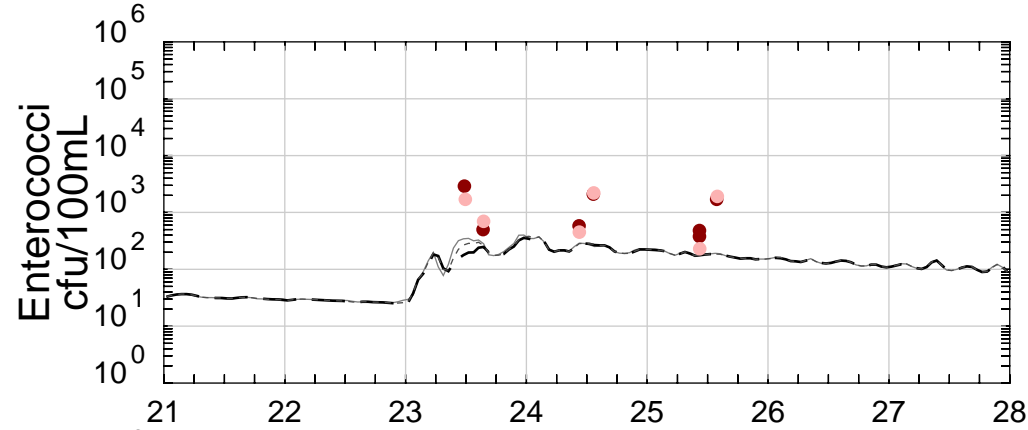
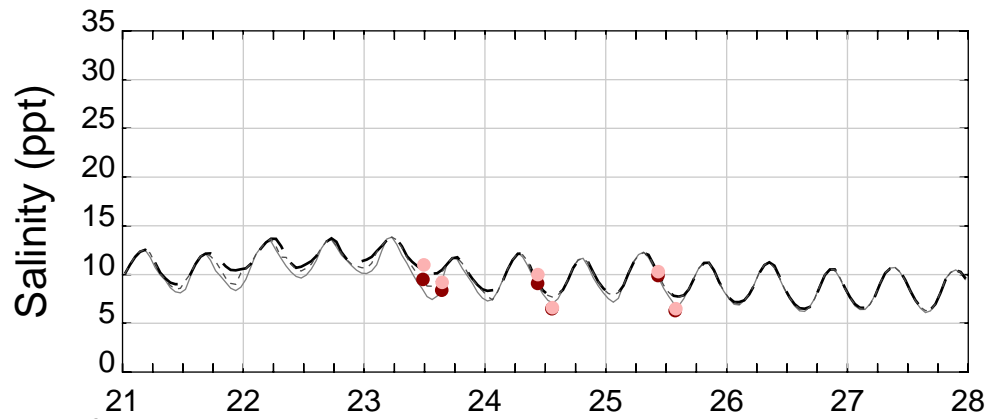
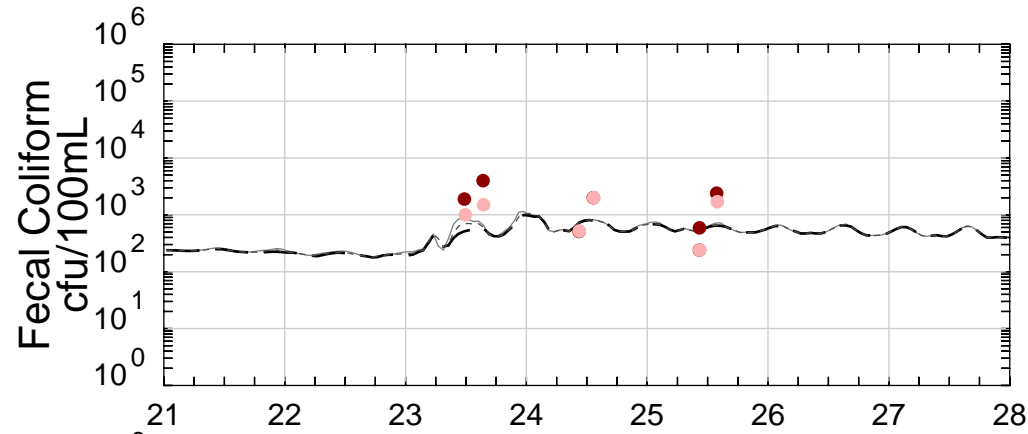
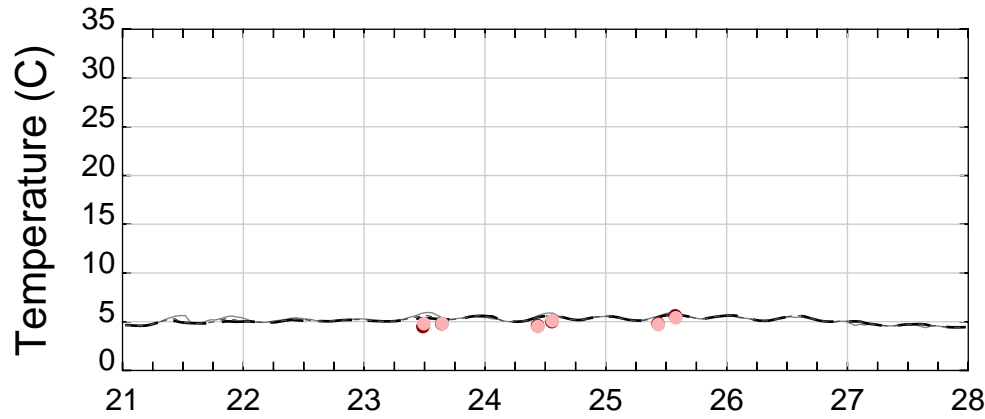
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

SE2

Station: 14 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

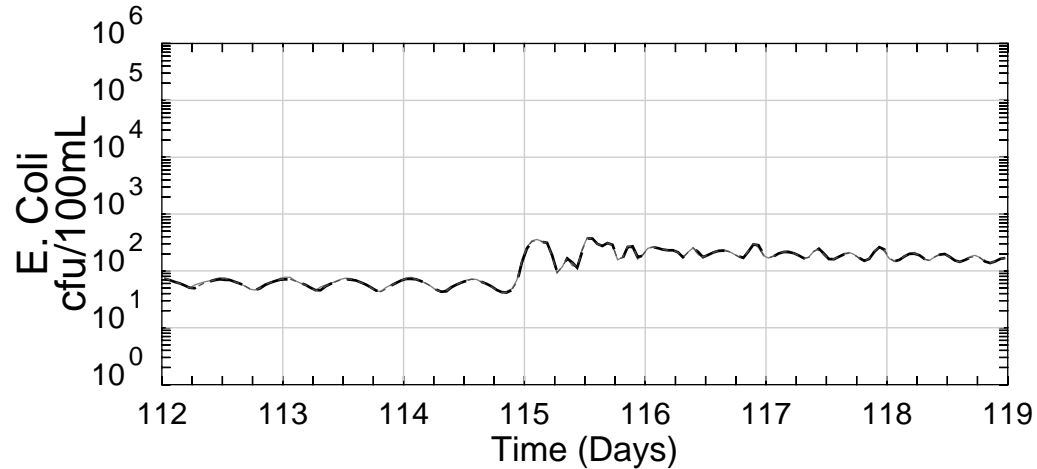
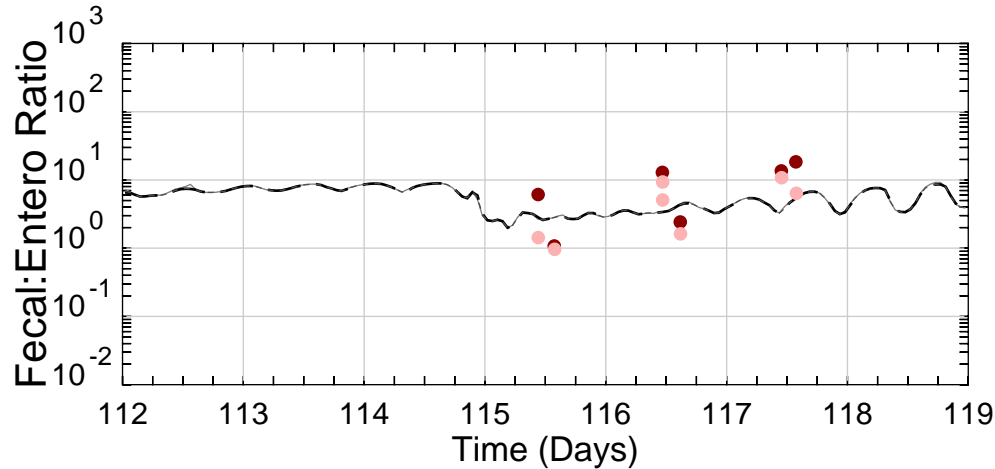
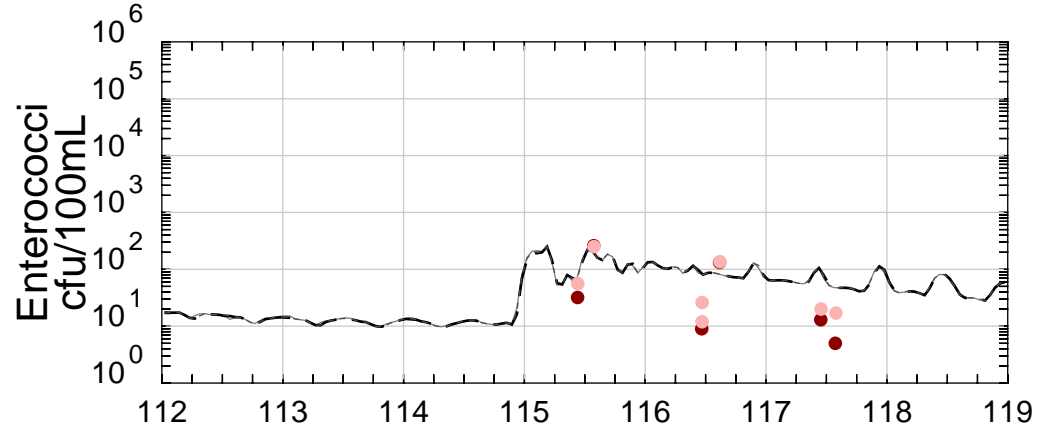
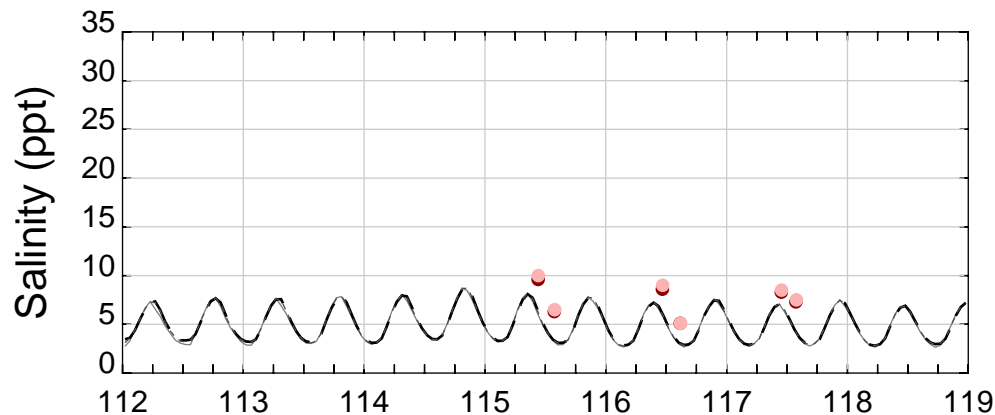
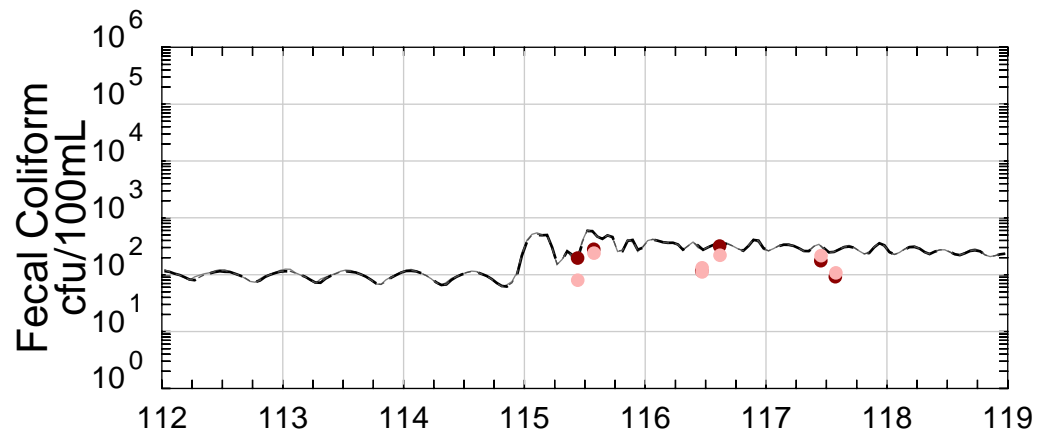
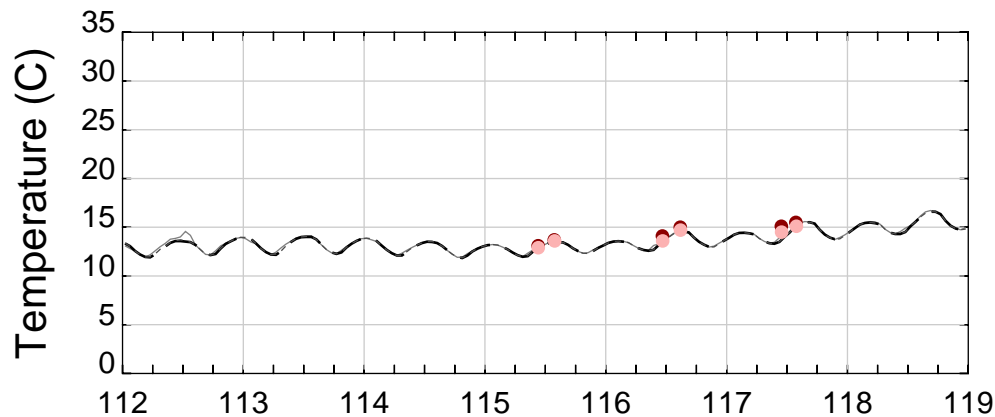
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom

- ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

SE2

Station: 14 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

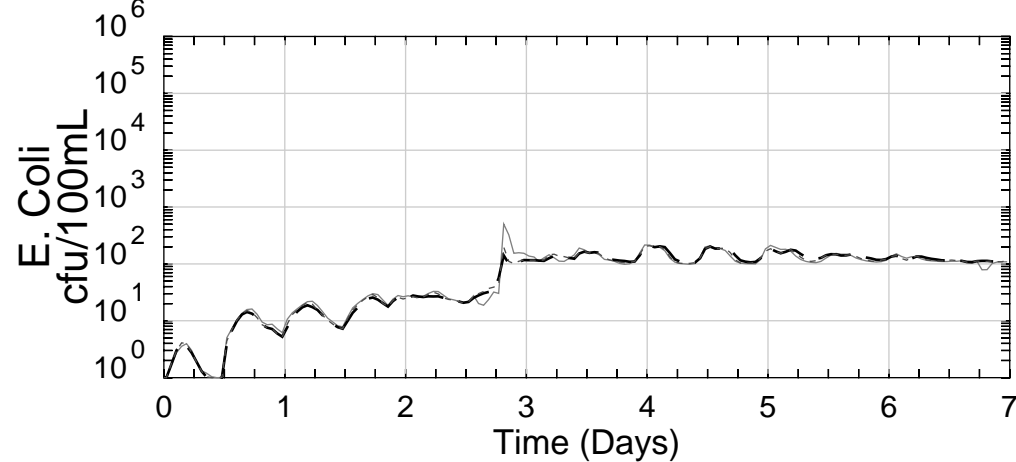
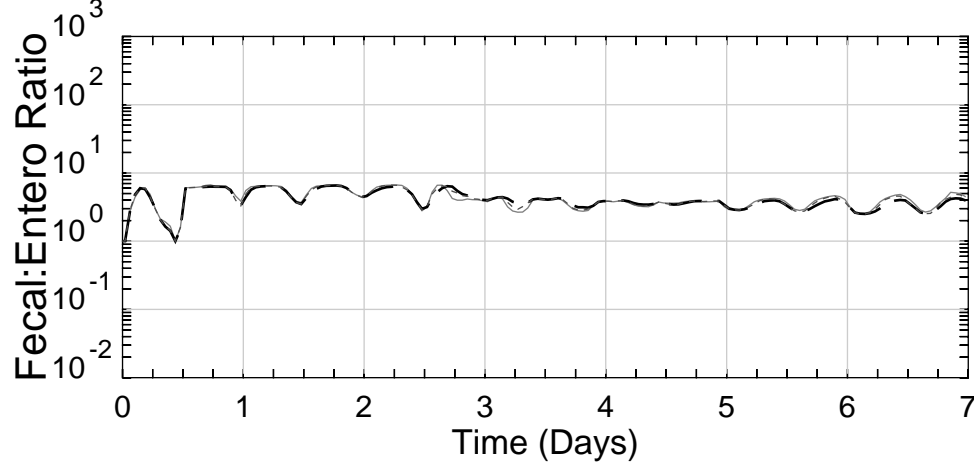
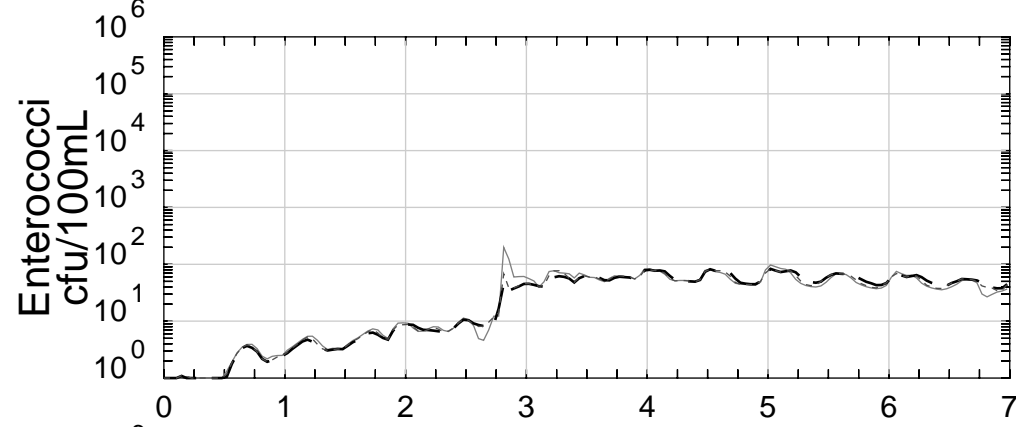
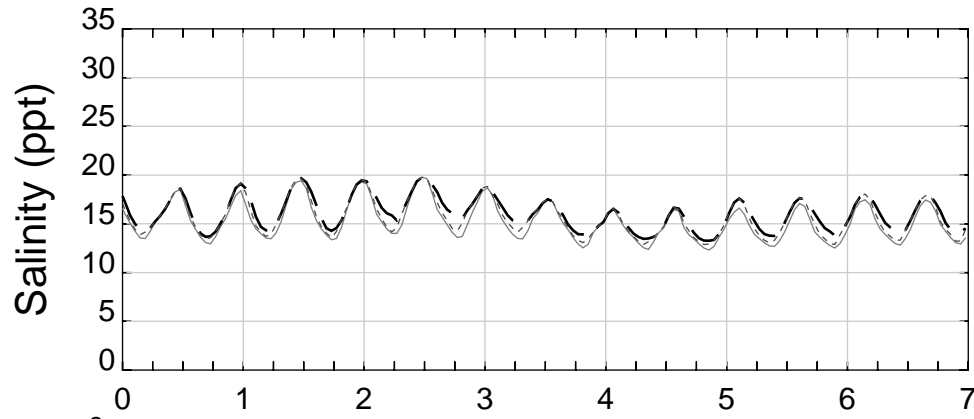
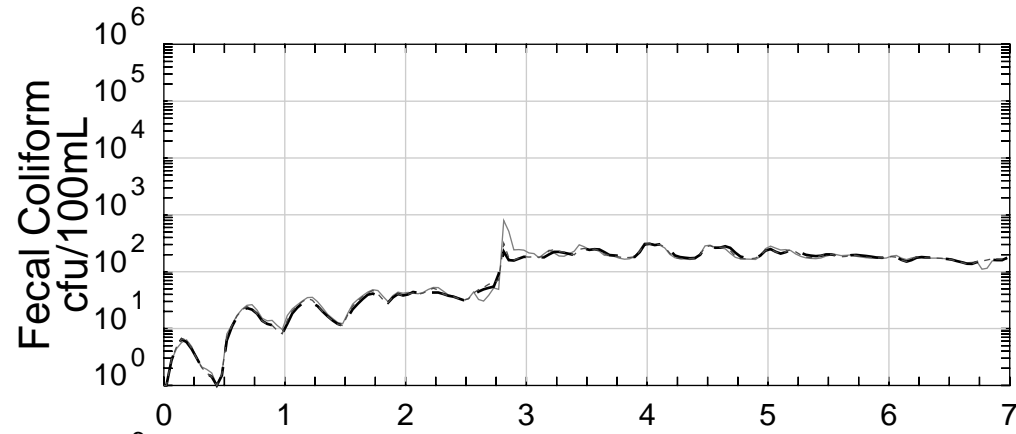
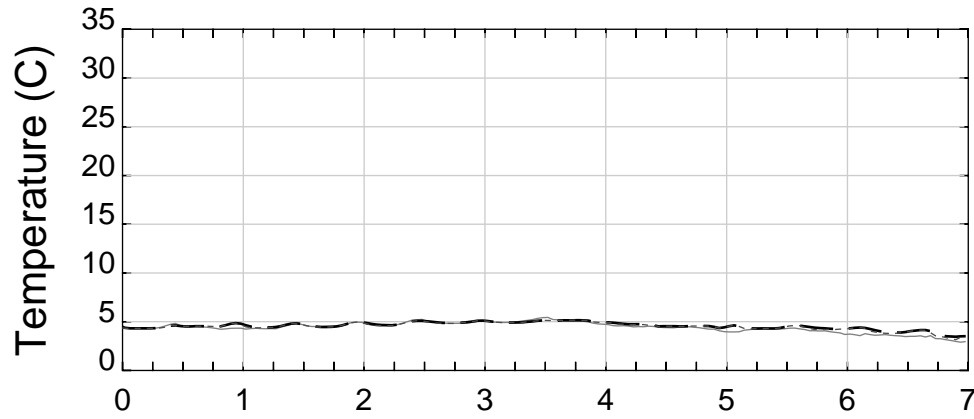
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

SE2

Station: 15 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

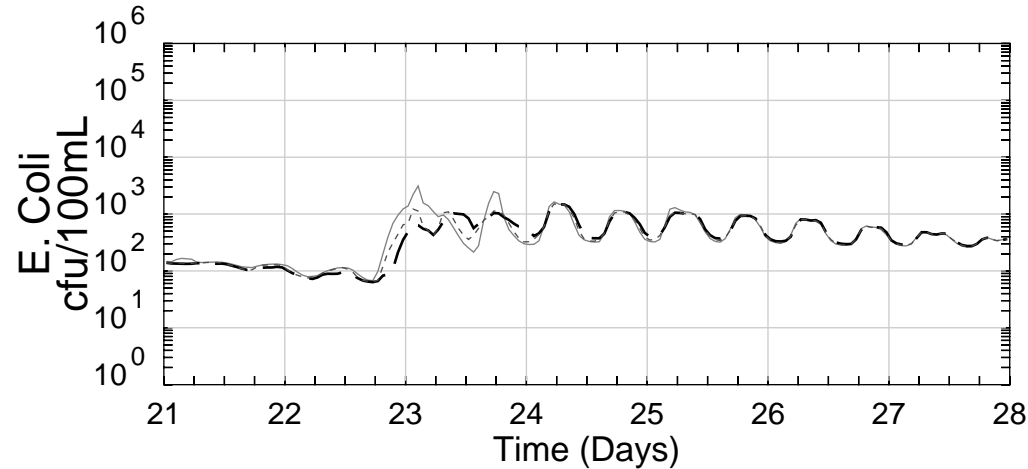
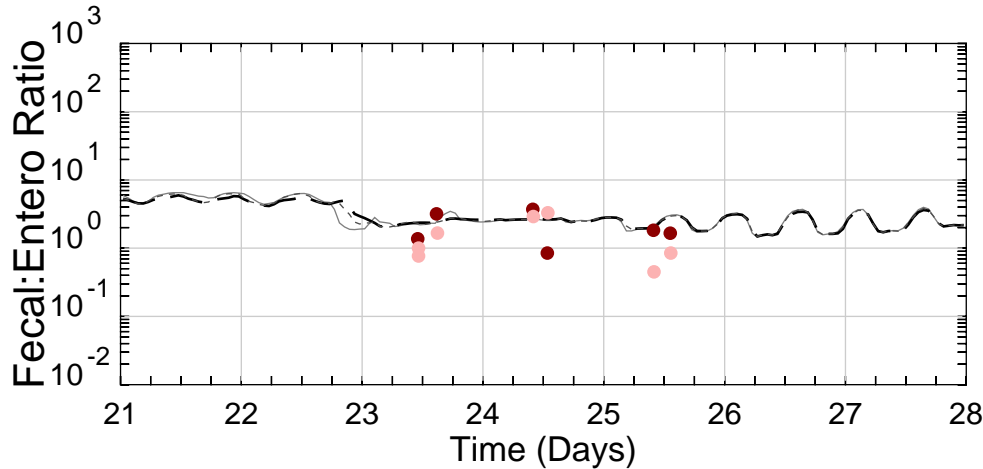
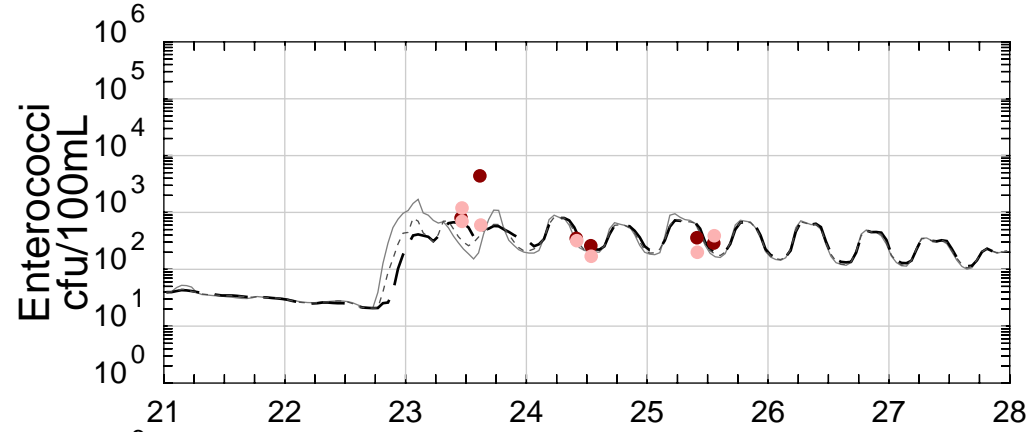
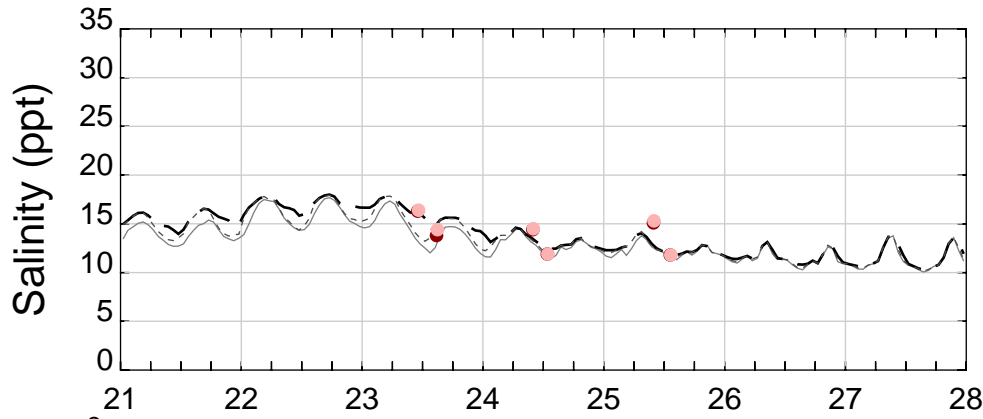
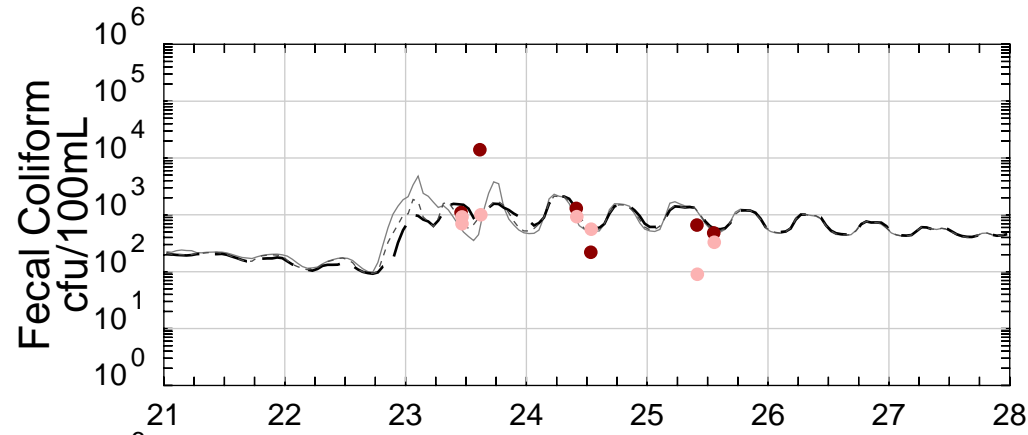
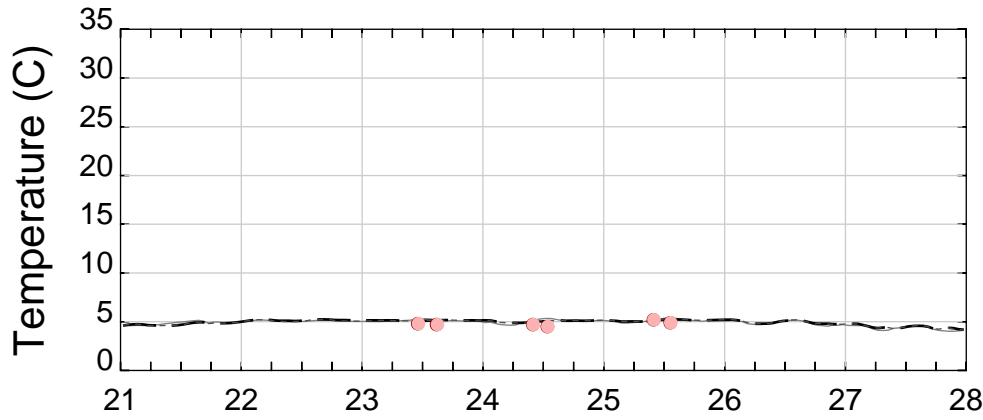
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

SE2

Station: 15 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

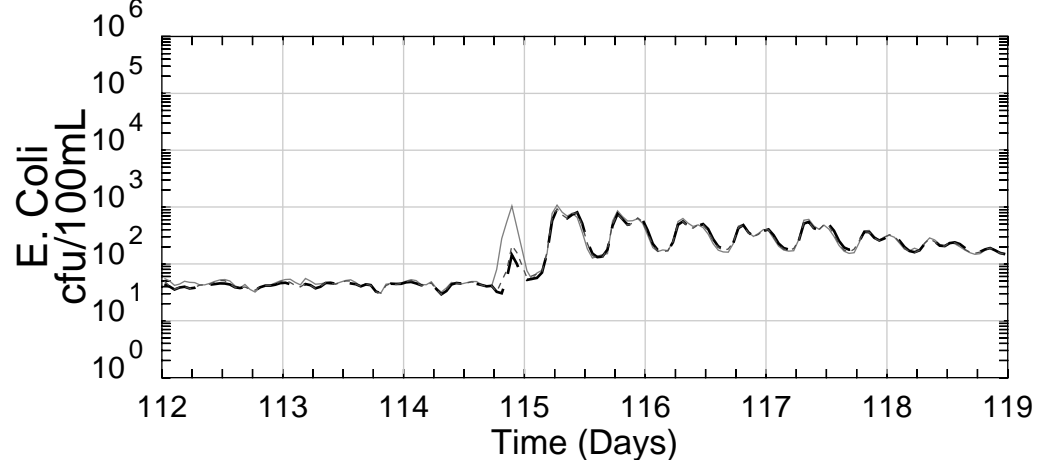
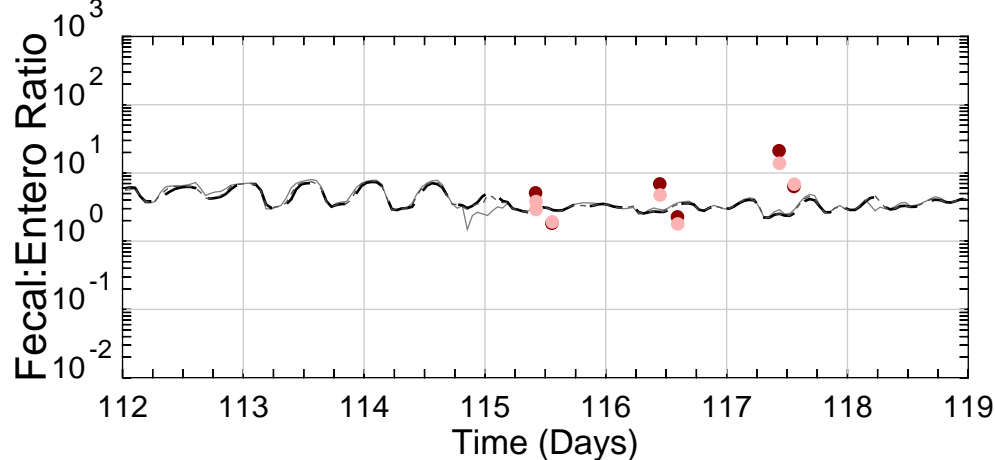
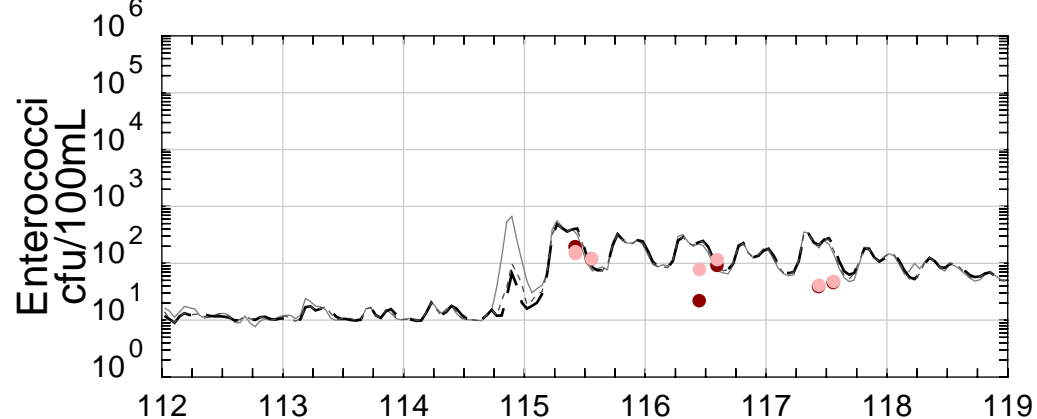
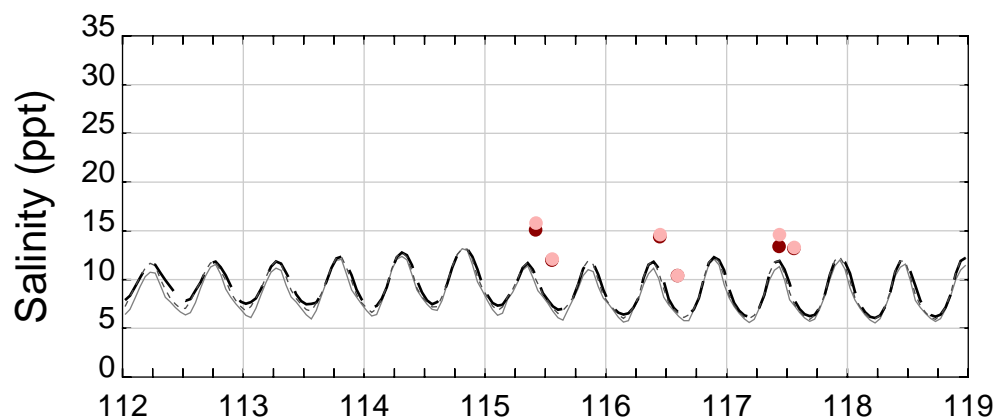
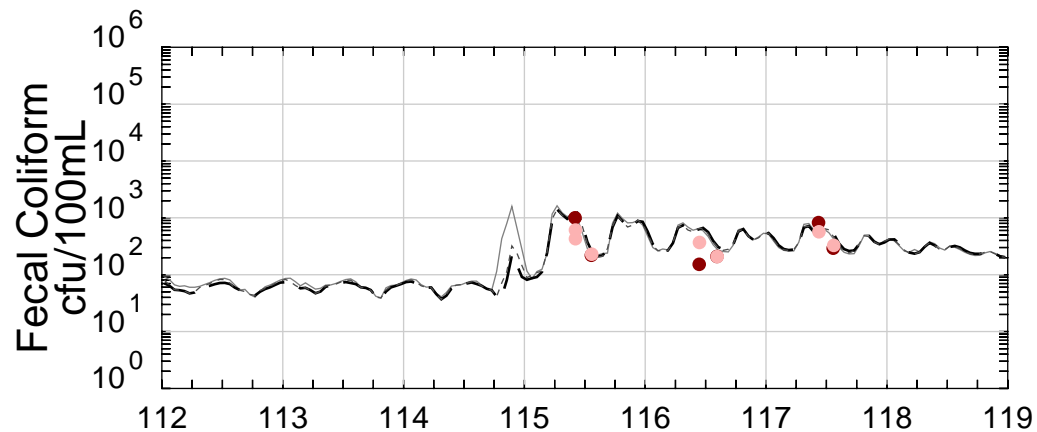
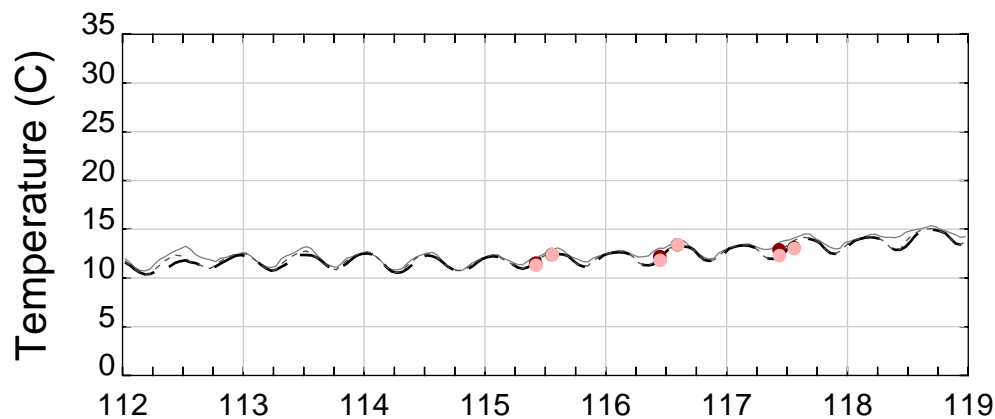
● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
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# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

SE2

Station: 15 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)

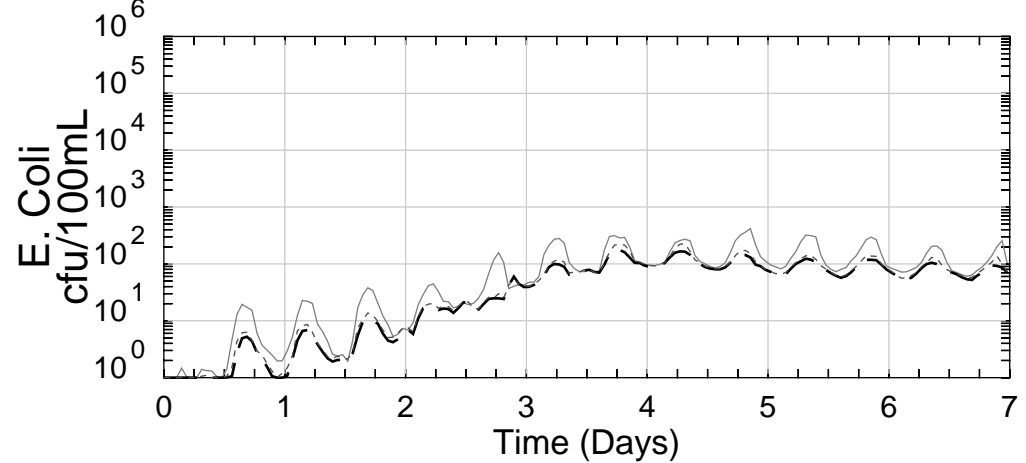
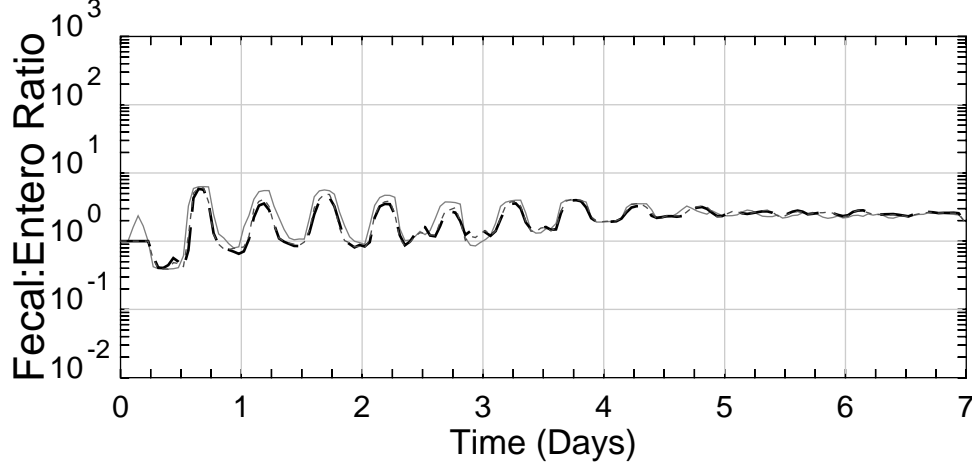
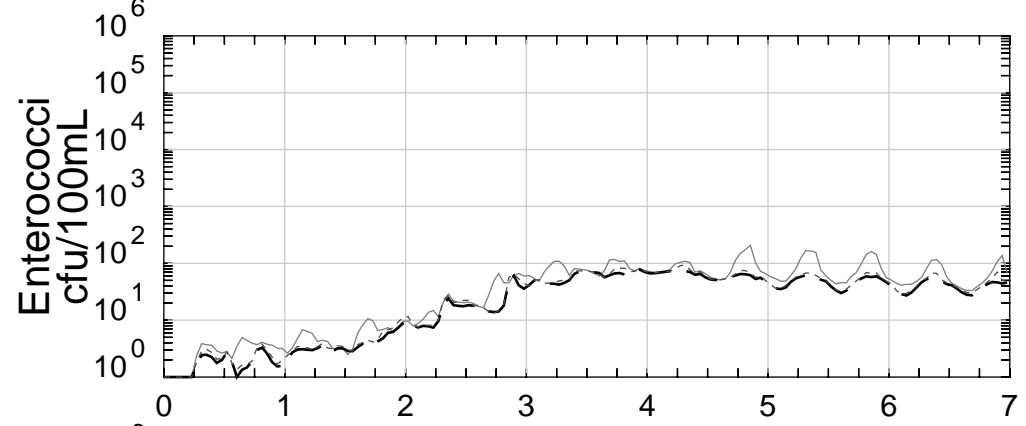
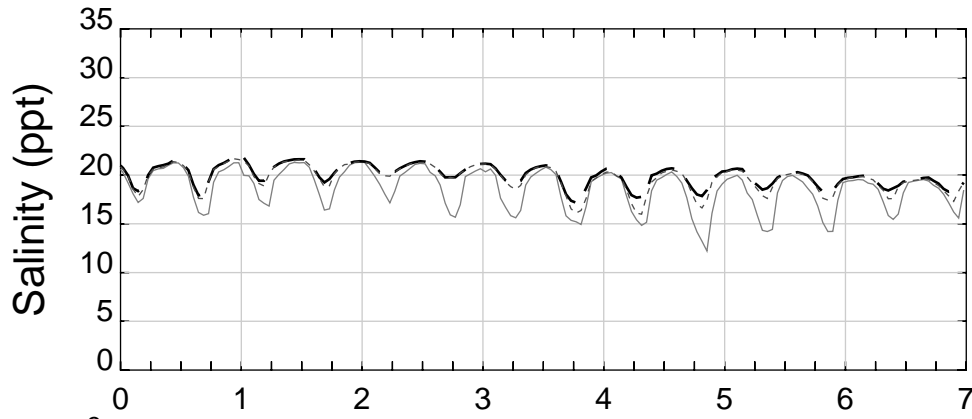
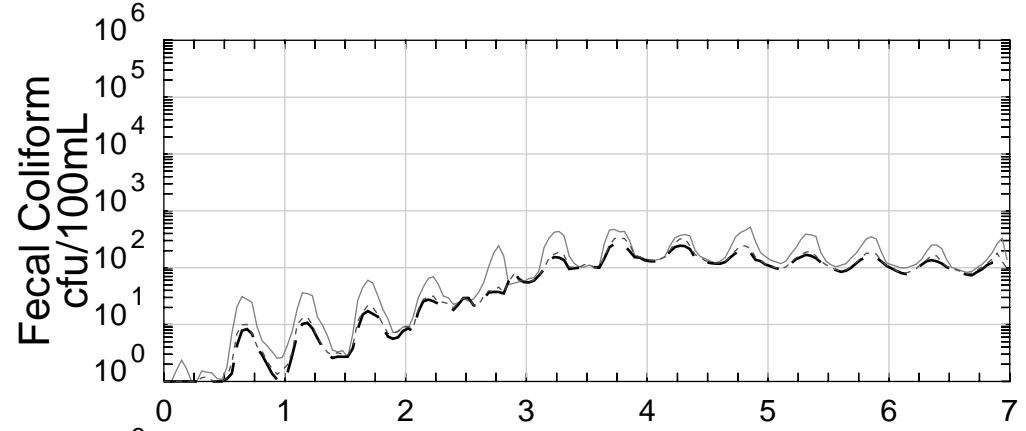
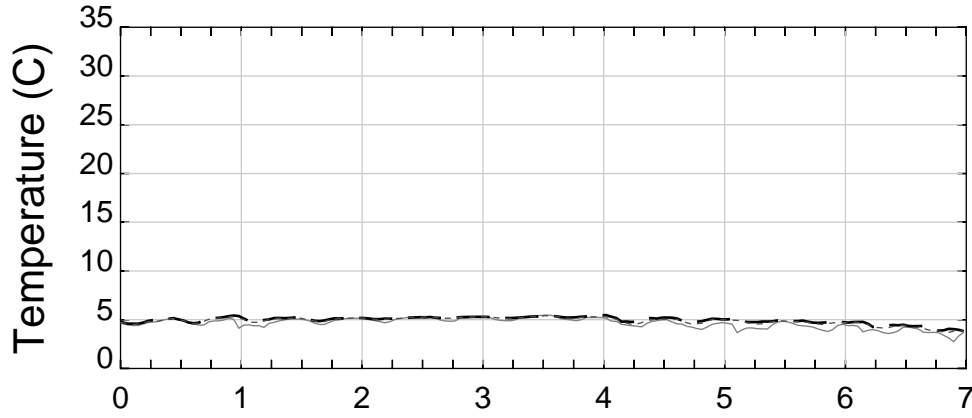


Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 17 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)

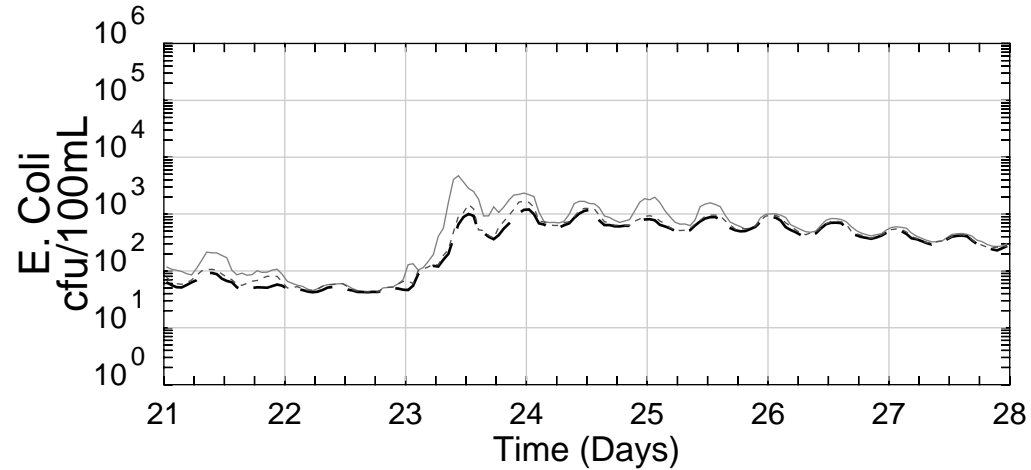
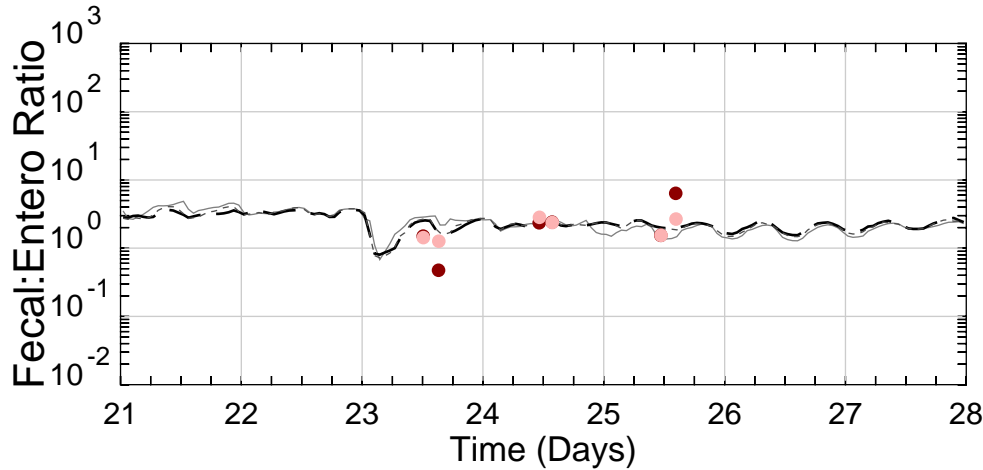
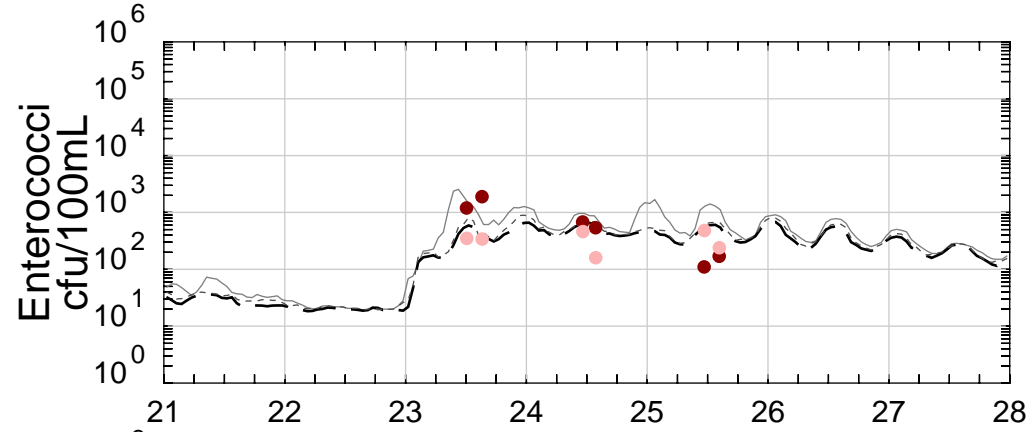
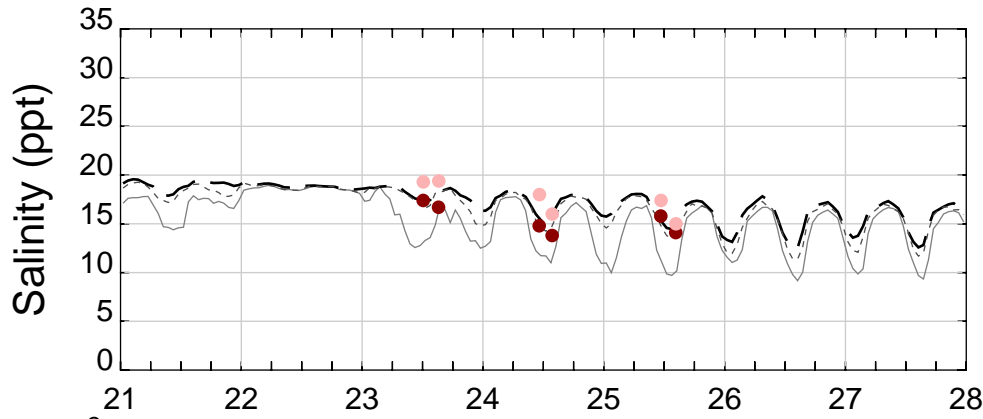
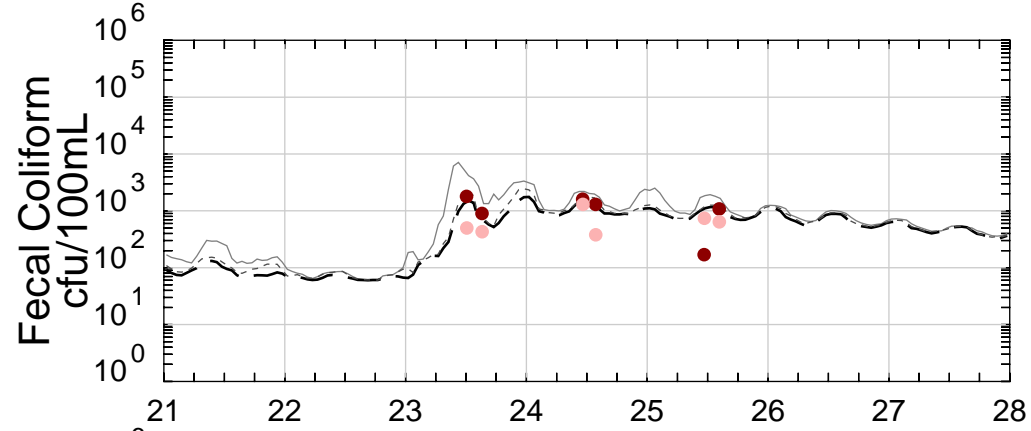
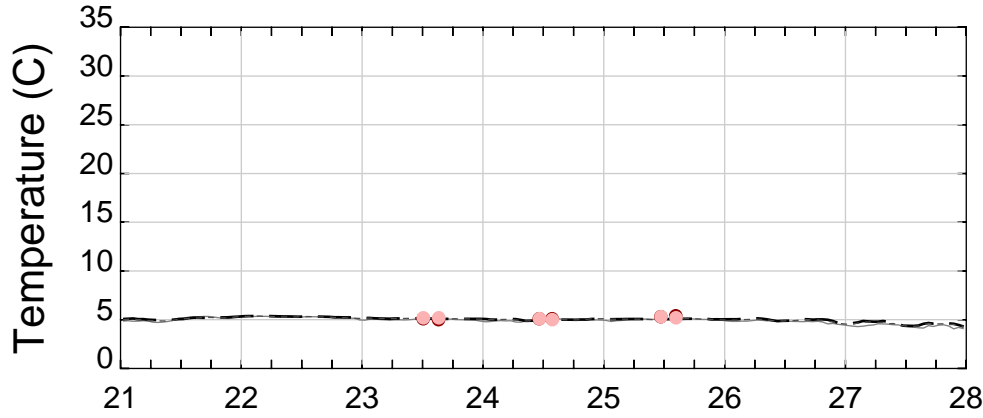


Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 17 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)

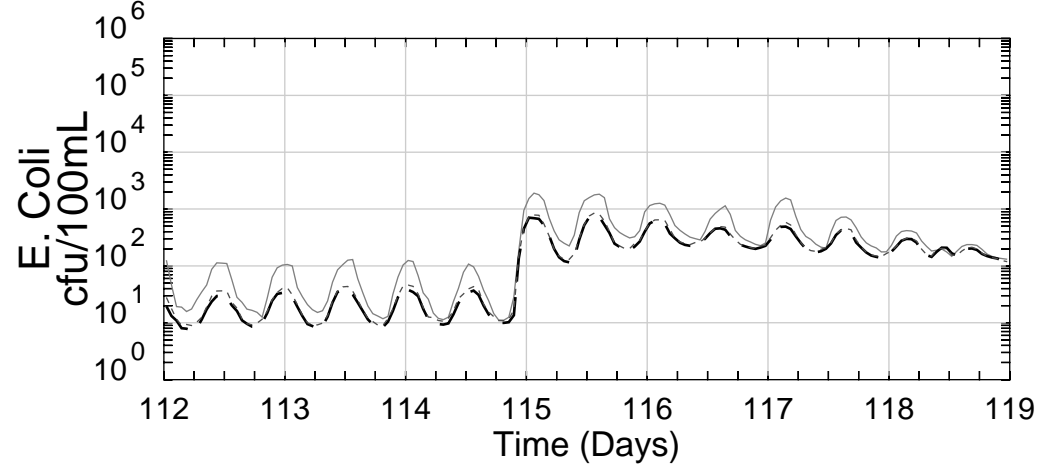
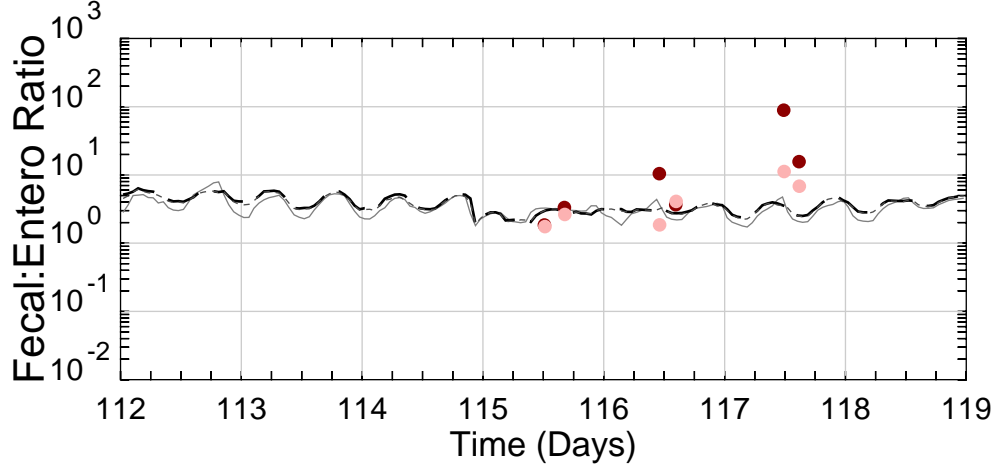
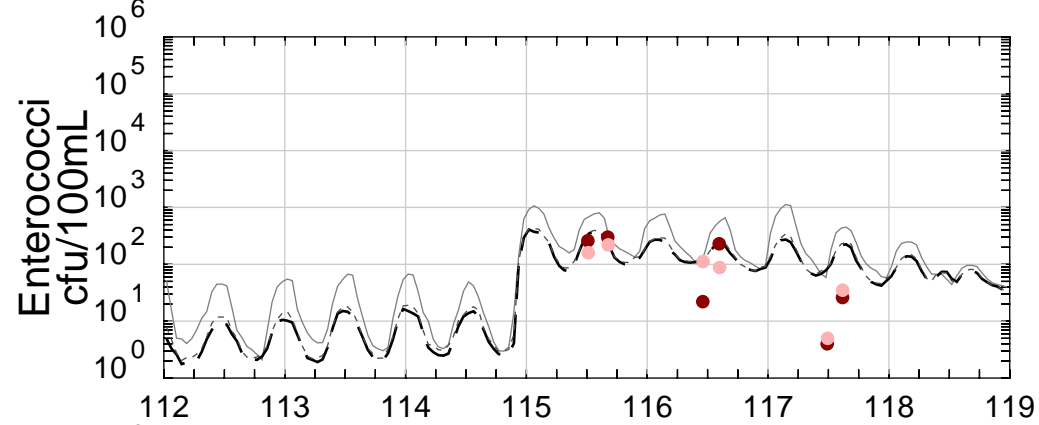
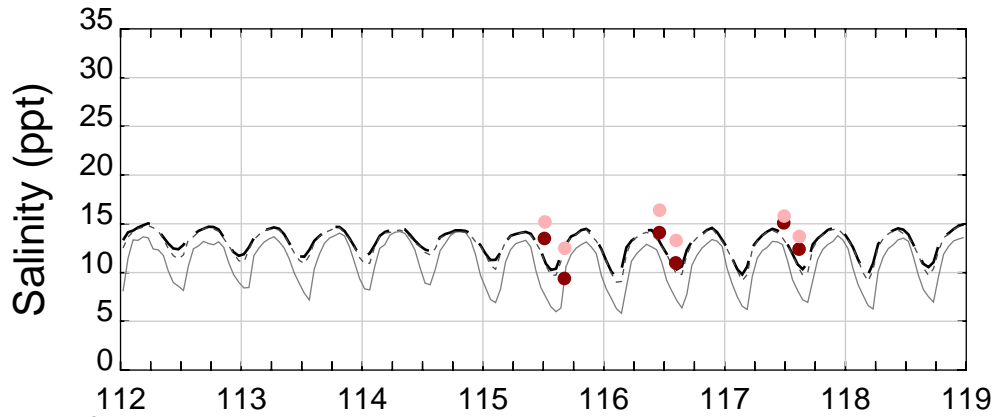
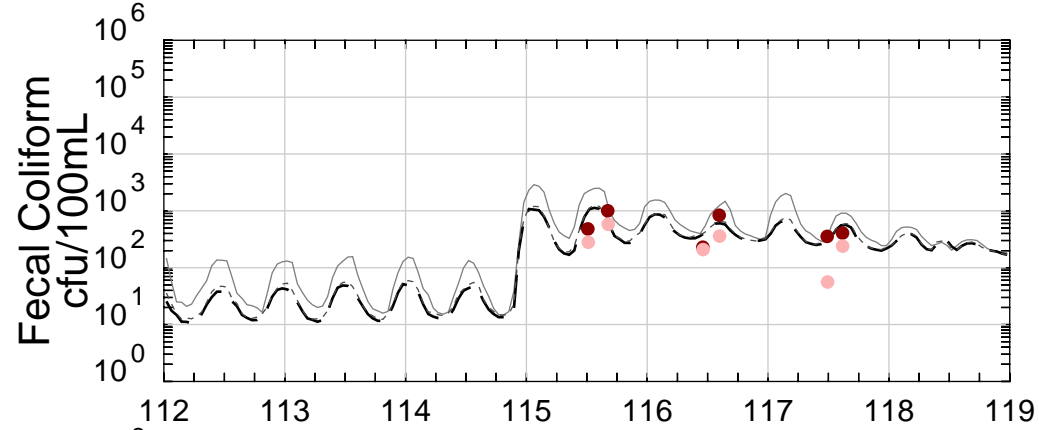
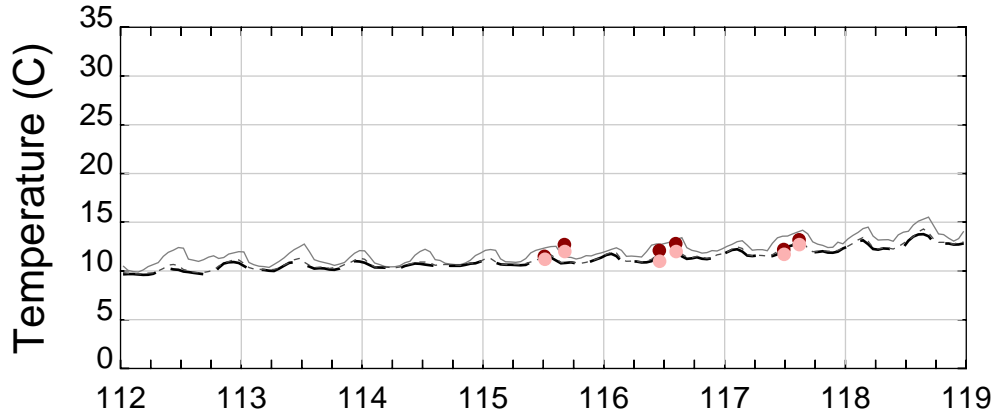


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 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 17 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)

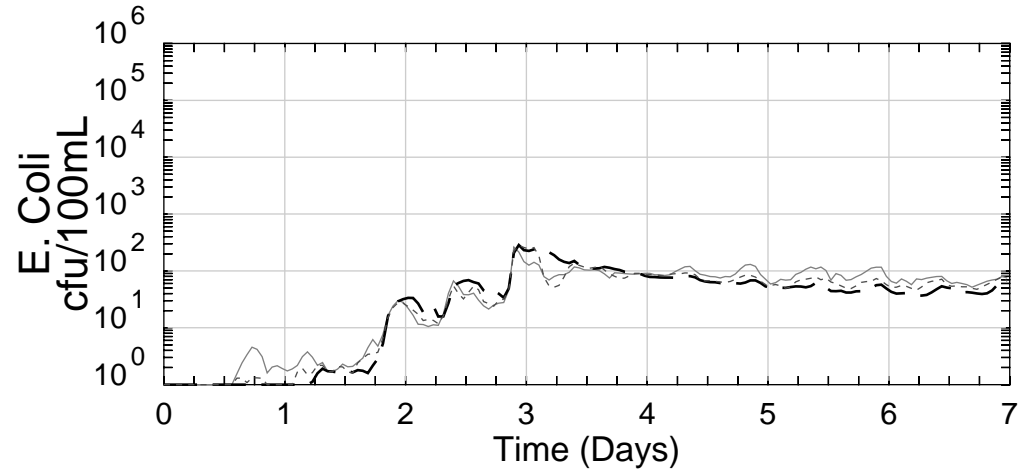
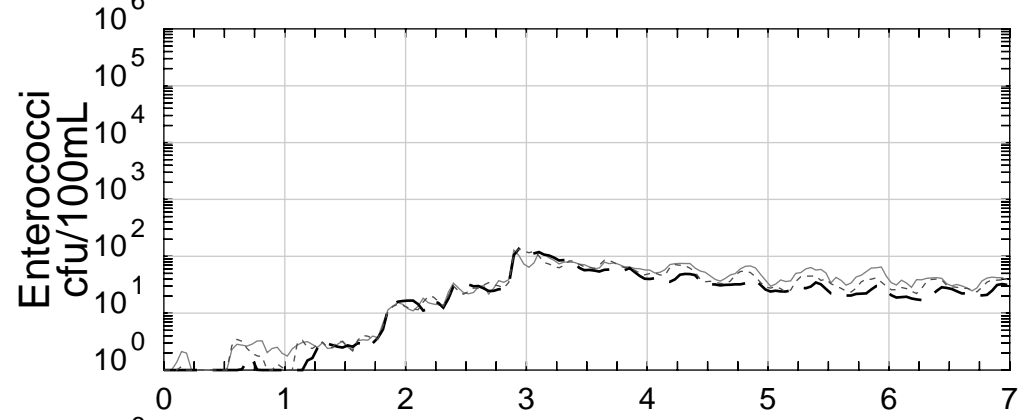
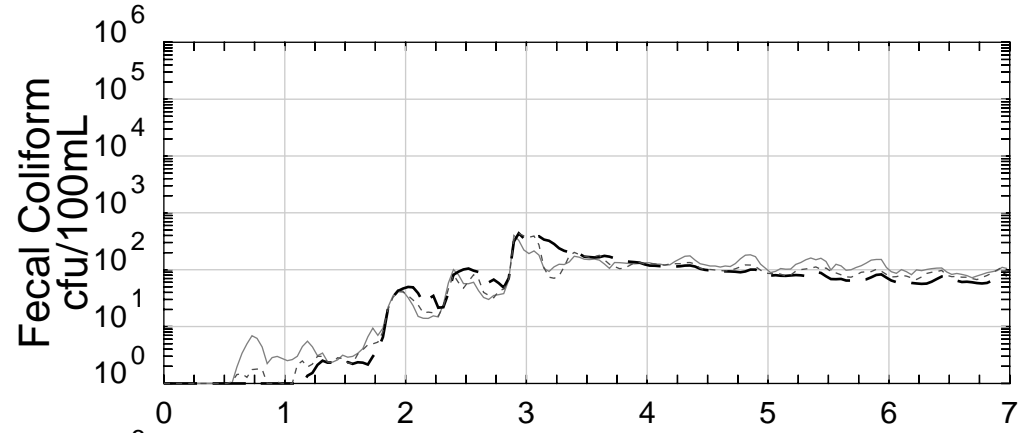
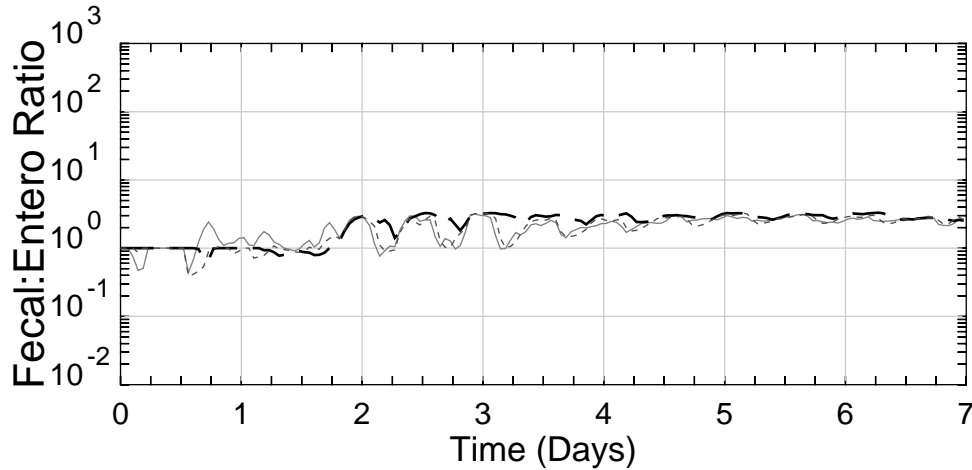
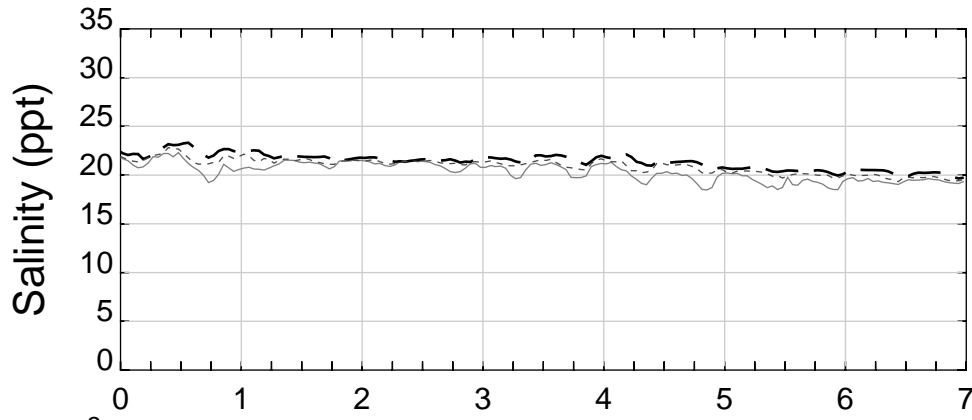
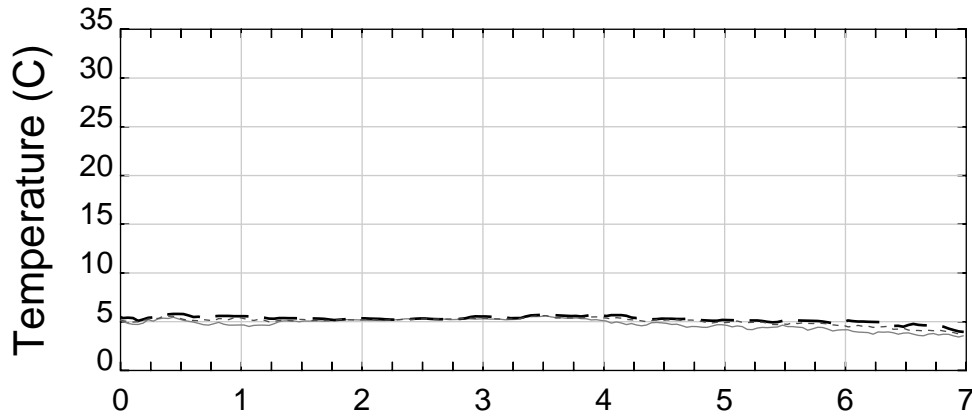


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— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - · - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 18 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



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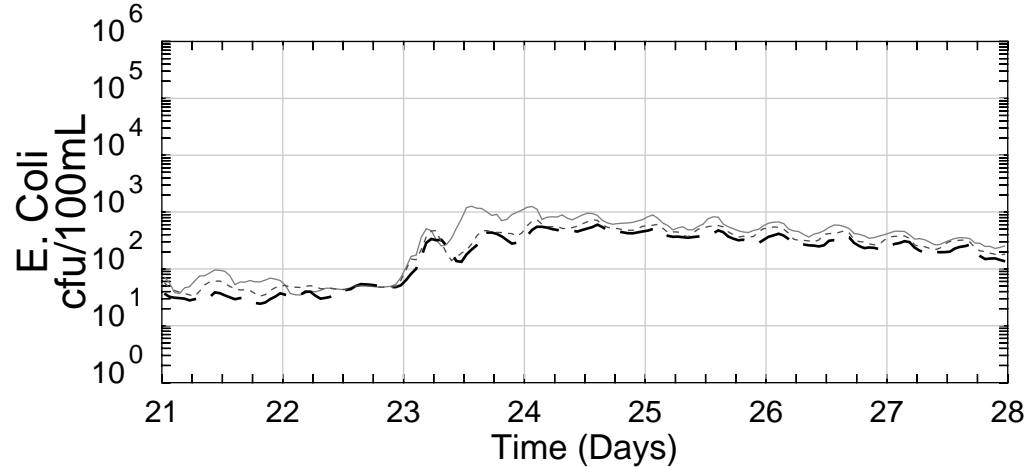
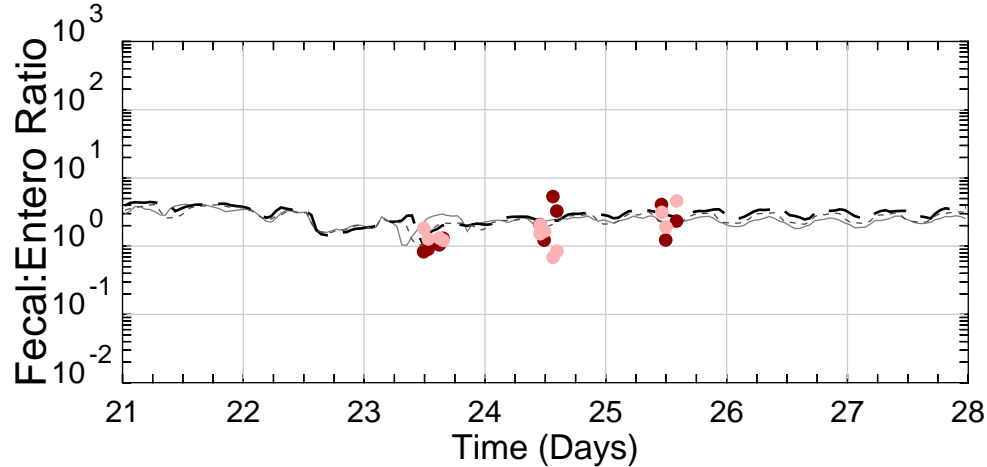
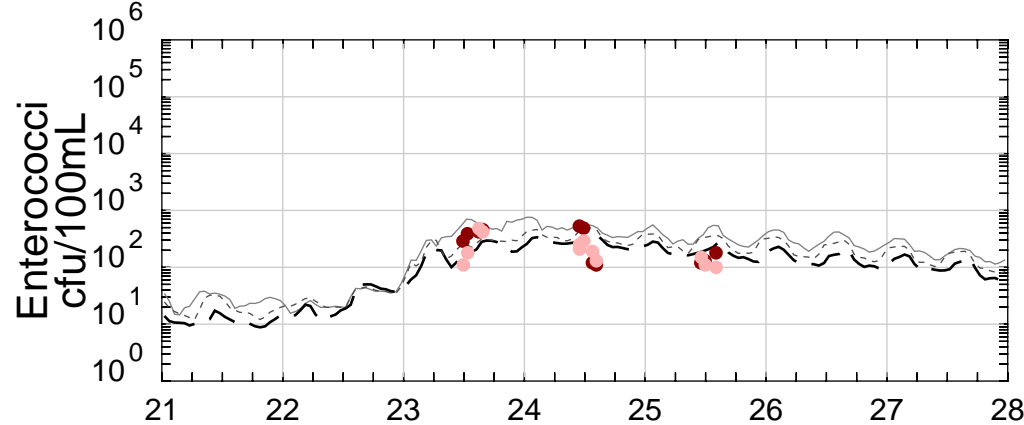
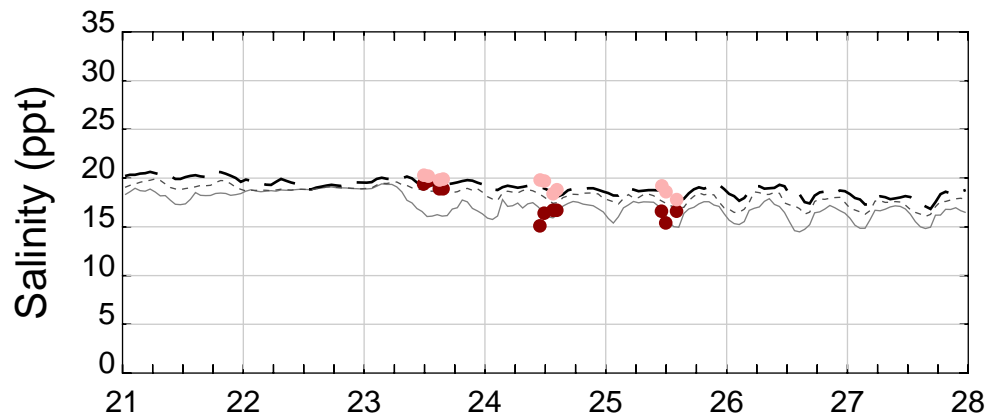
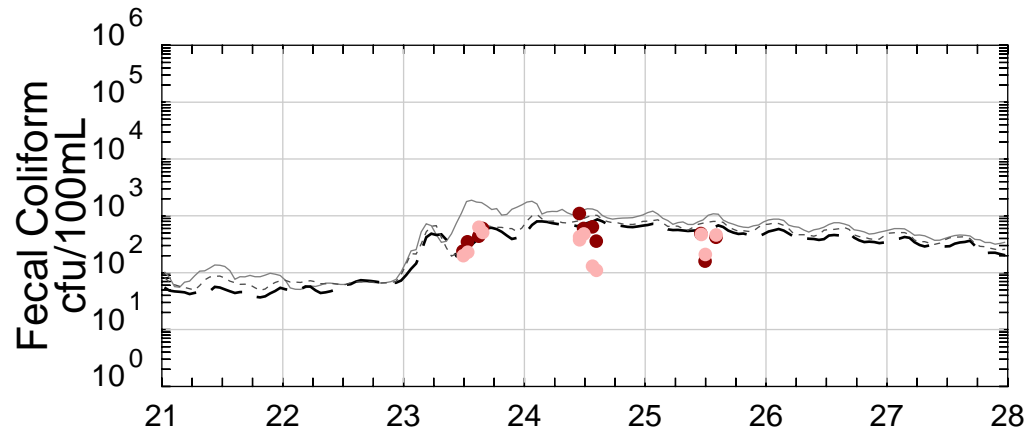
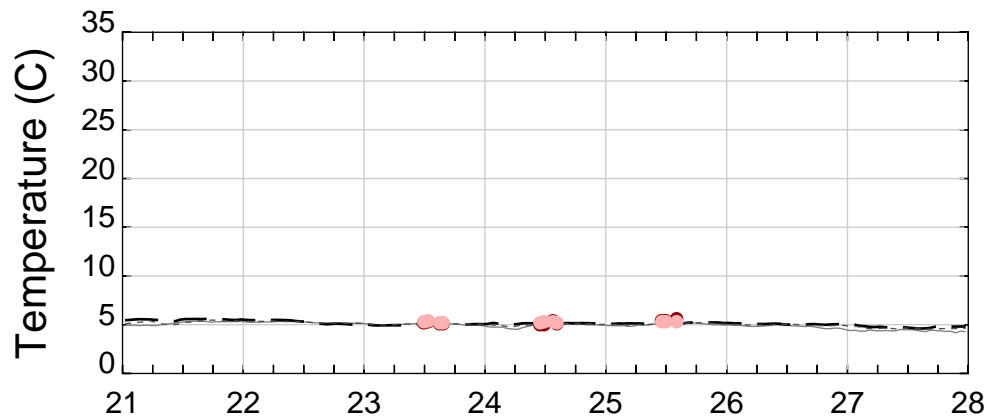
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - . - Model at Bottom

● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Newark Bay & Tributaries Newark Bay

SE3

Station: 18 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)

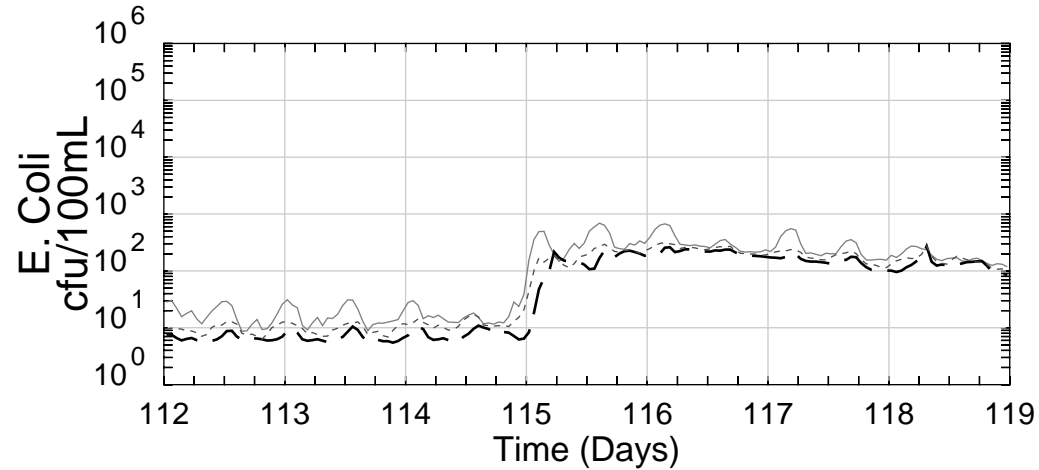
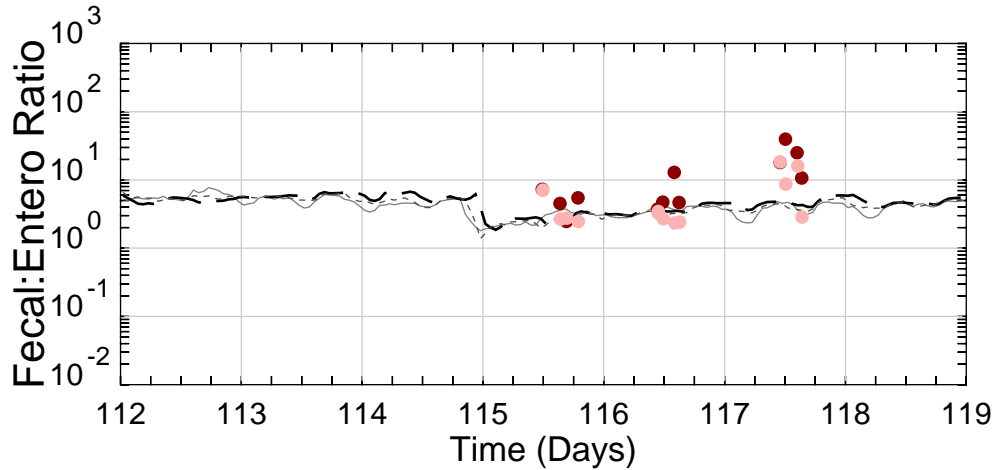
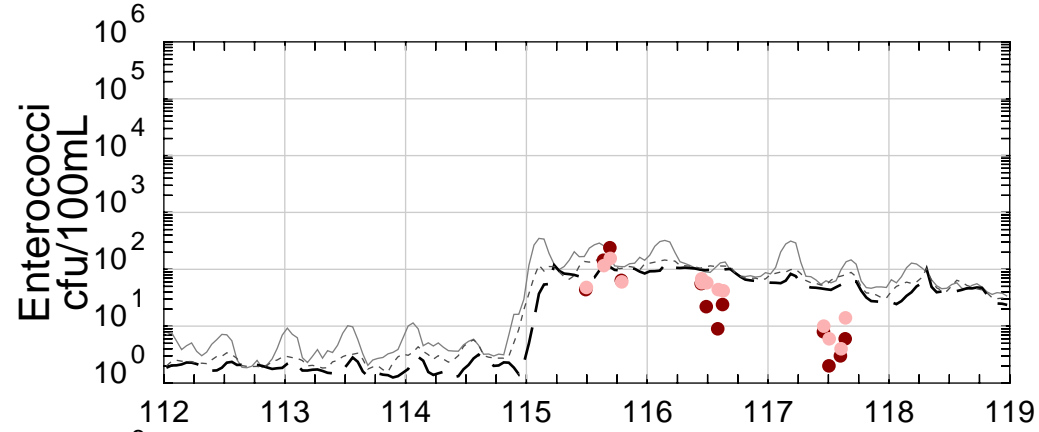
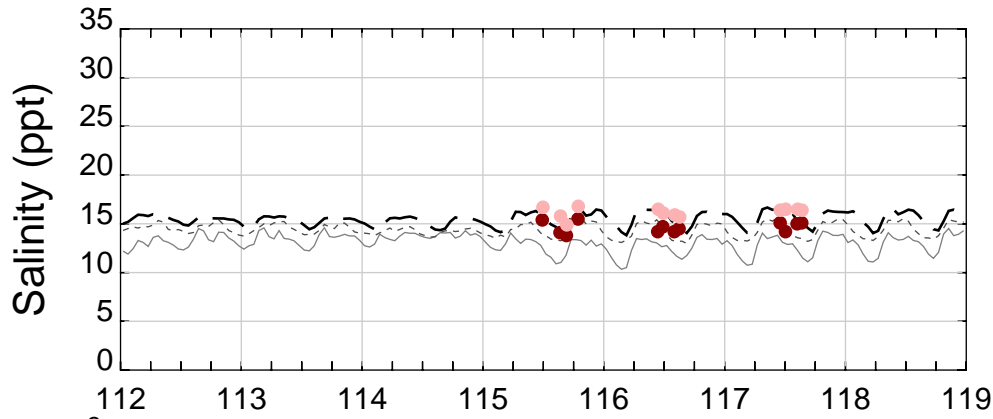
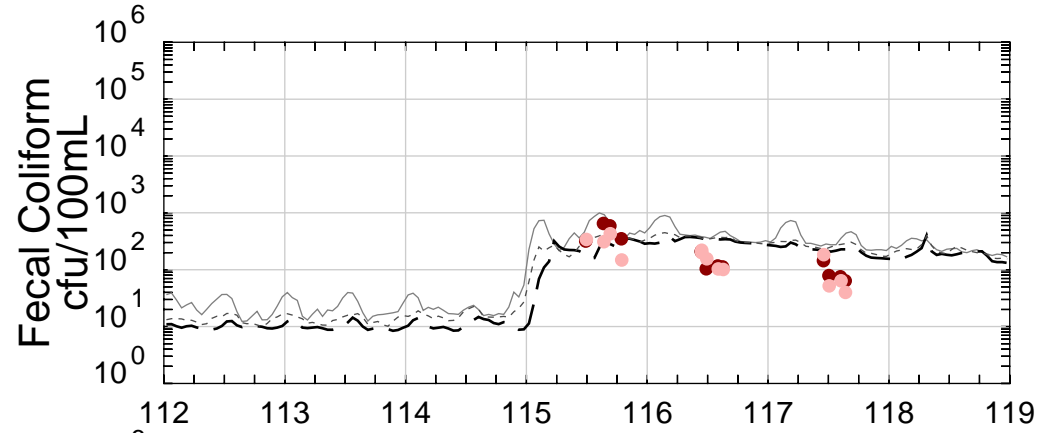
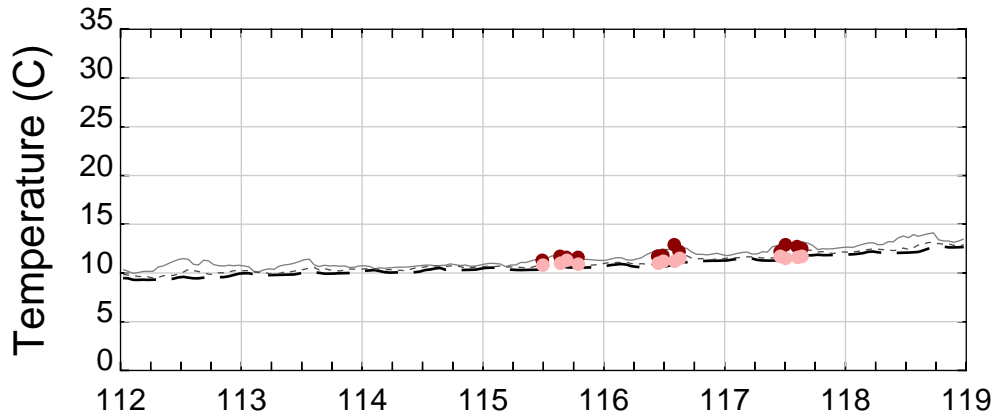


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Data = 2017

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 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 18 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



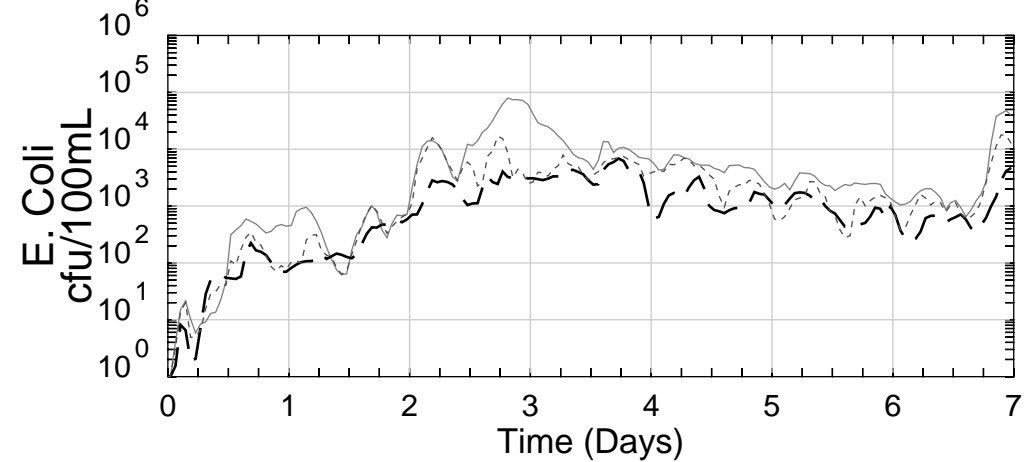
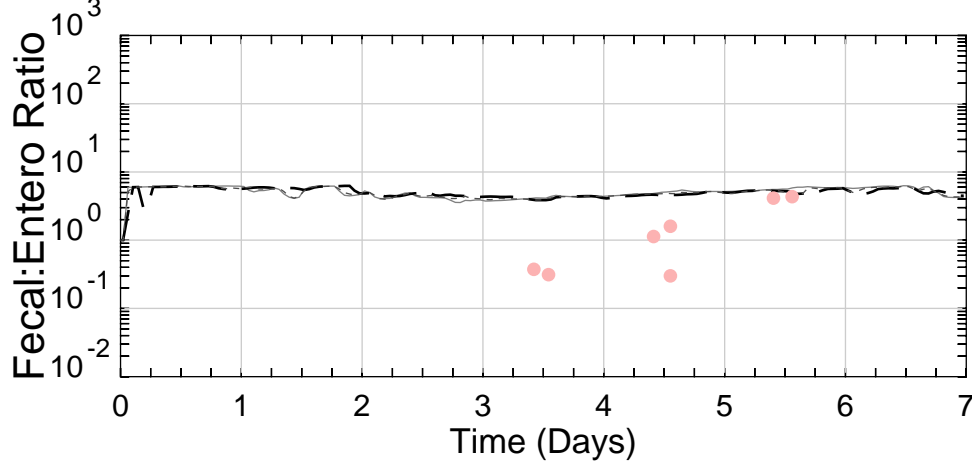
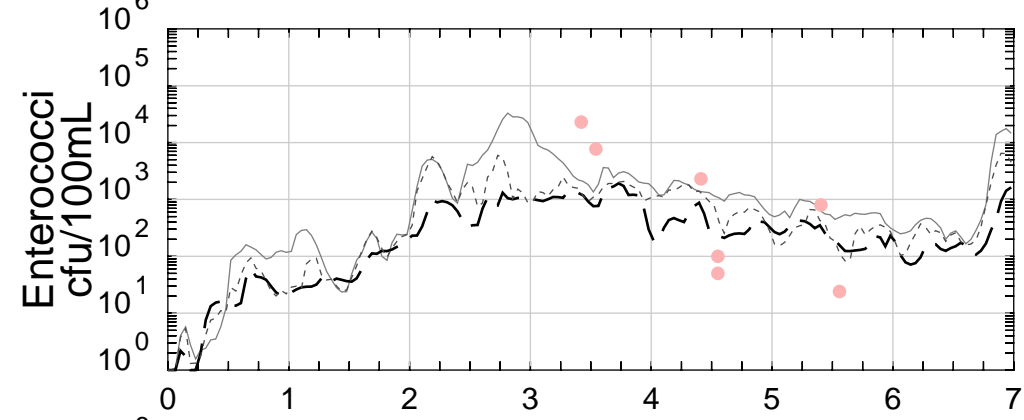
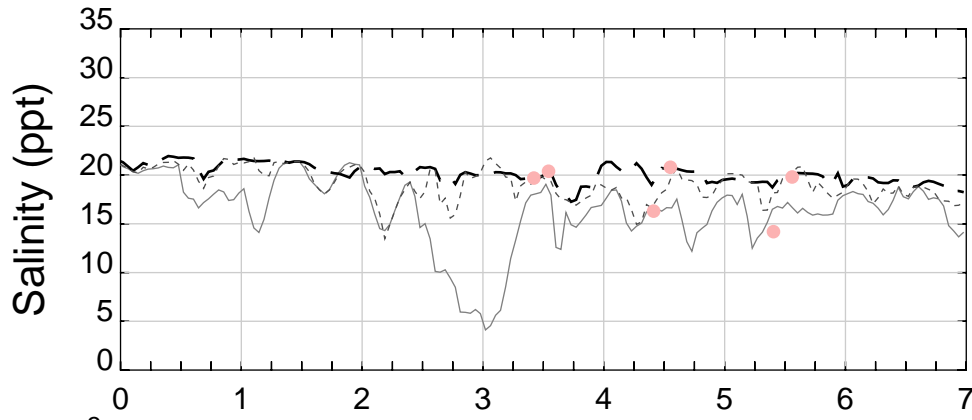
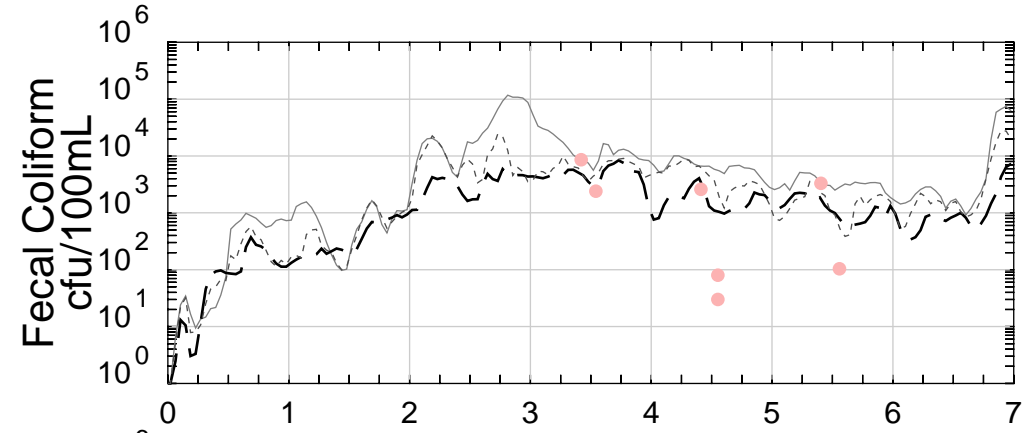
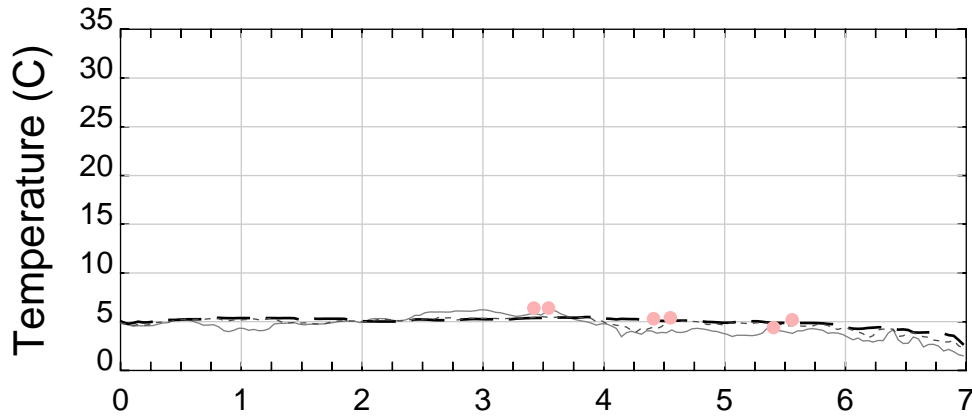
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 Data = 2017

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 - . - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



Station: 20 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)

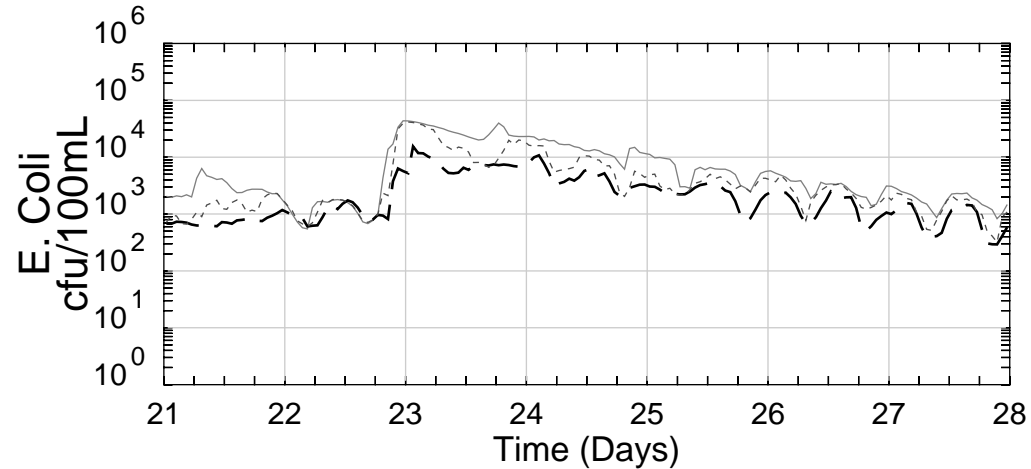
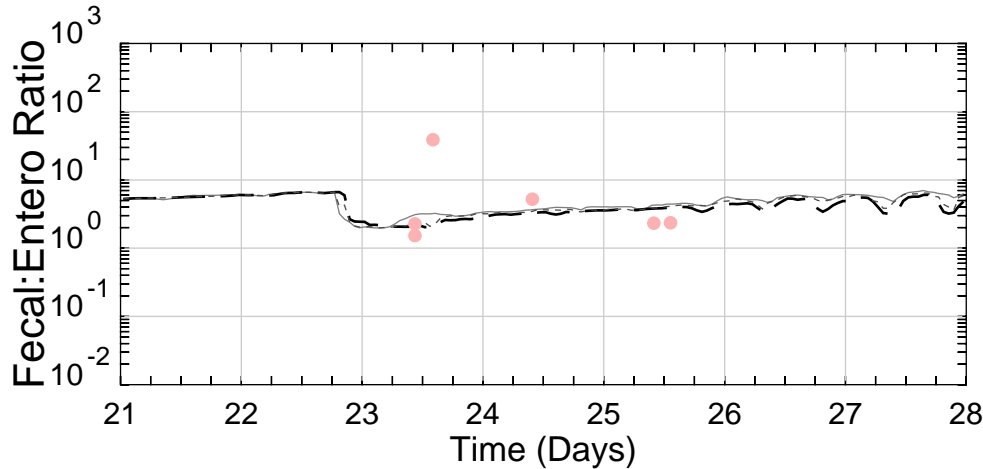
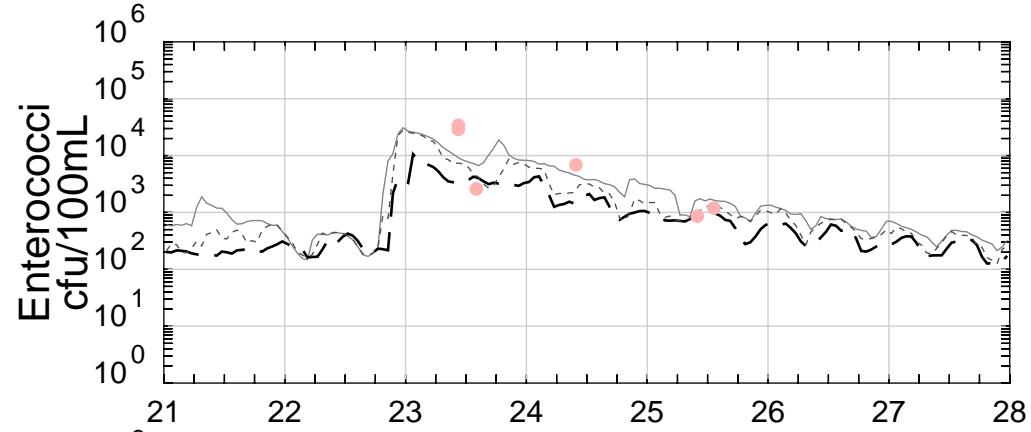
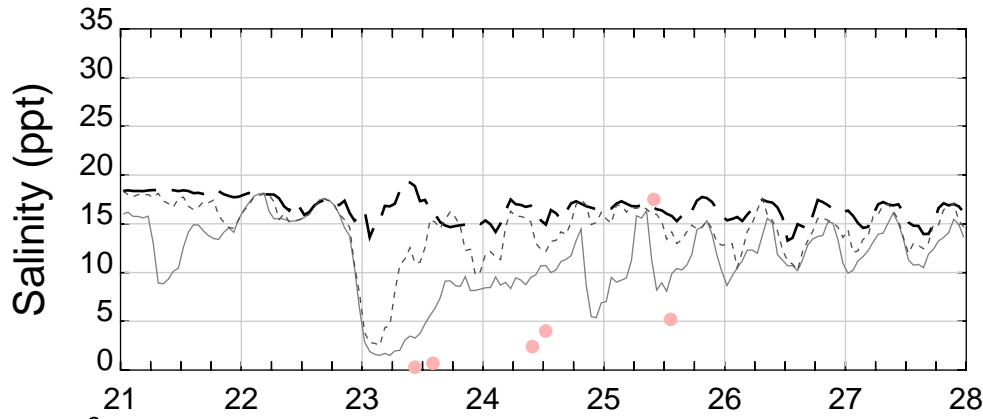
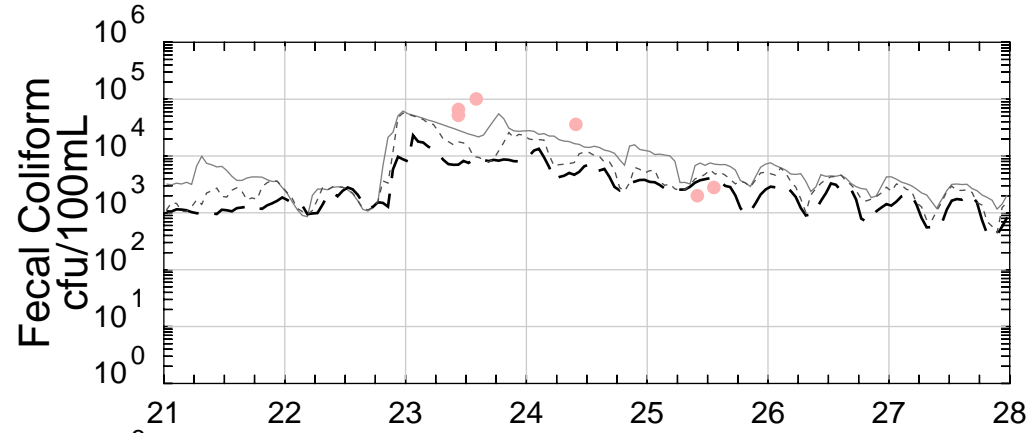
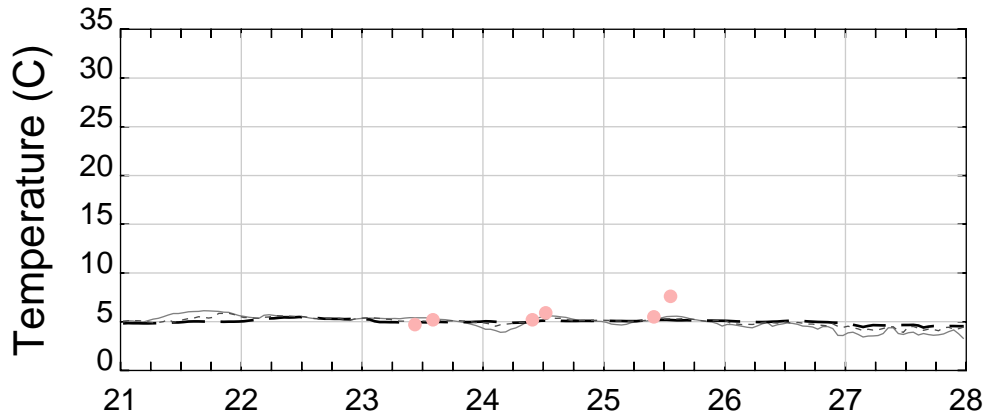


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 Data = 2017

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 - . - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 20 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)

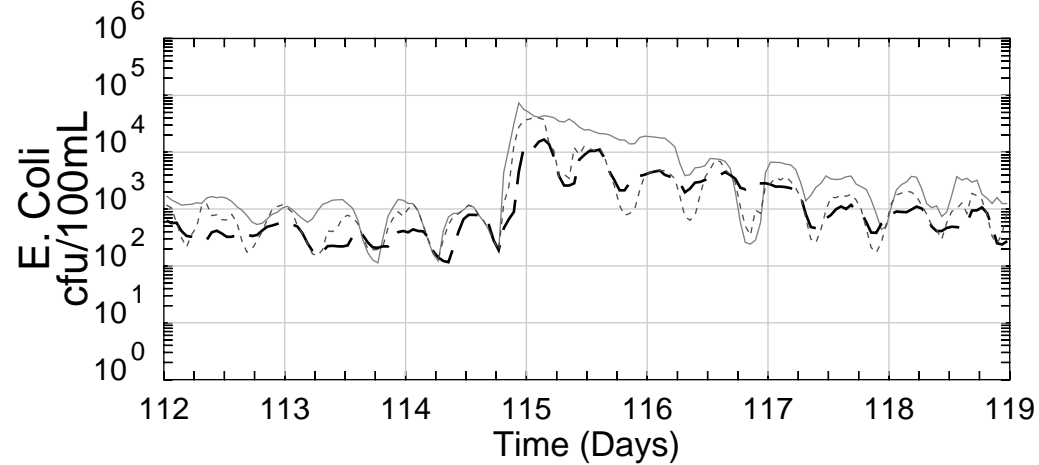
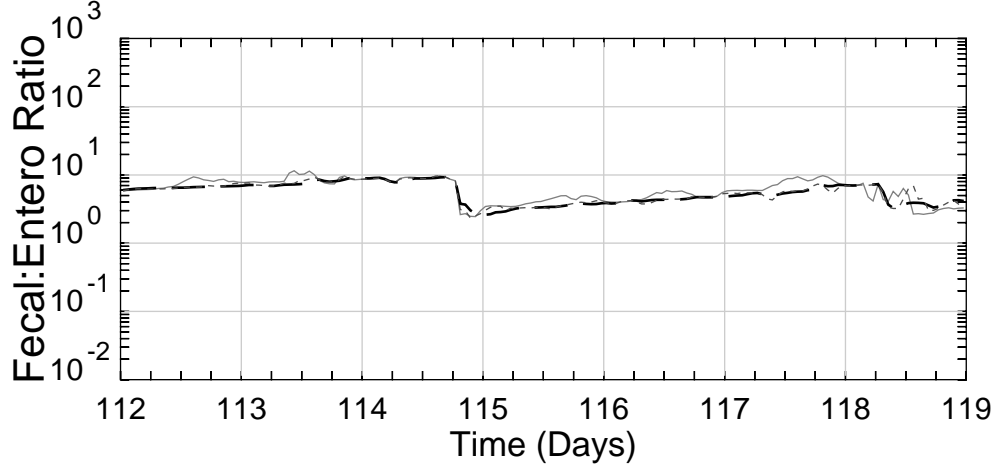
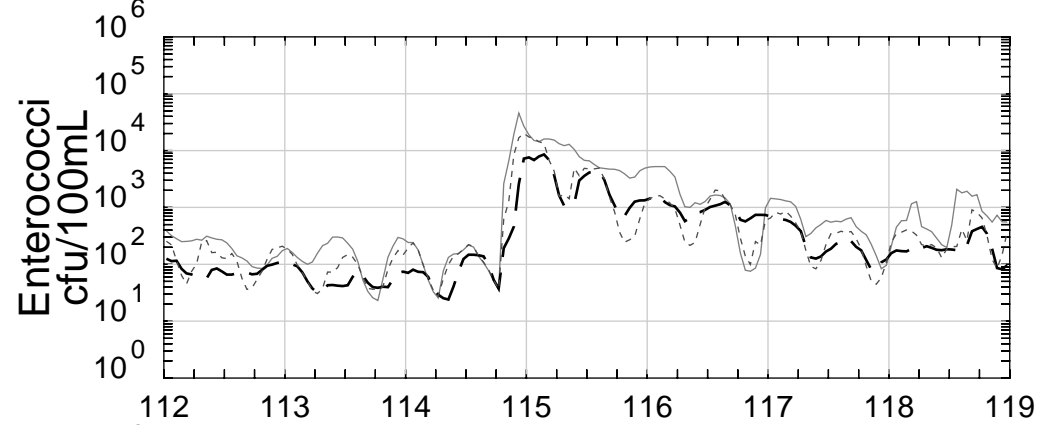
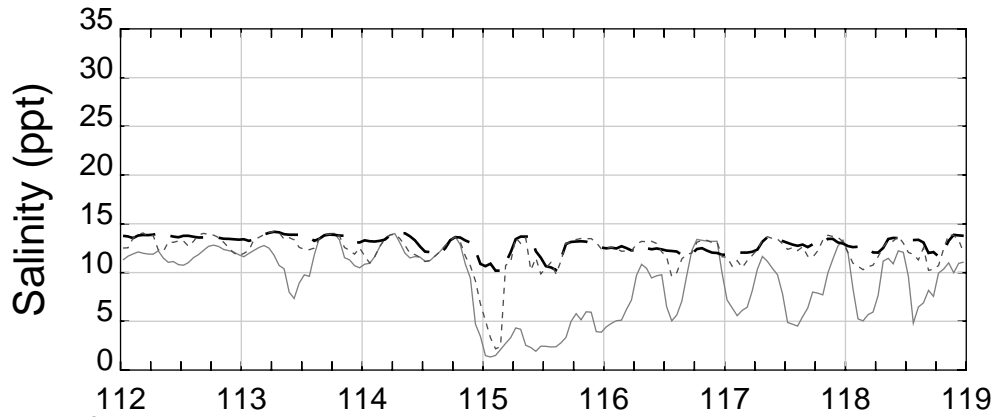
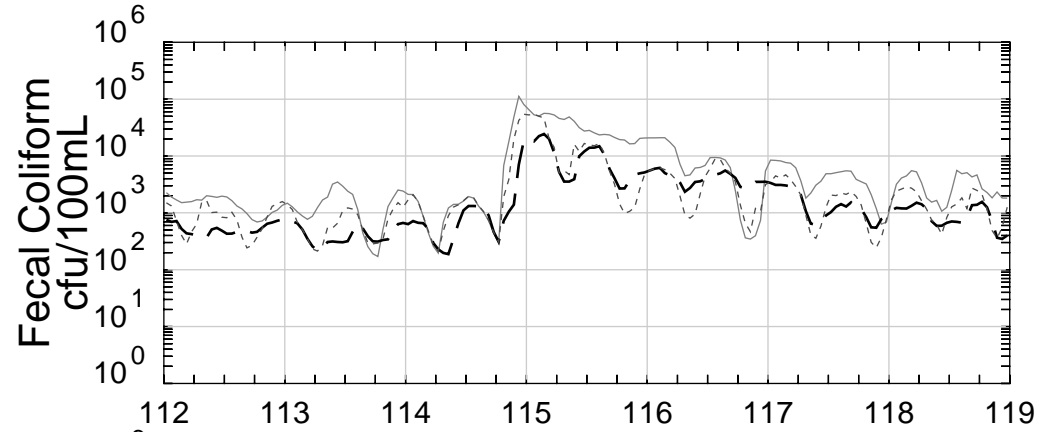
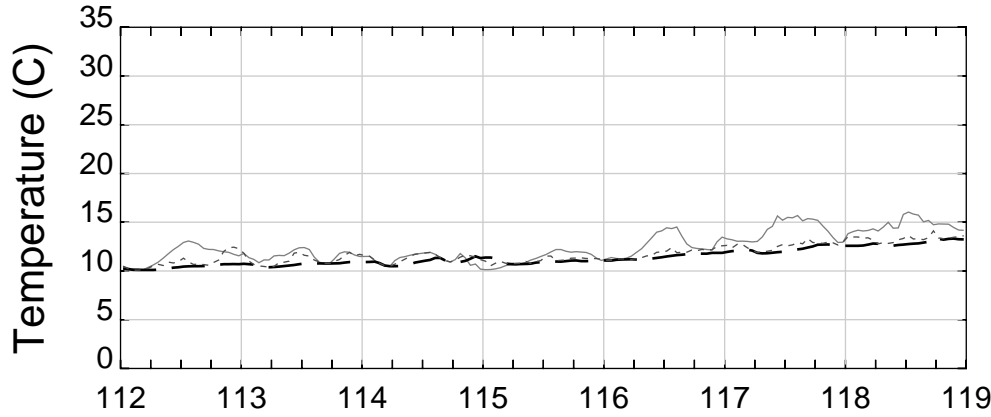


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 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - · - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 20 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



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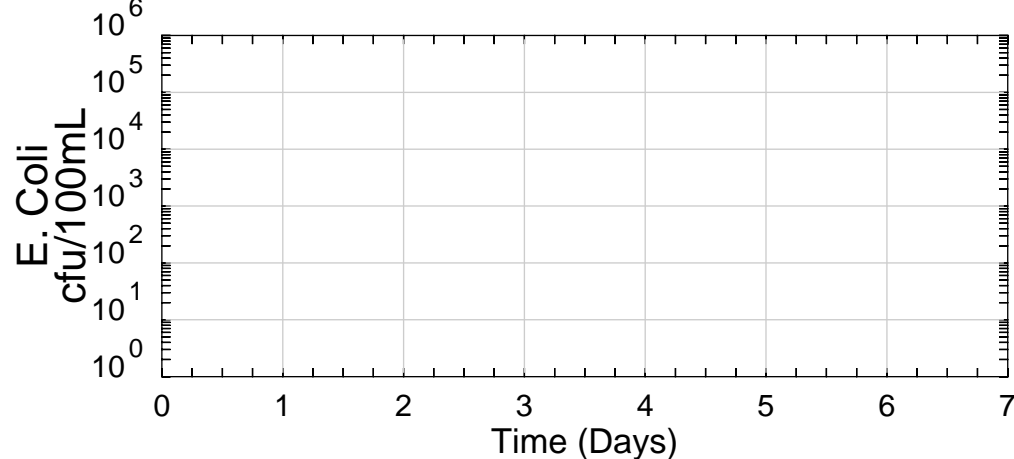
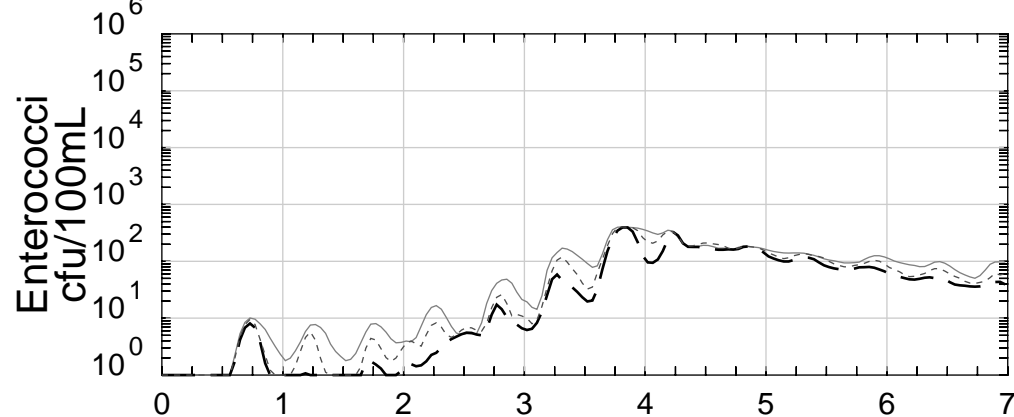
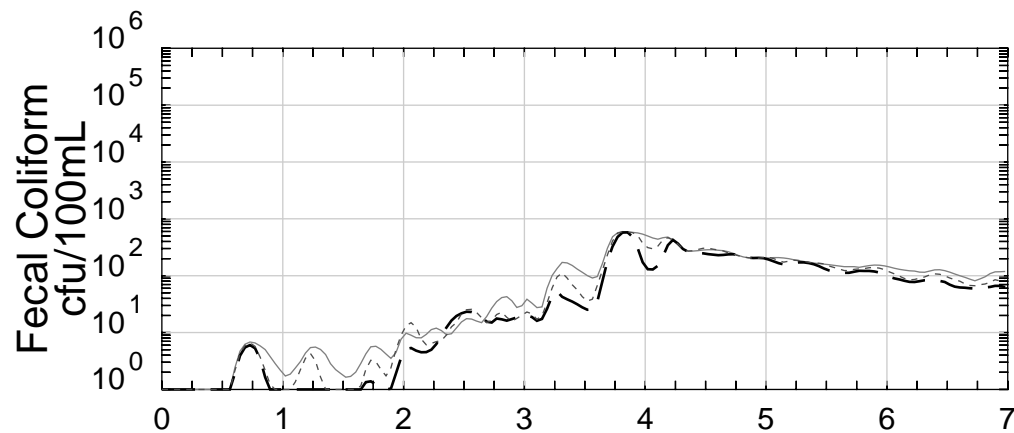
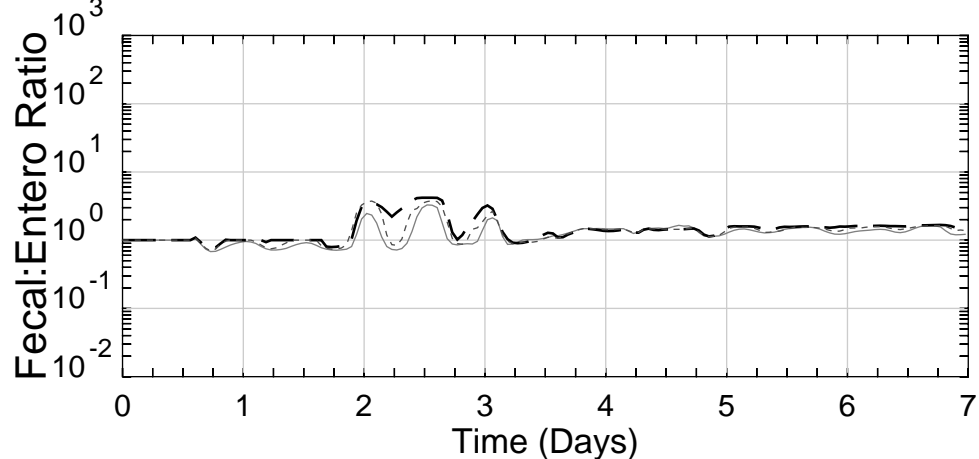
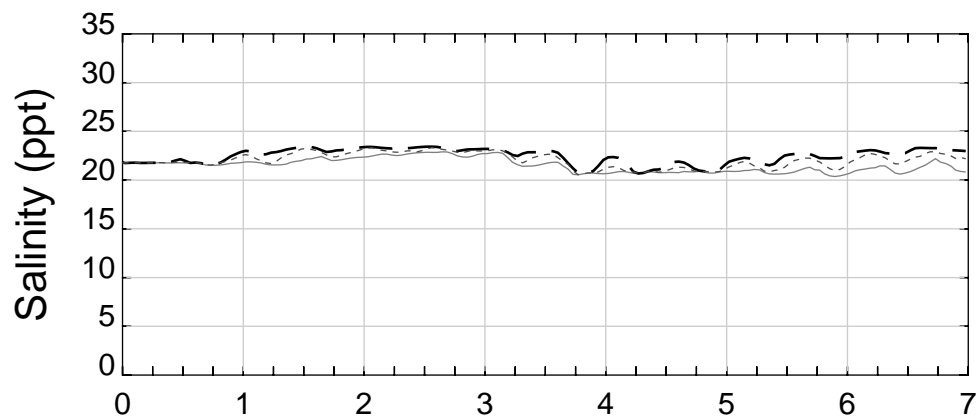
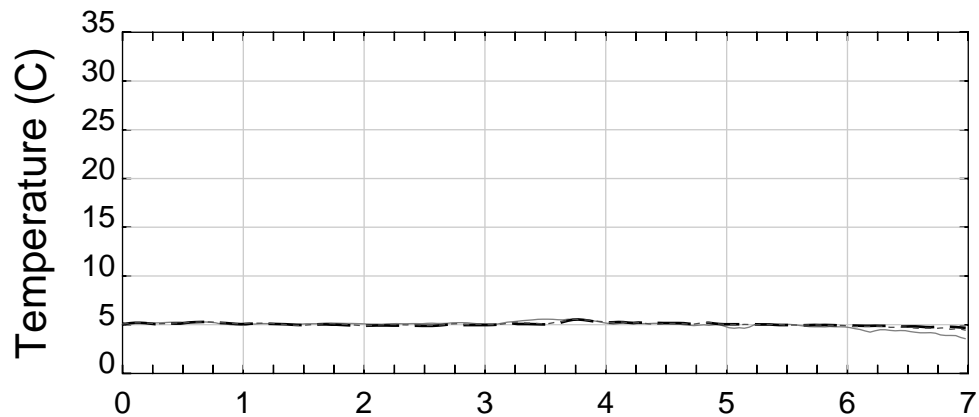
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - . - Model at Bottom

● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Arthur Kill, Raritan River/Bay & Tributaries Arthur Kill

SE3

Station: 24 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



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Data = 2017

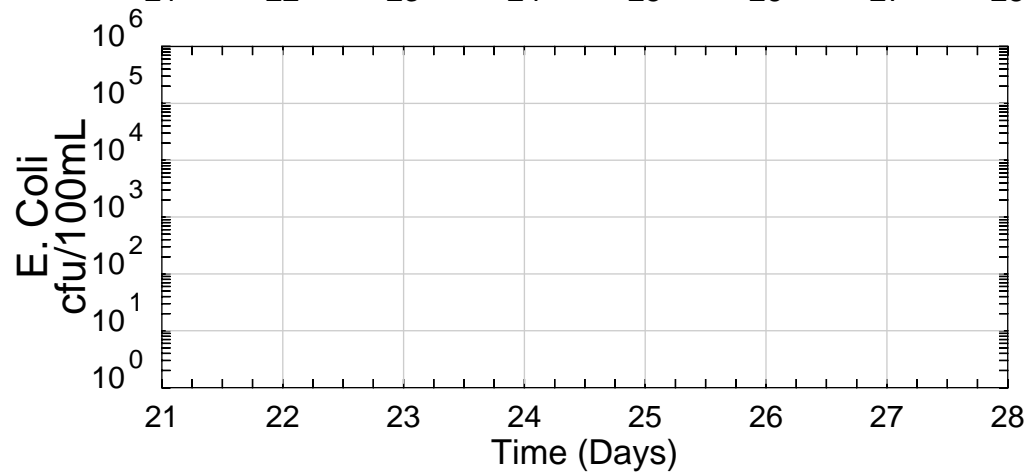
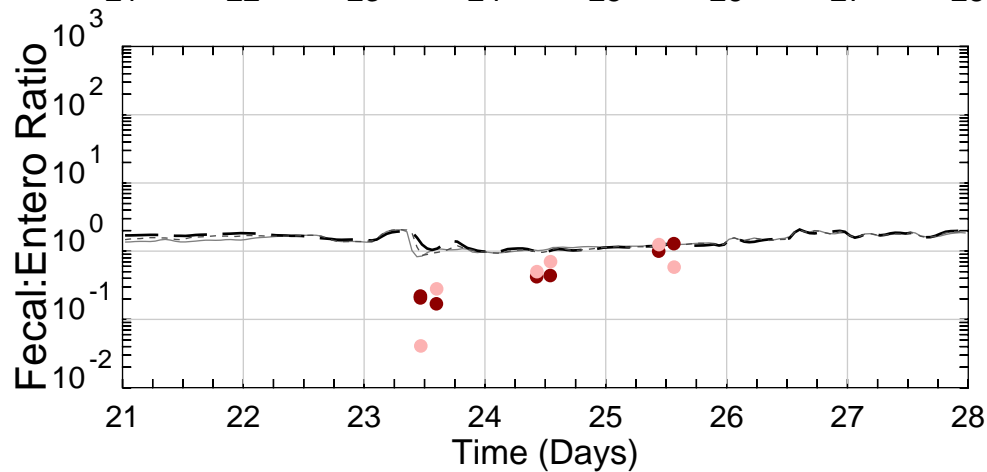
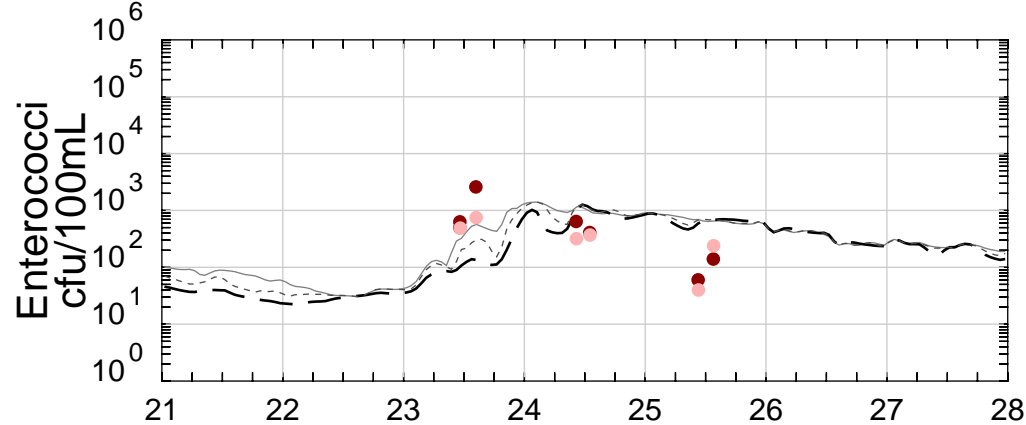
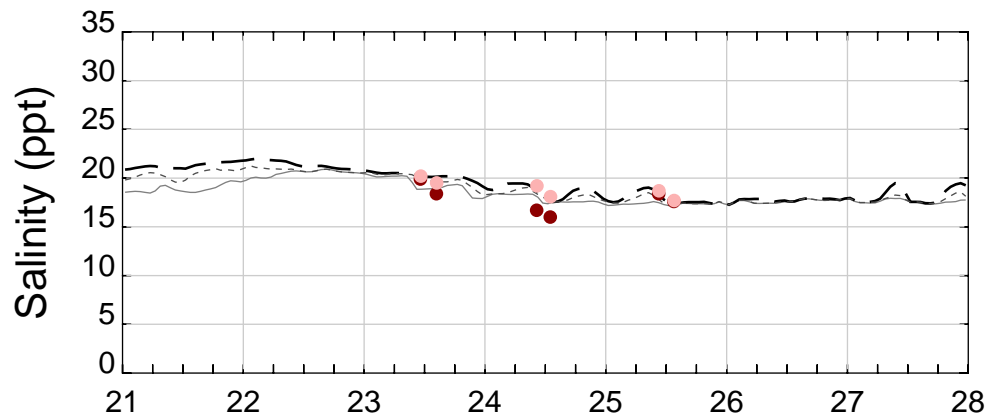
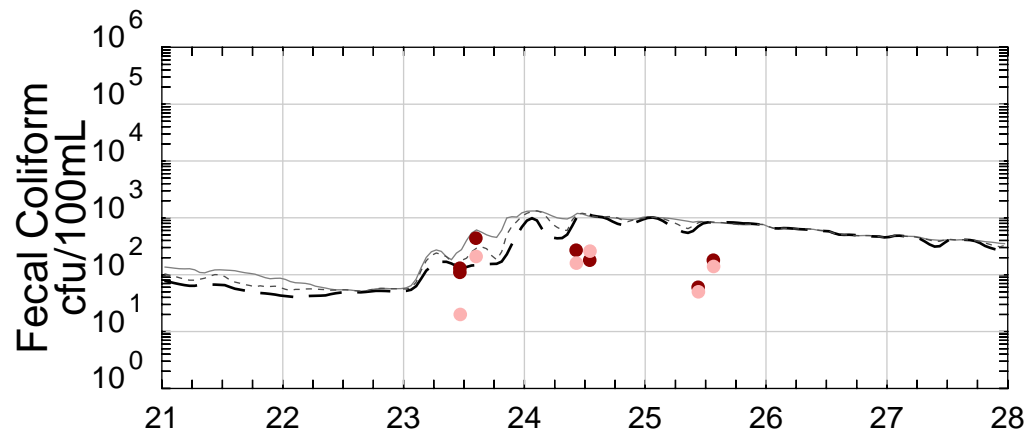
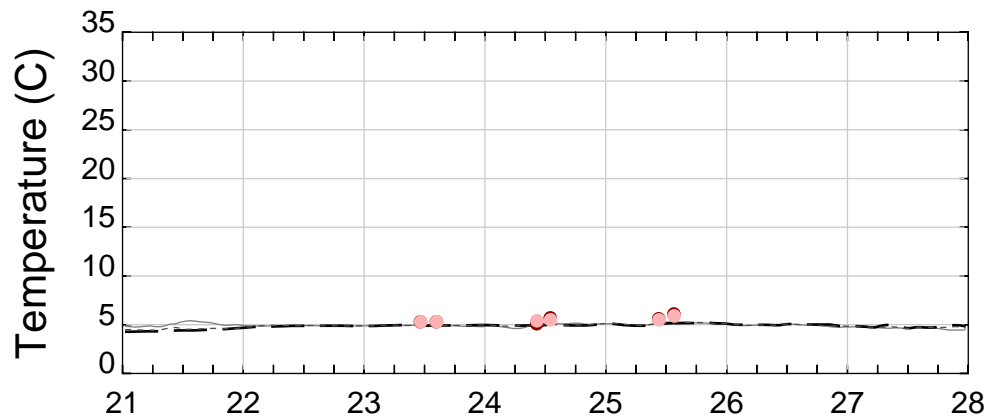
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - · - Model at Bottom

● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Arthur Kill, Raritan River/Bay & Tributaries Arthur Kill

SE3

Station: 24 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)

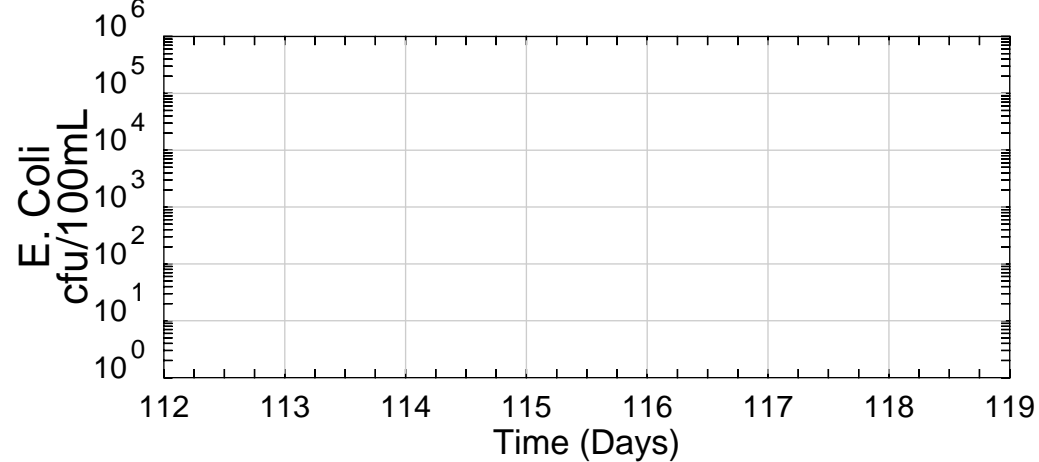
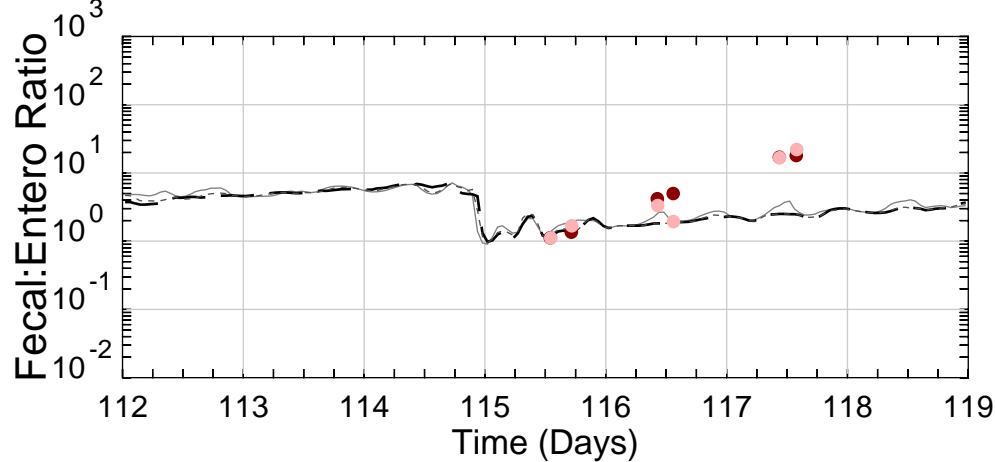
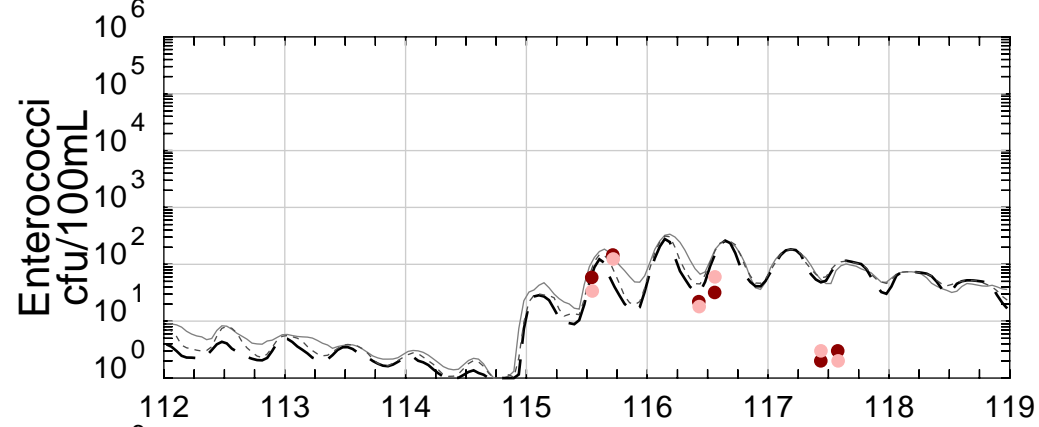
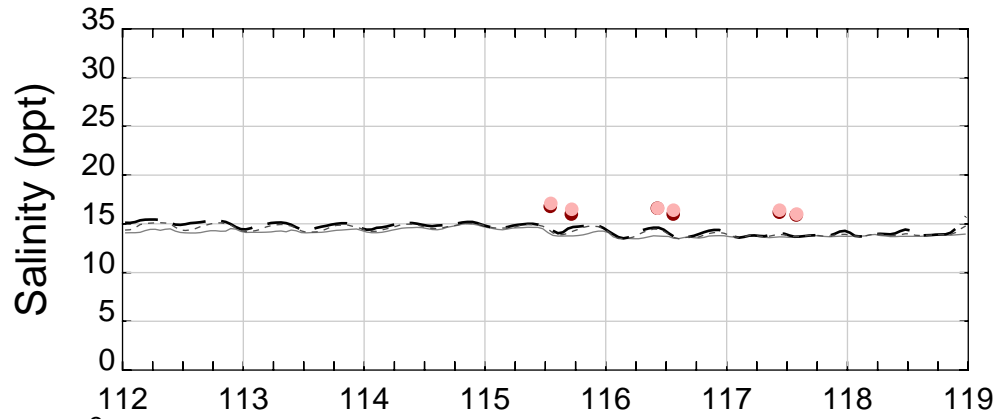
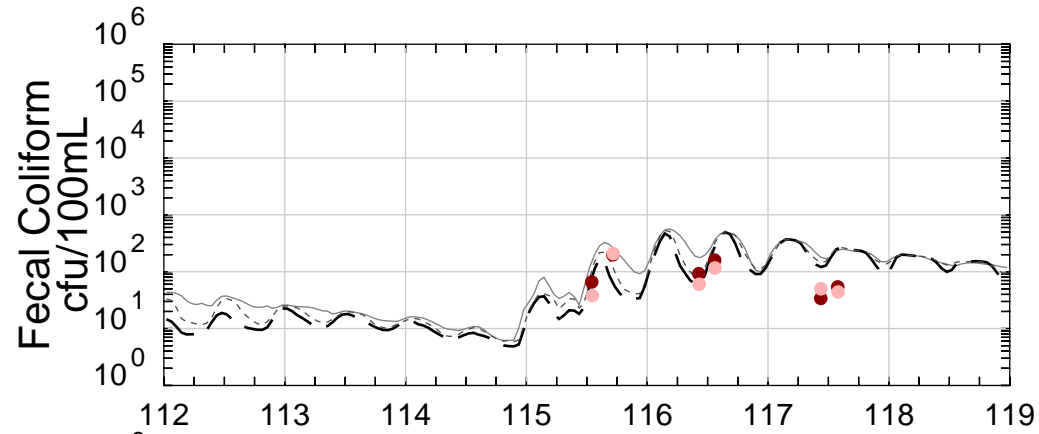
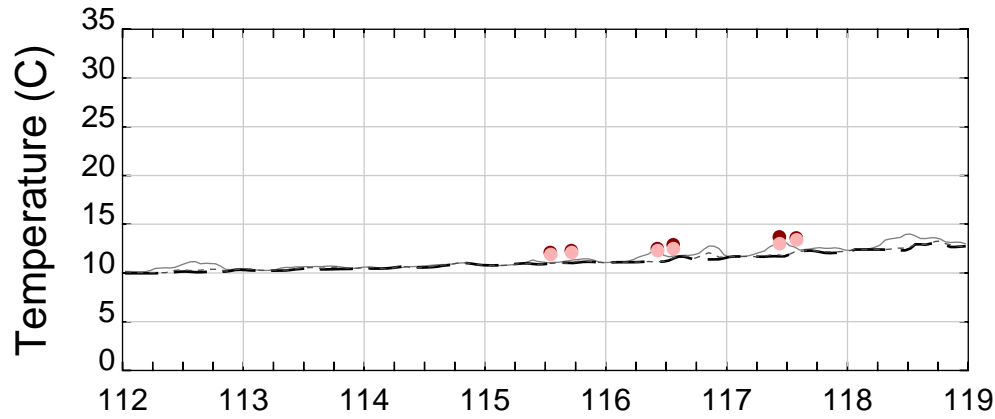


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Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom

- ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 24 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

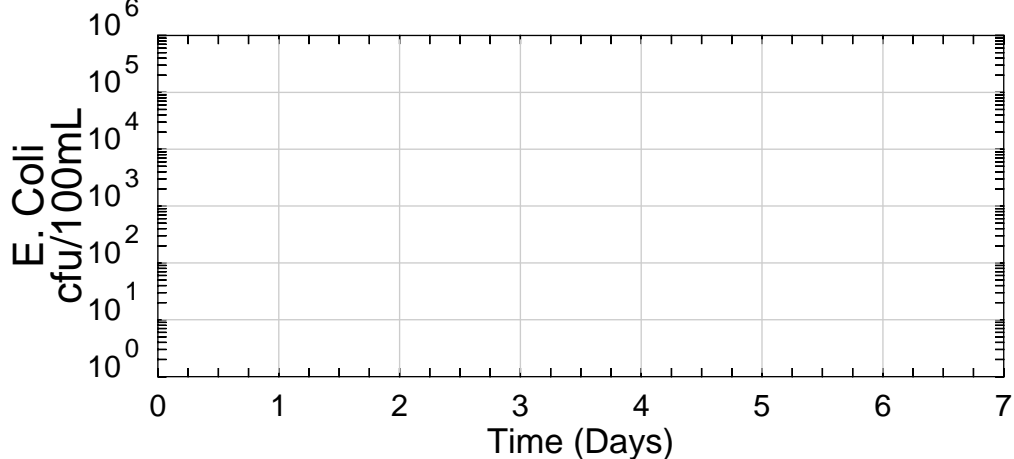
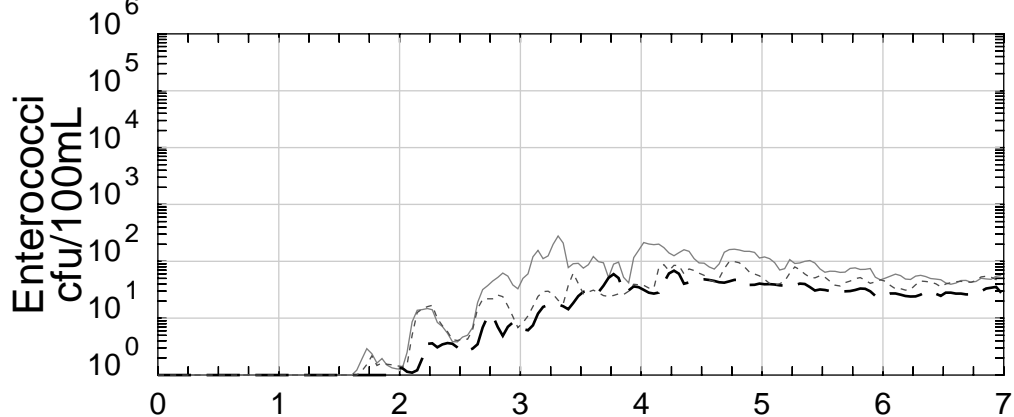
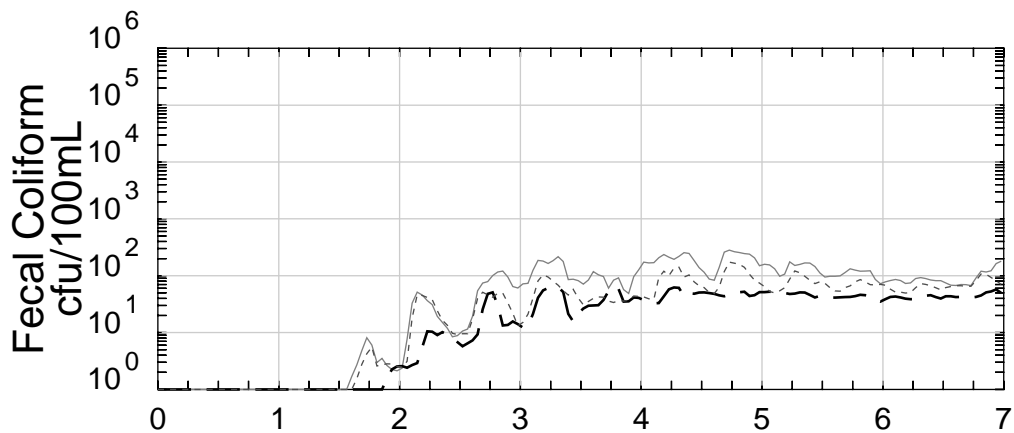
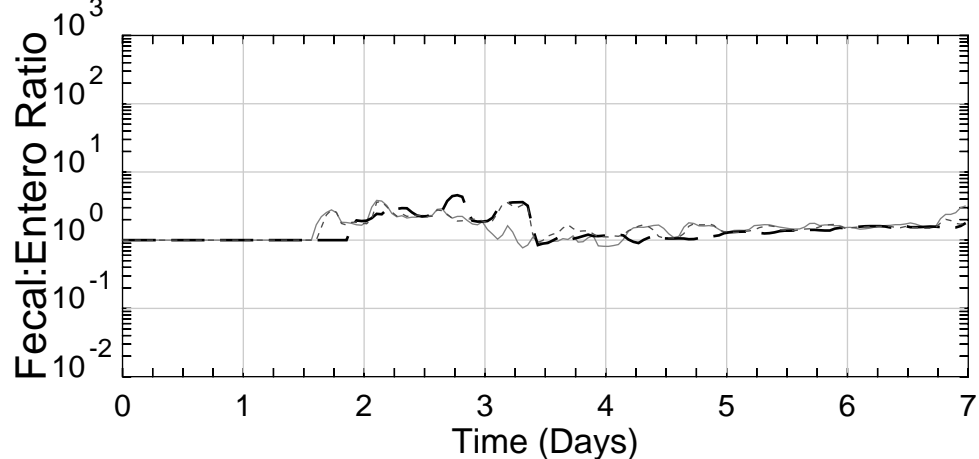
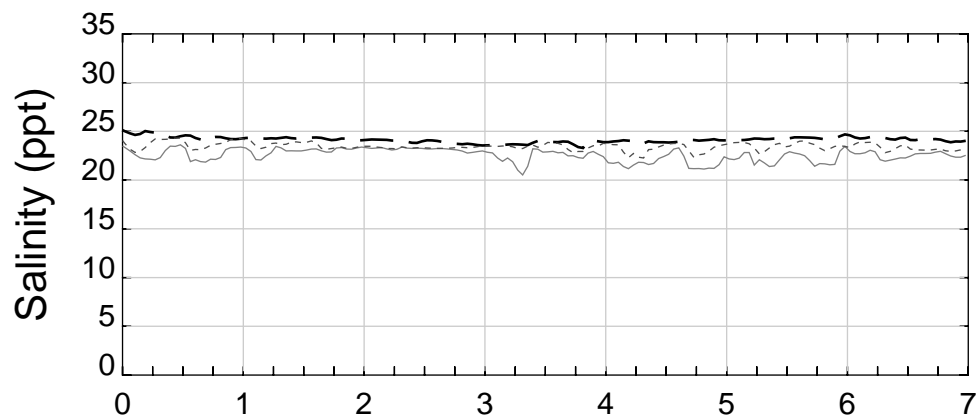
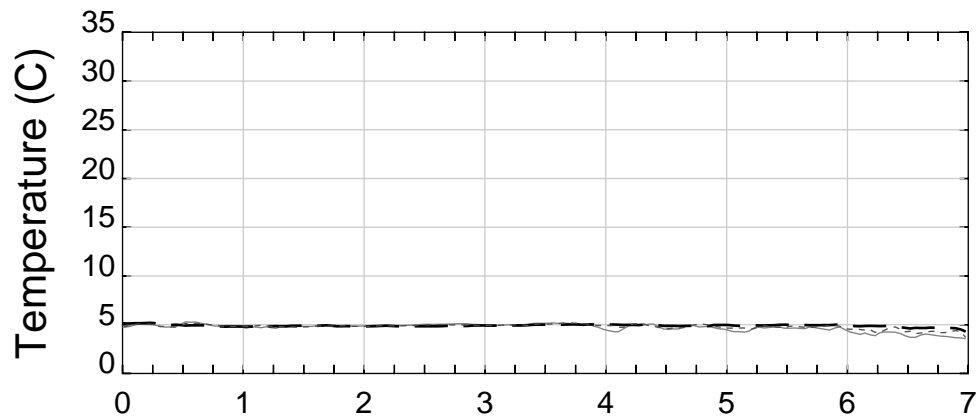
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Arthur Kill, Raritan River/Bay & Tributaries Arthur Kill

SE2

Station: B15 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



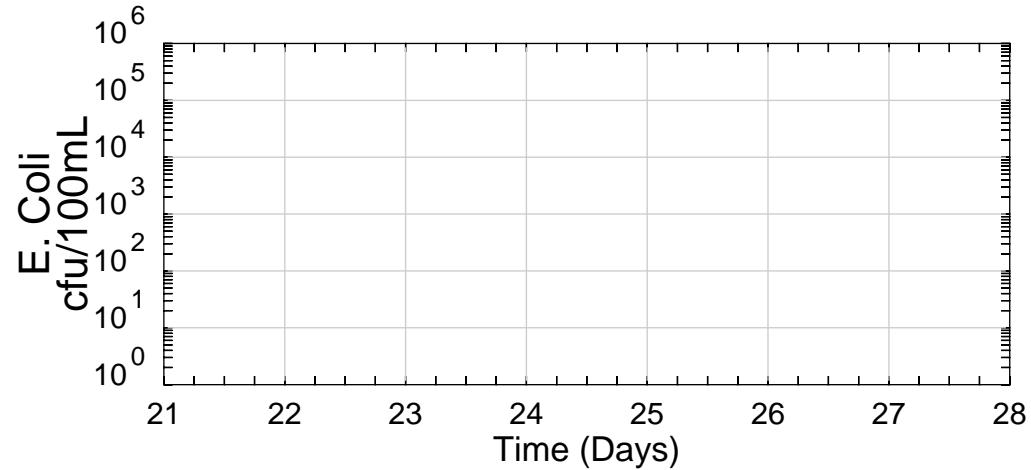
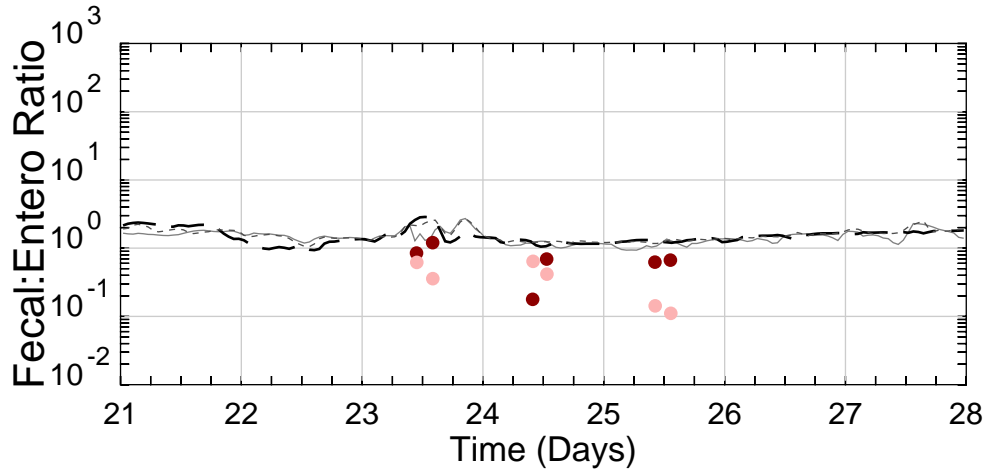
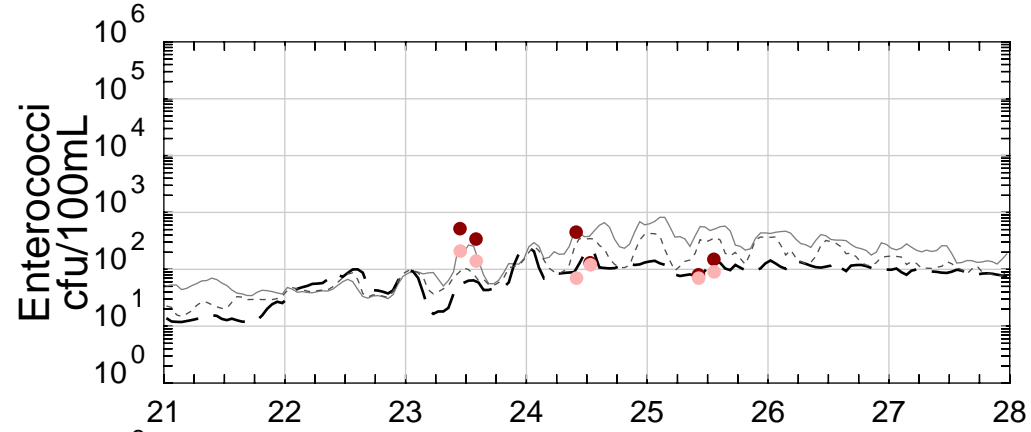
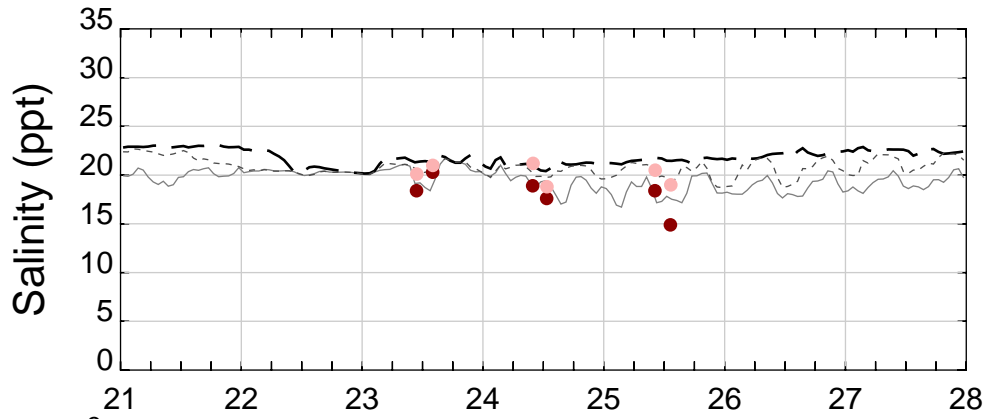
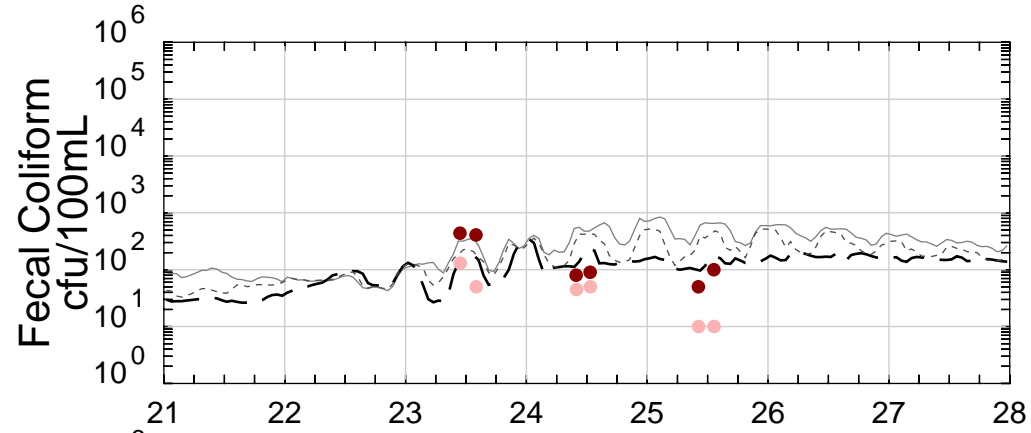
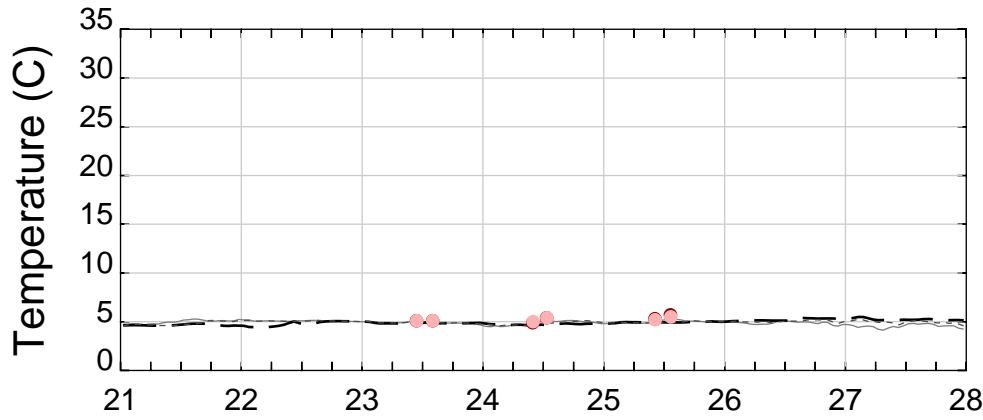
Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



Station: B15 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)



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 Data = 2017

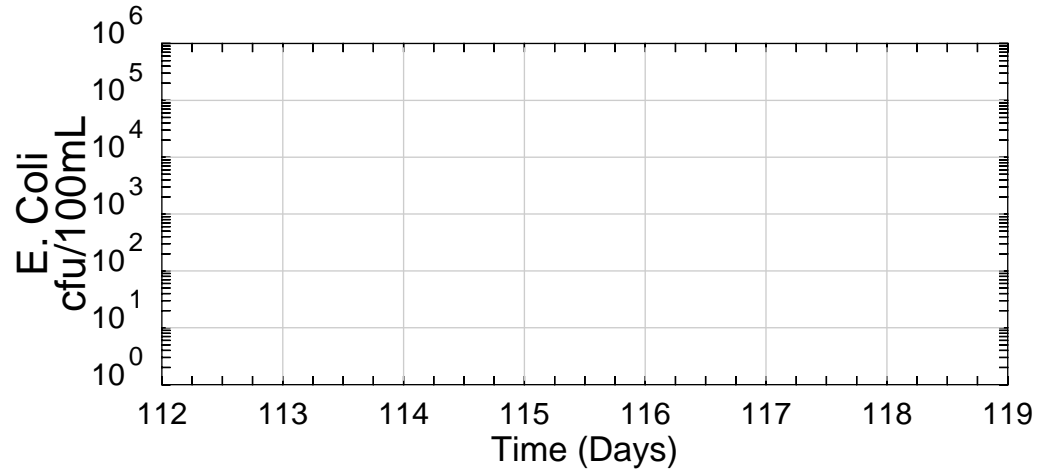
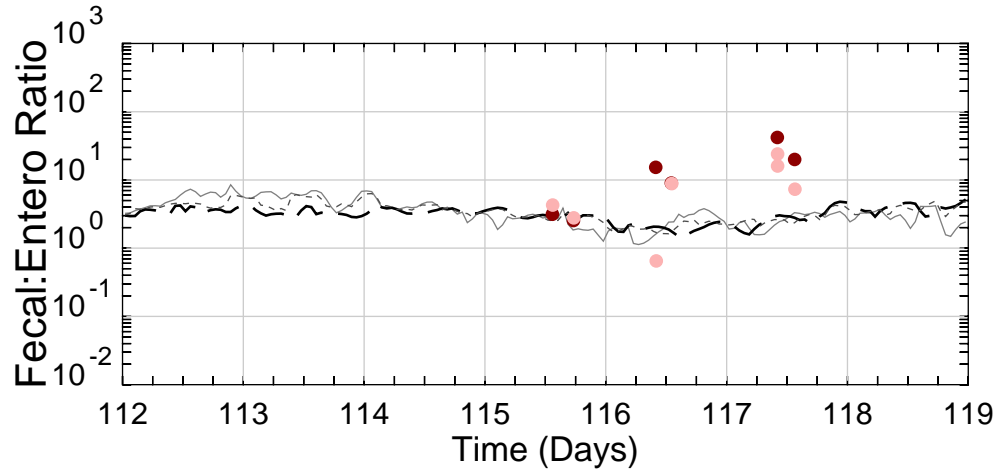
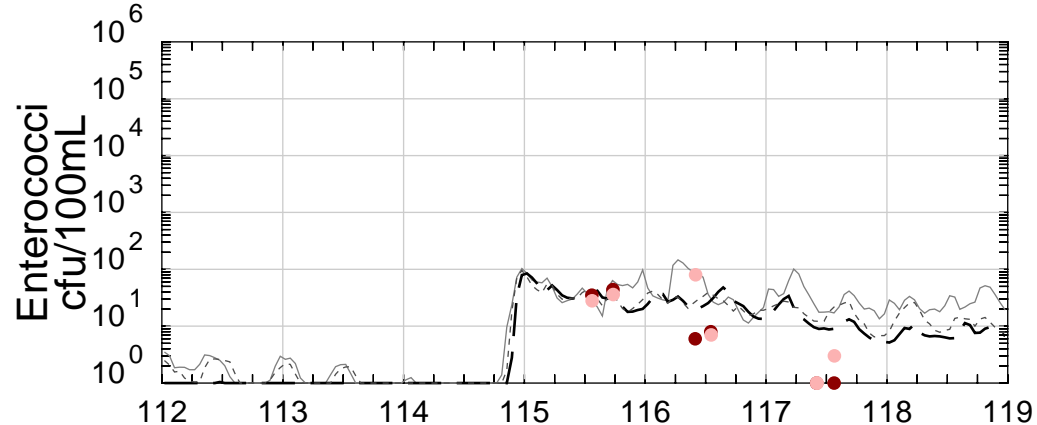
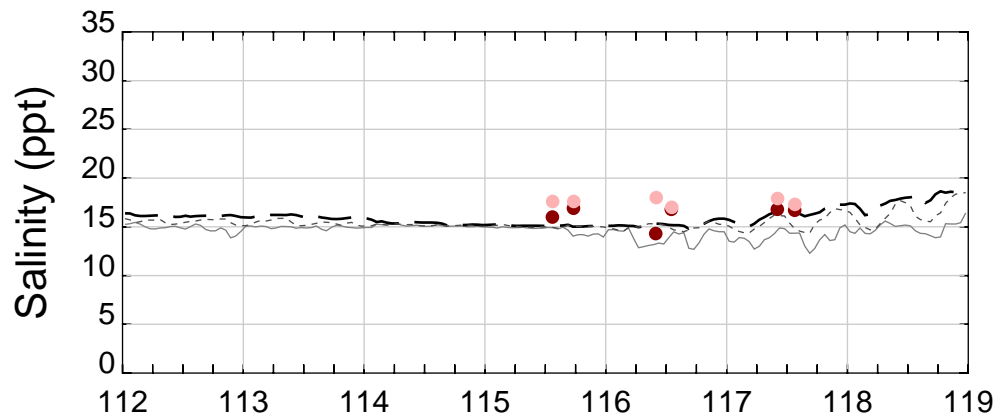
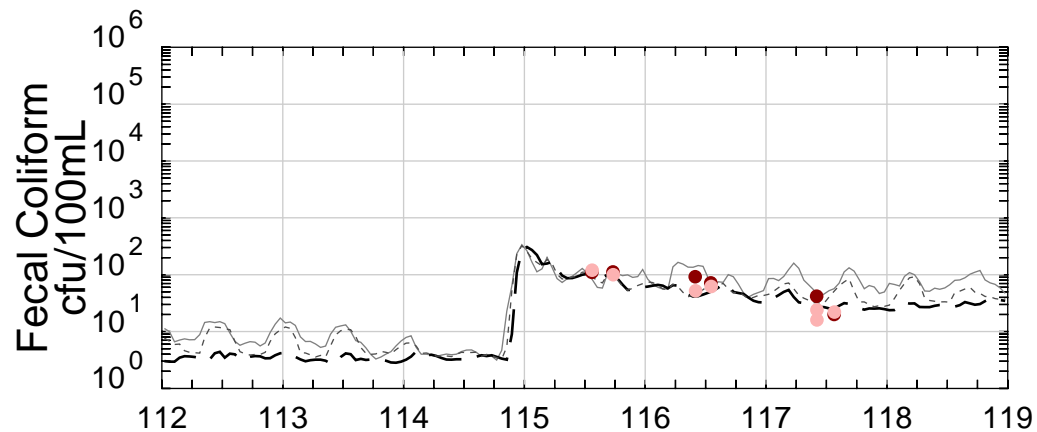
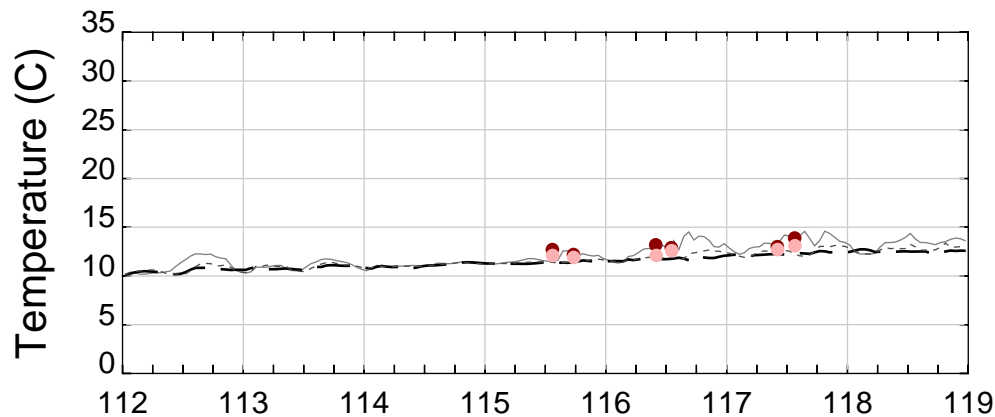
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● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
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# Arthur Kill, Raritan River/Bay & Tributaries Arthur Kill

SE2

Station: B15 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



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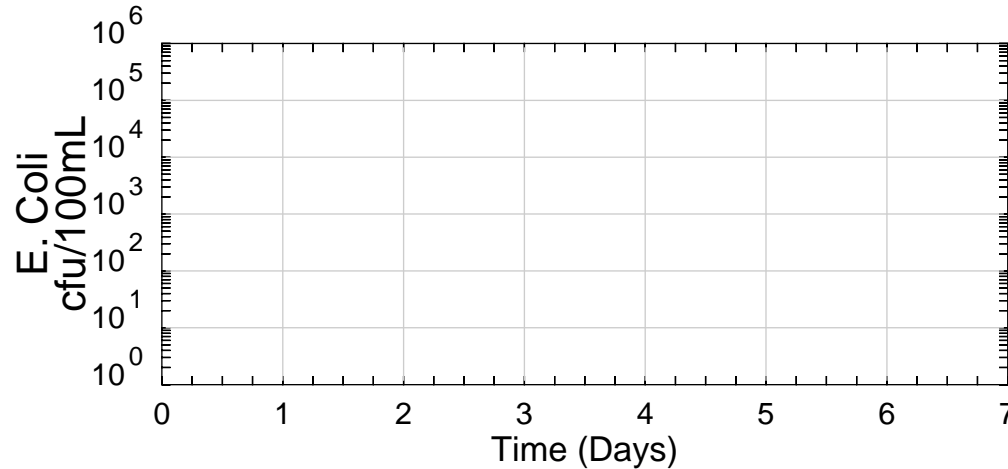
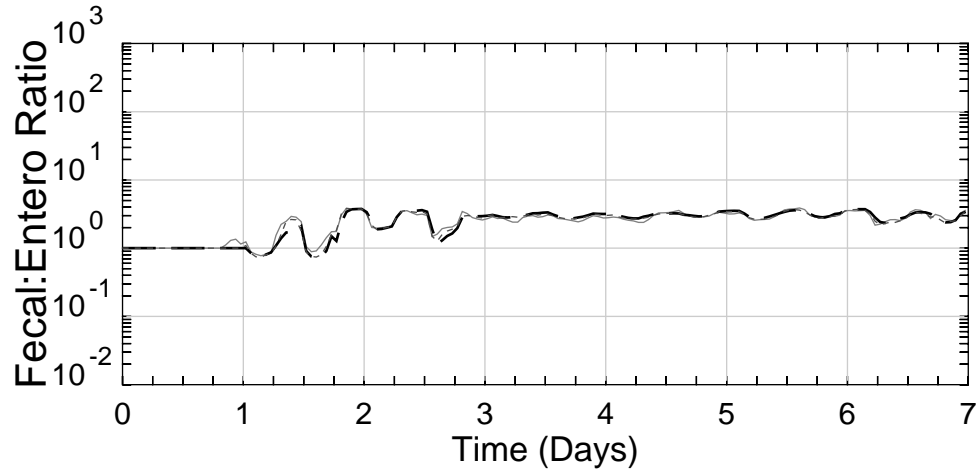
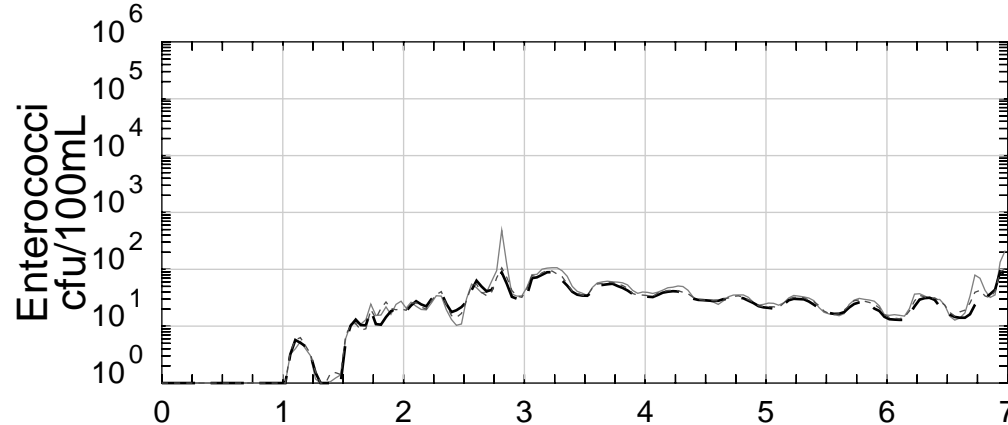
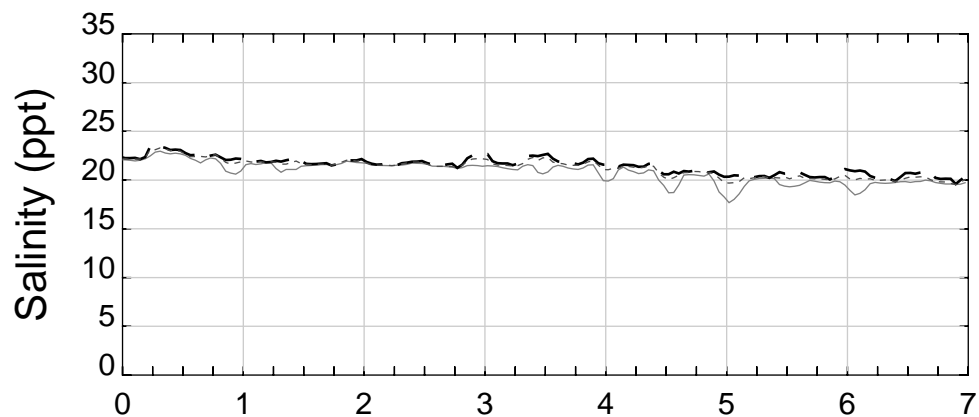
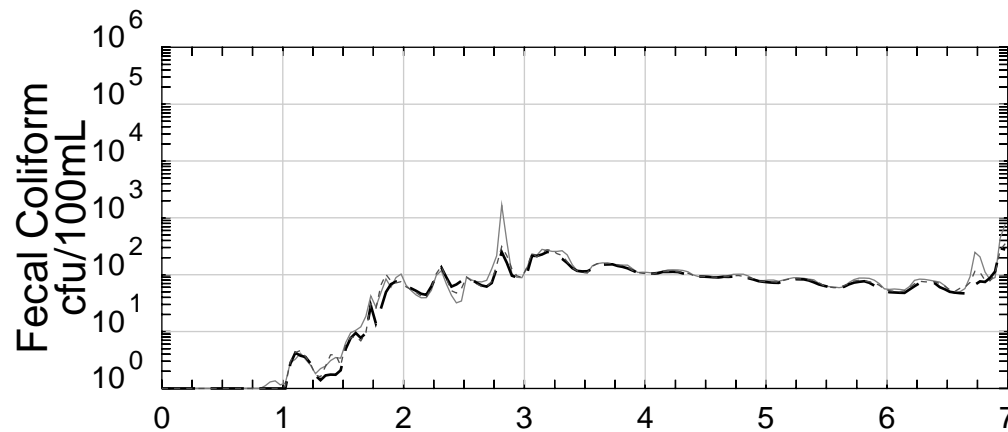
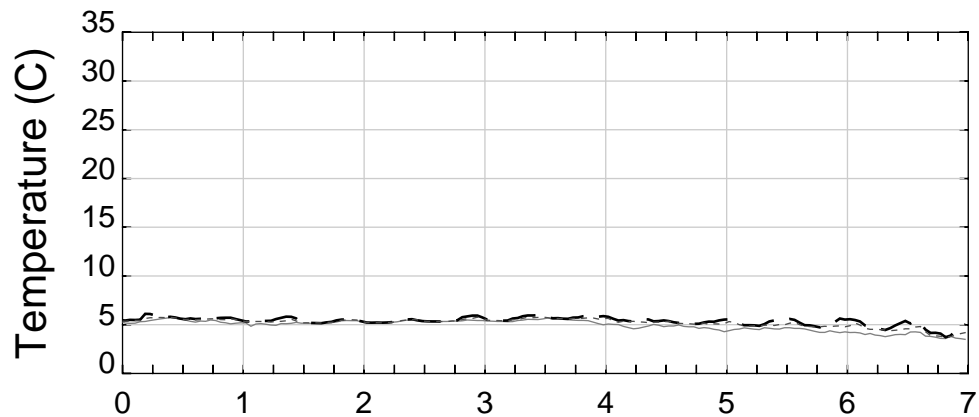
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- . - Model at Bottom

- ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hudson River, Upper Bay Kill Van Kull

SE3

Station: B12 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)

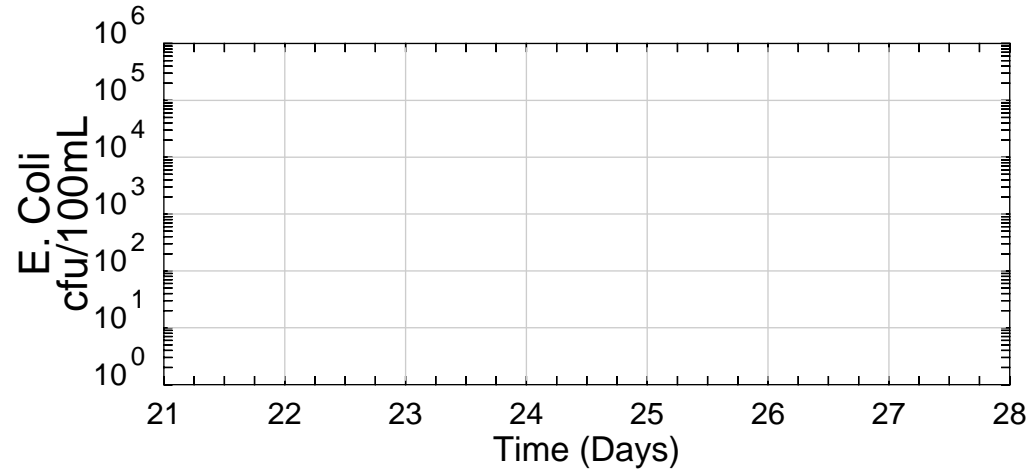
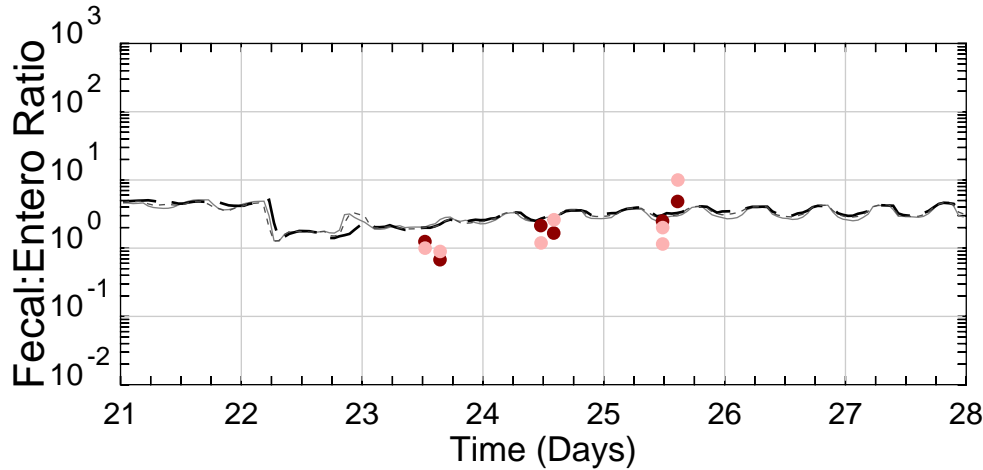
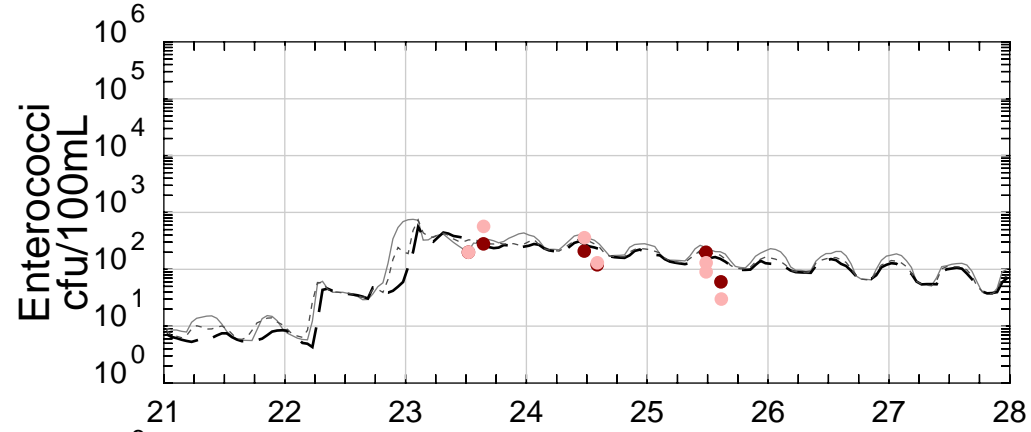
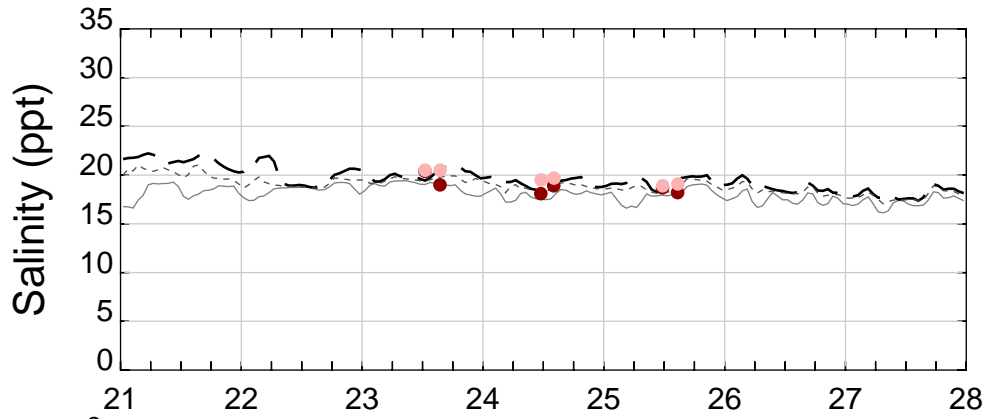
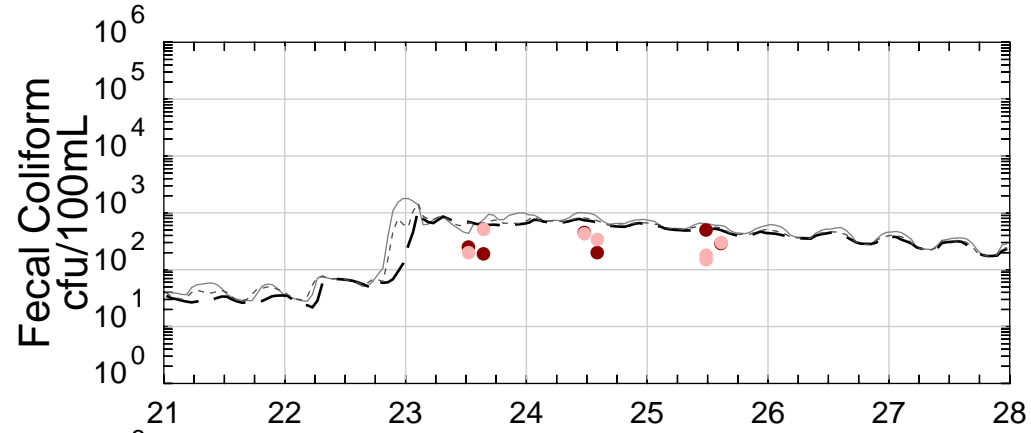
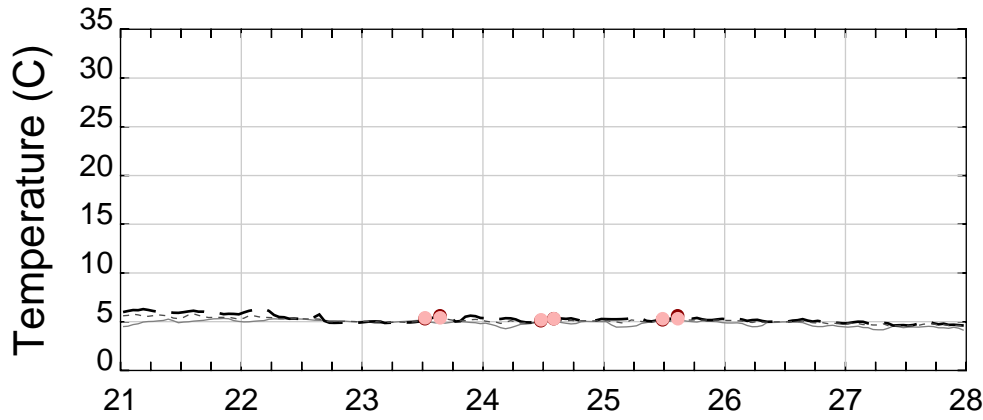


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Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - · - Model at Bottom

● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: B12 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)

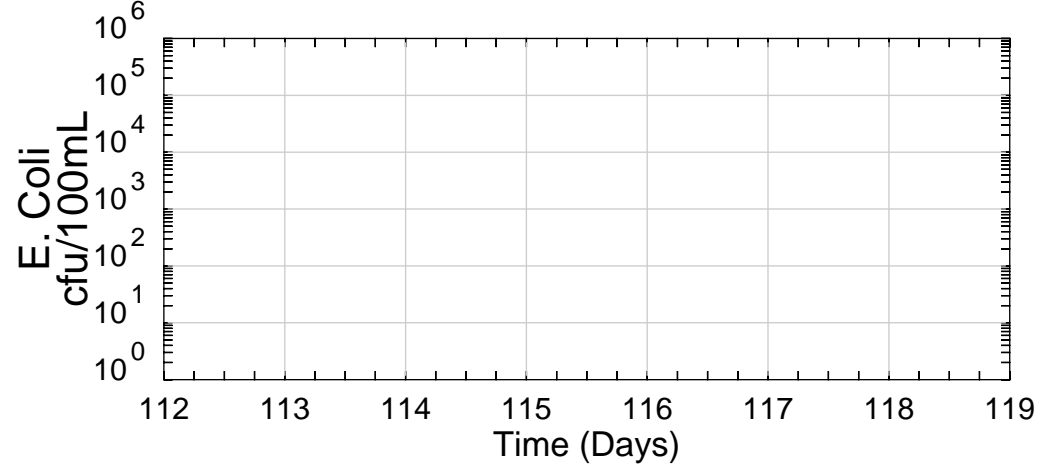
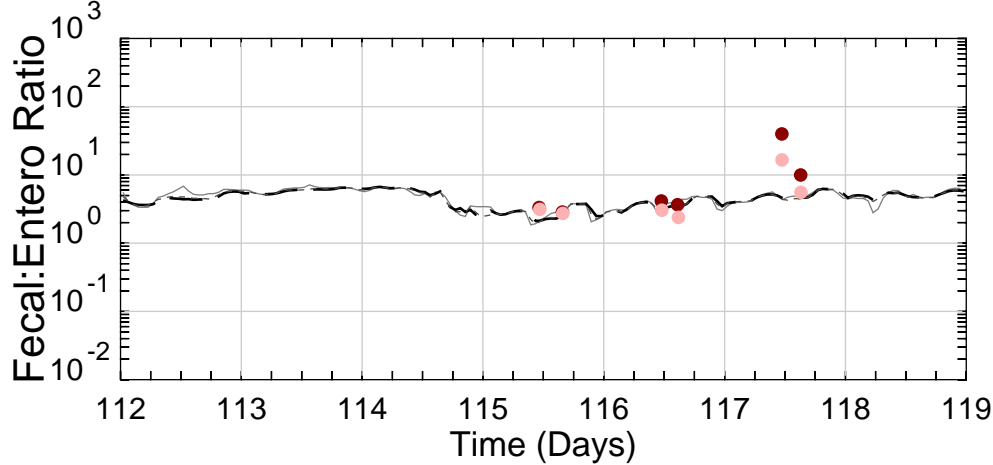
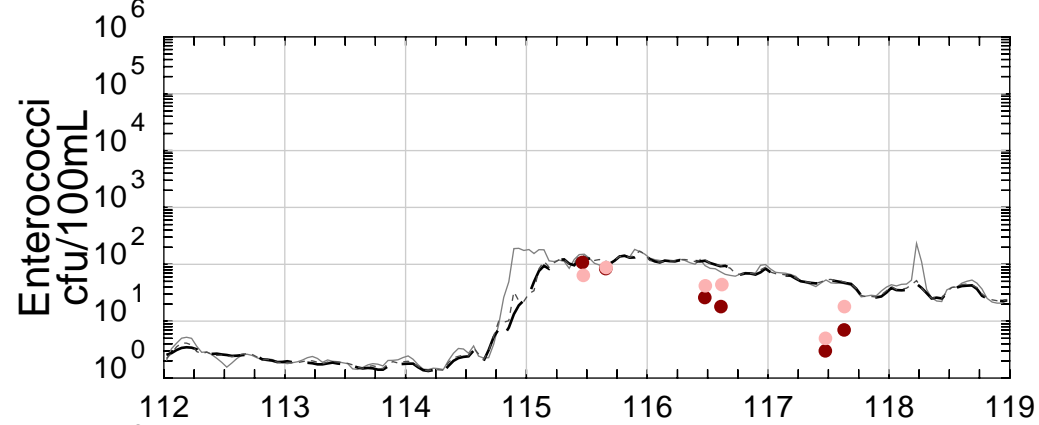
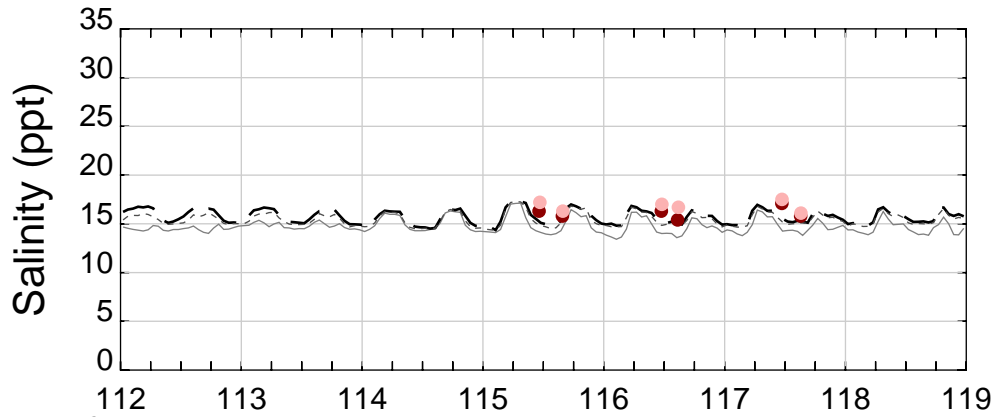
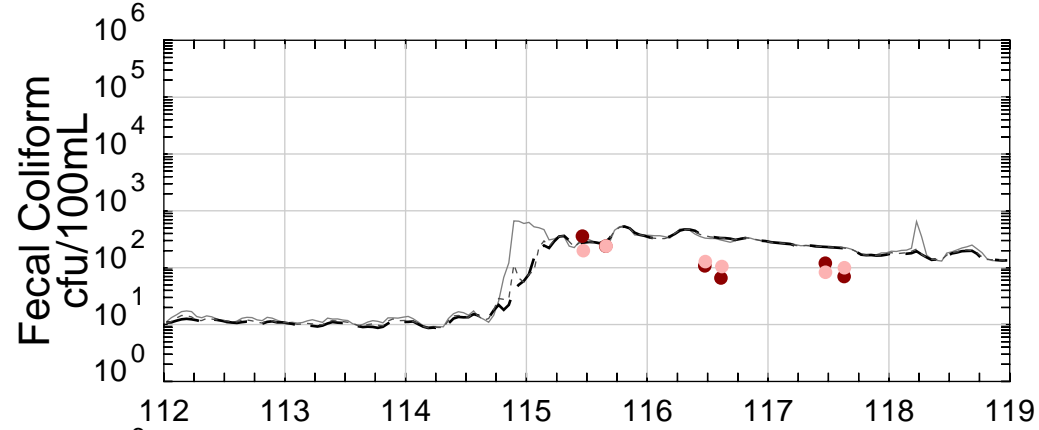
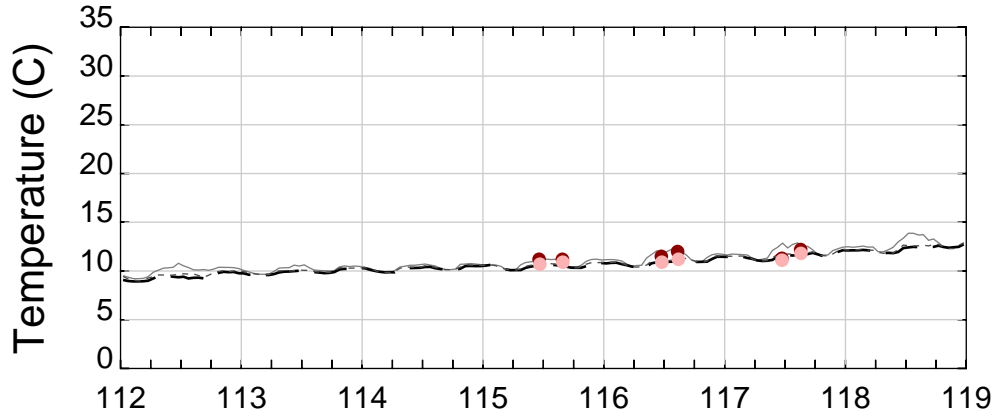


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 - - - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: B12 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



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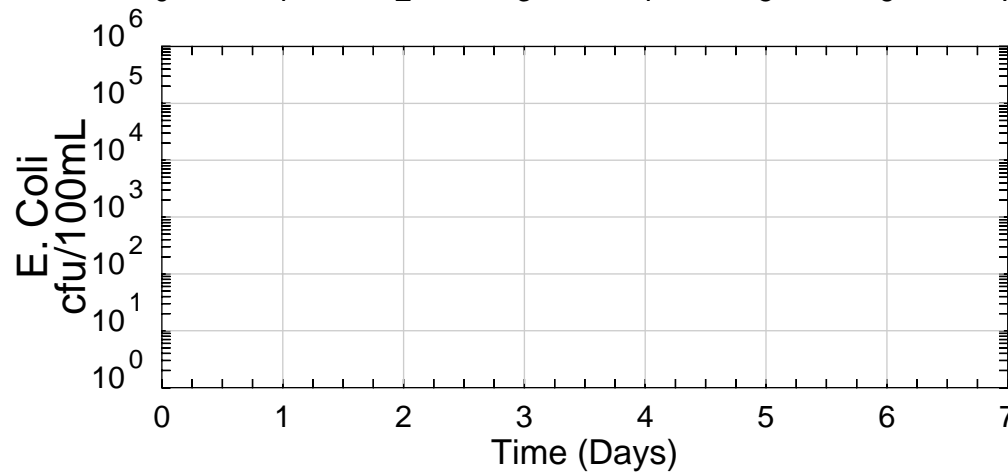
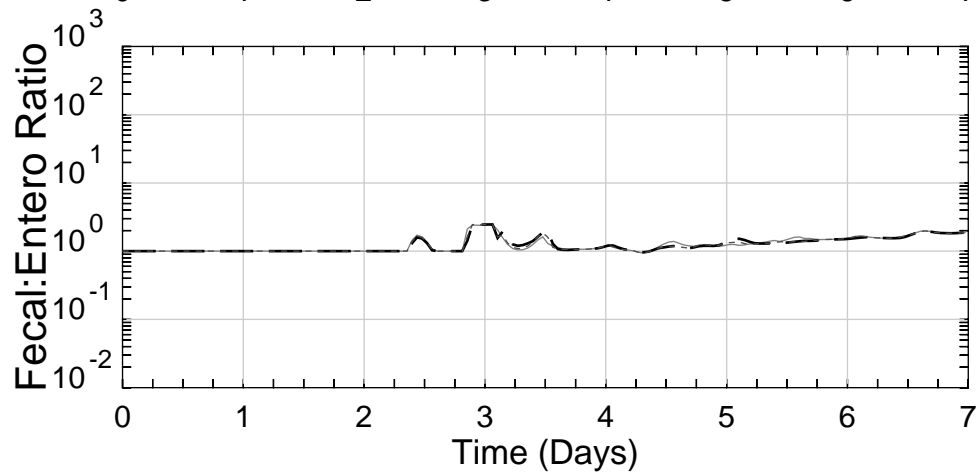
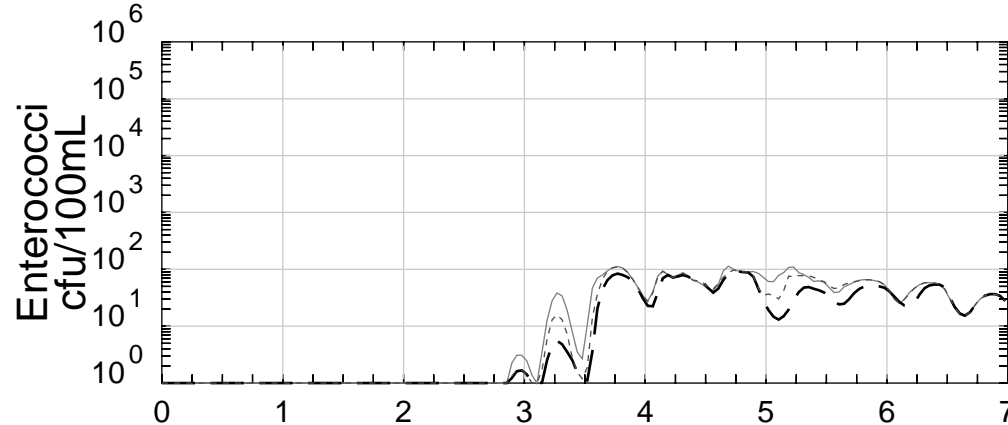
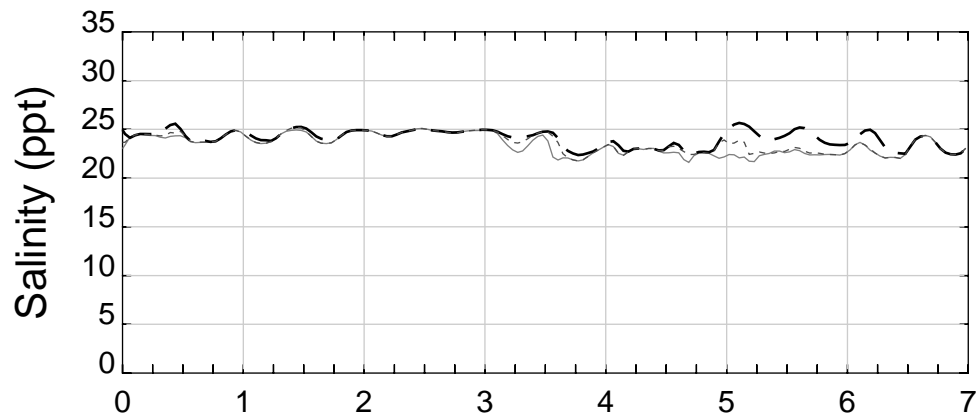
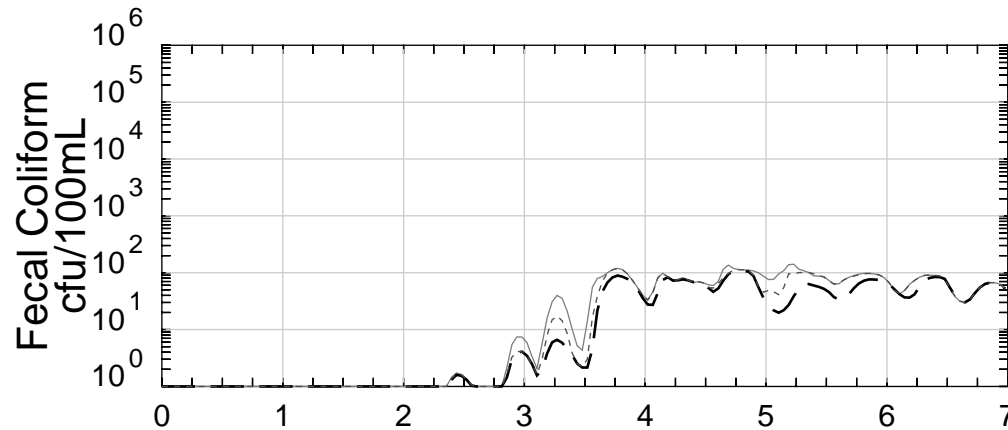
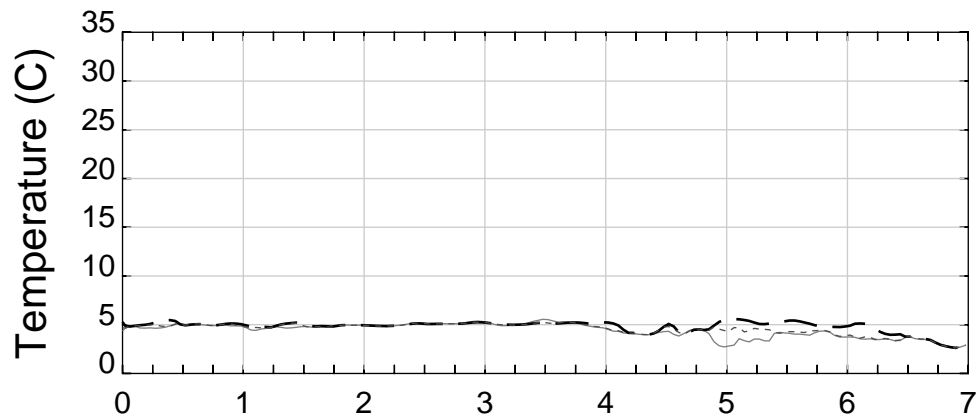
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● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
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# Arthur Kill, Raritan River/Bay & Tributaries Raritan Bay

SE1

Station: 29 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)

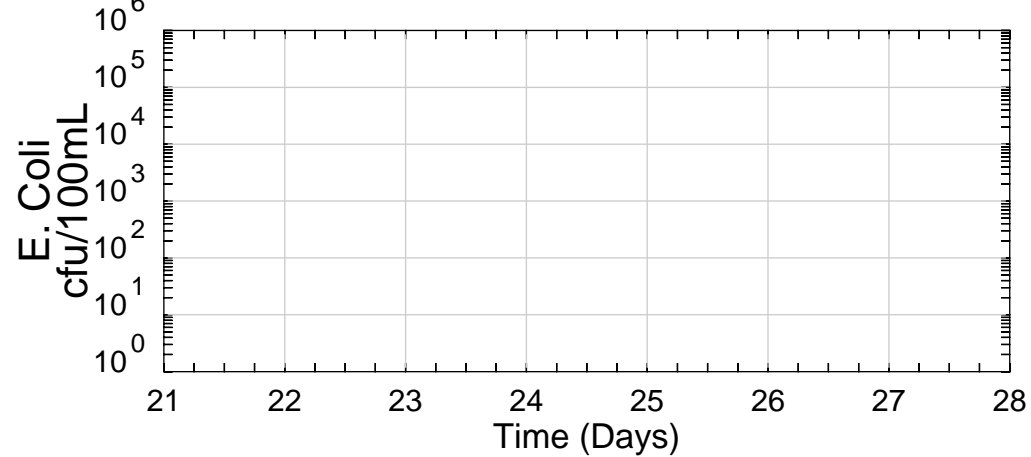
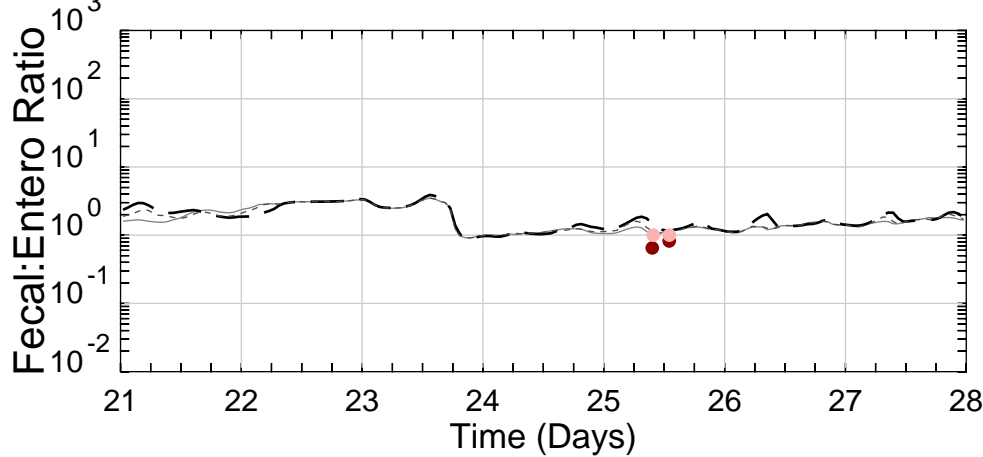
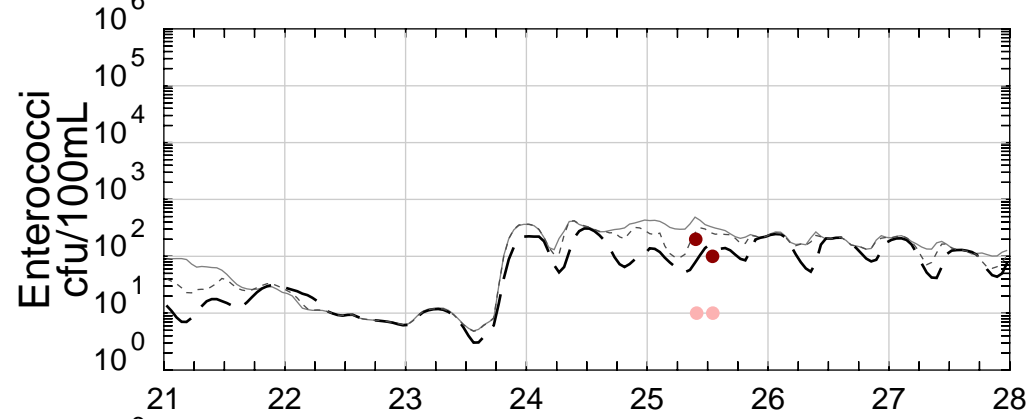
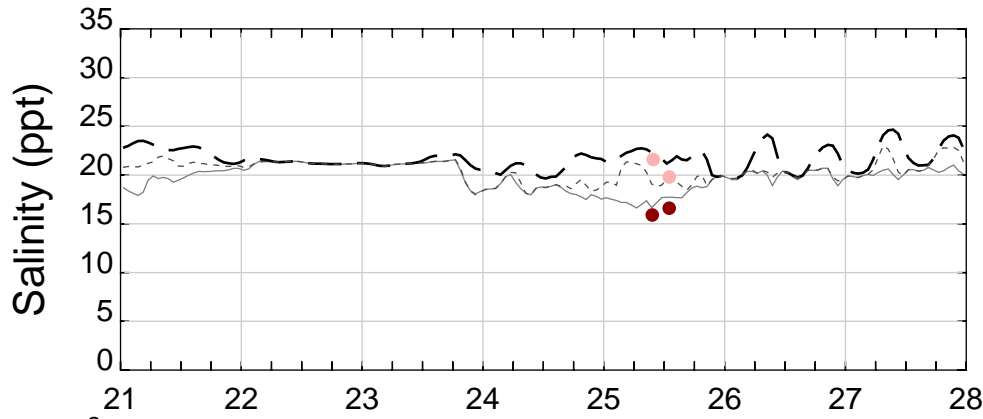
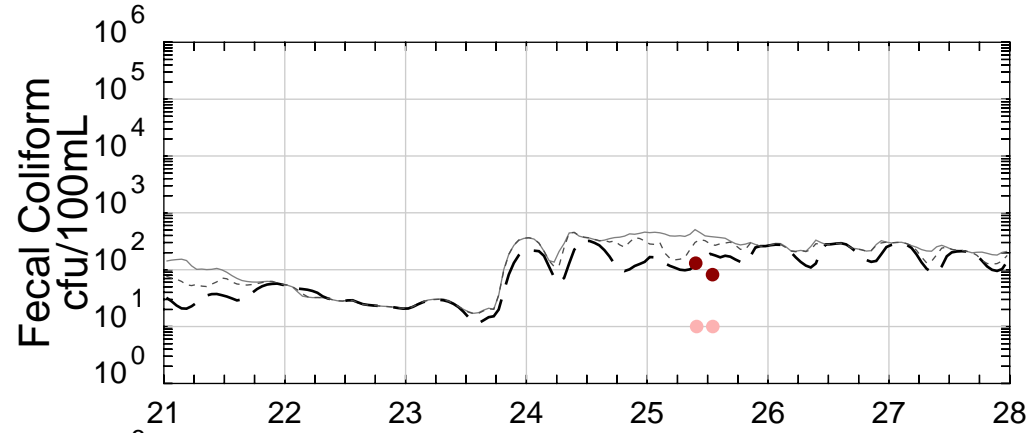
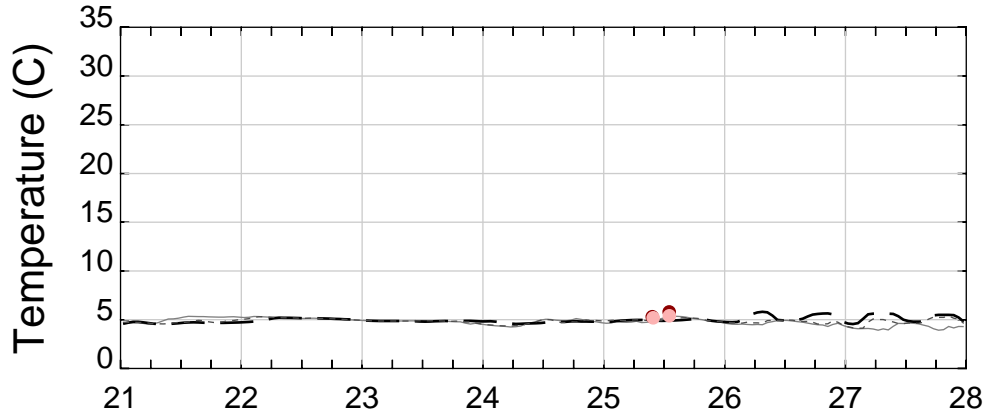


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Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - . - Model at Bottom

● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 29 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)



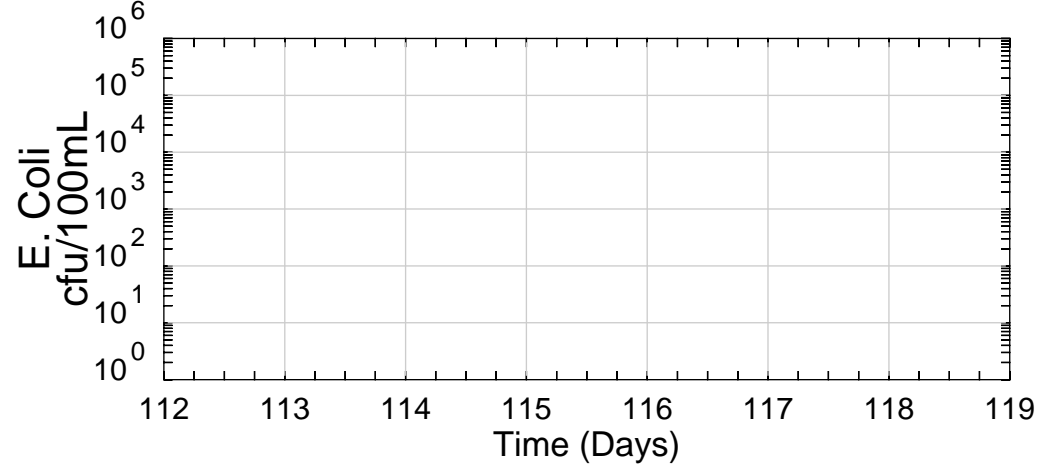
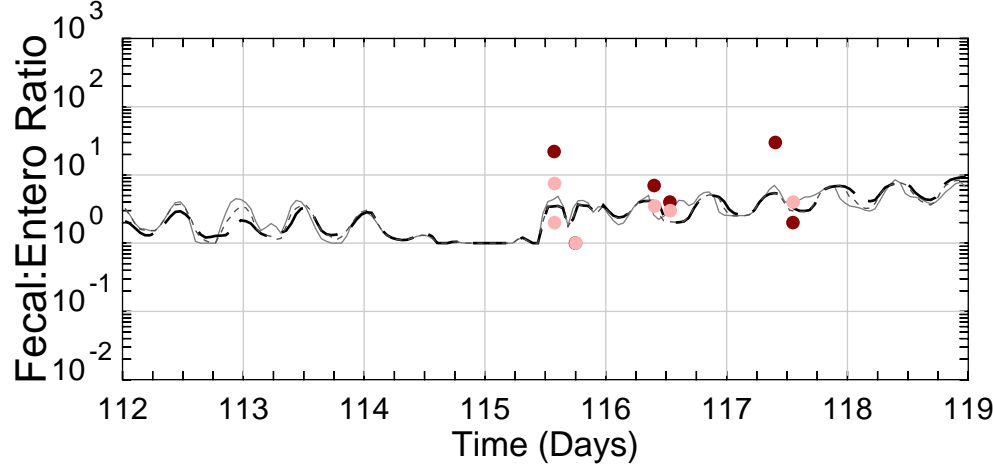
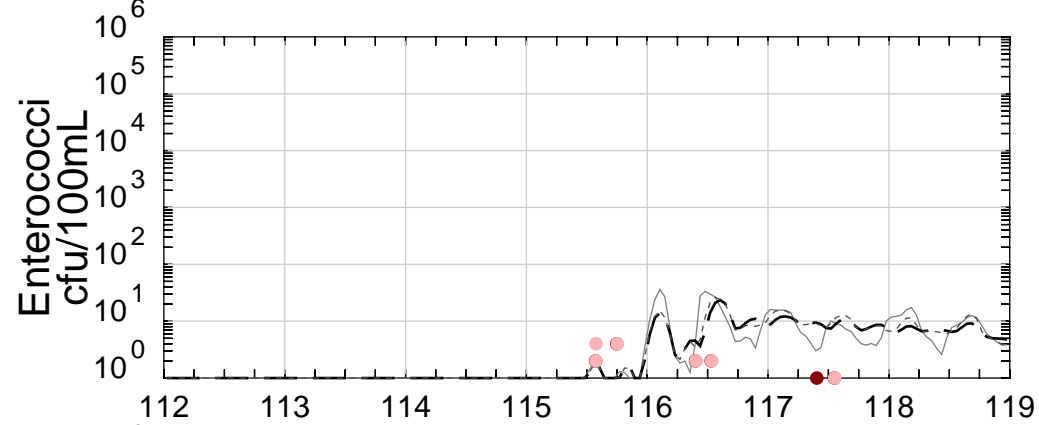
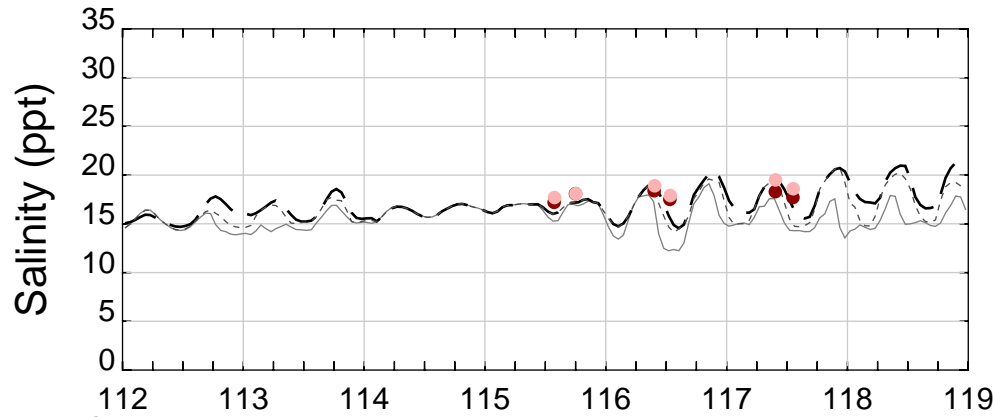
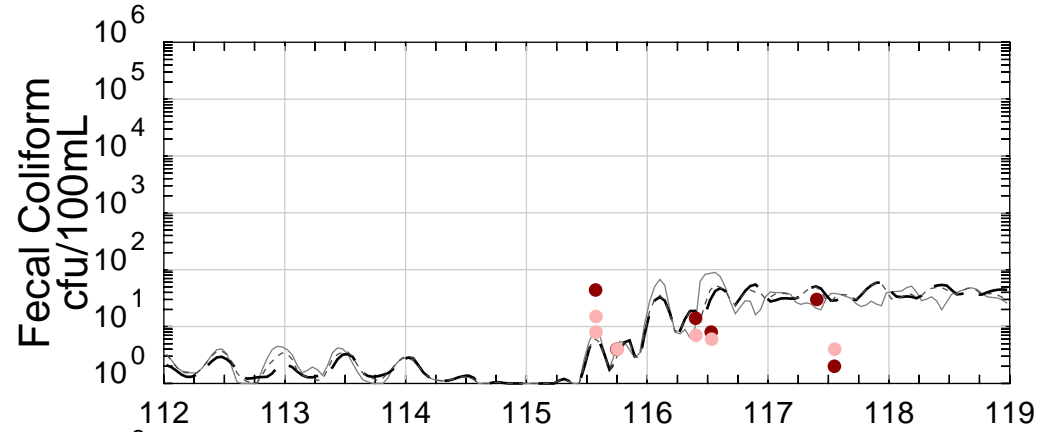
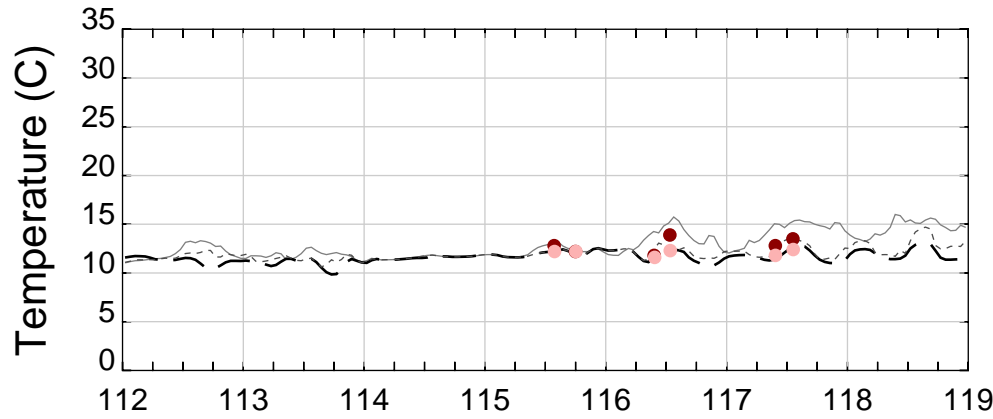
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 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - · - Model at Bottom

● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



Station: 29 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

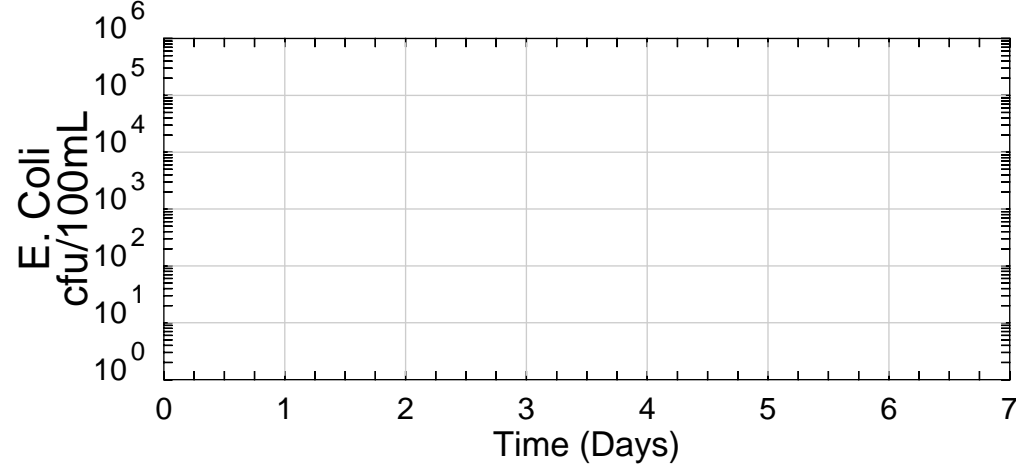
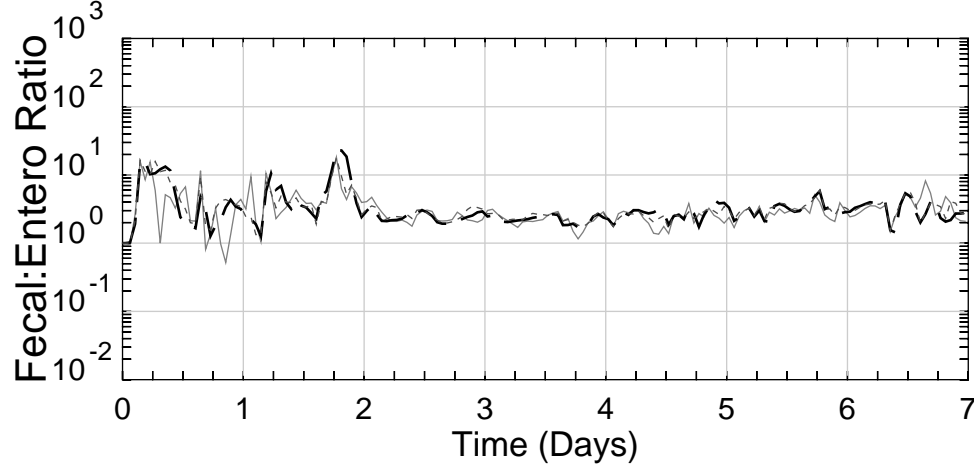
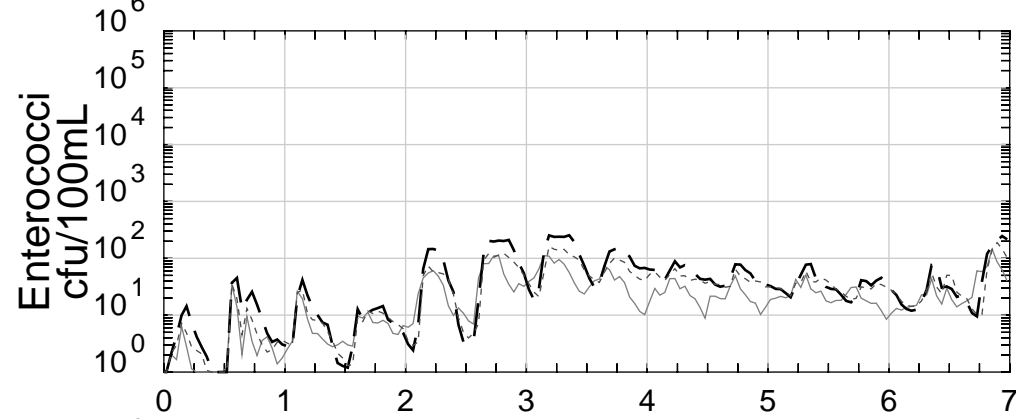
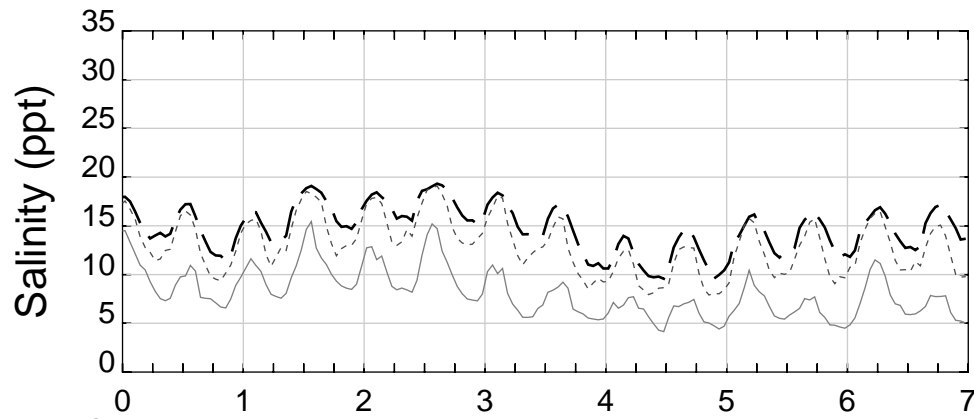
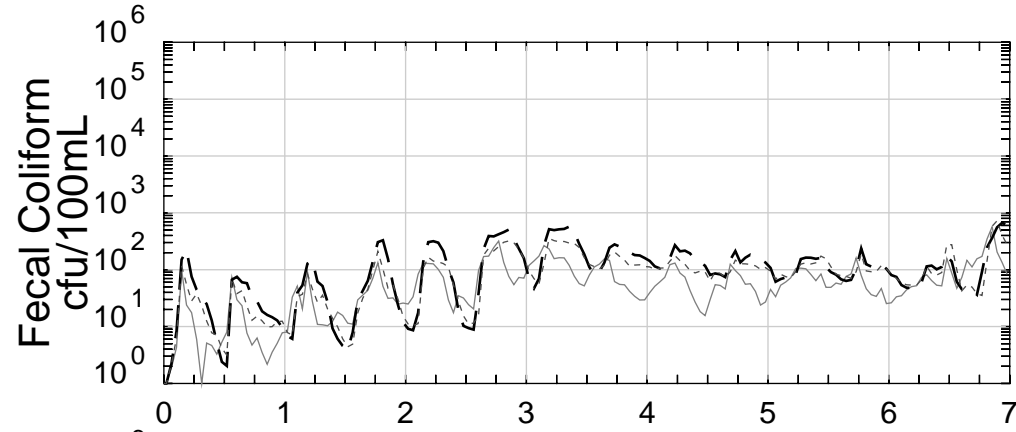
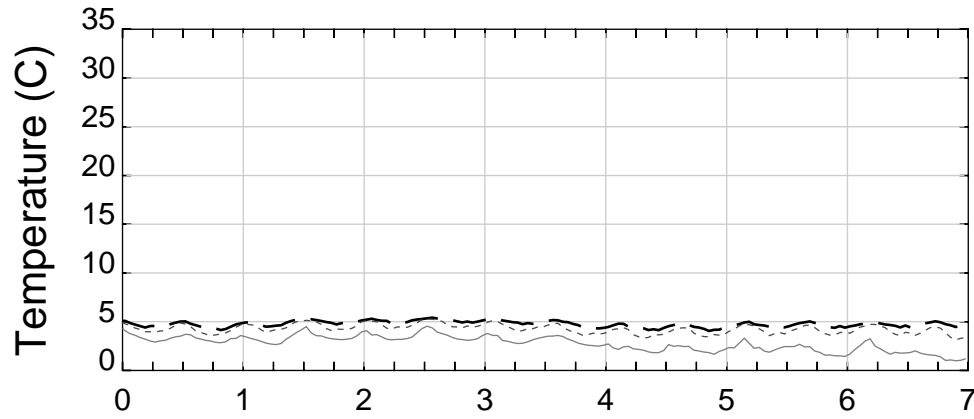
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - . - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hudson River, Upper Bay Hudson River

SE2

Station: 31 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

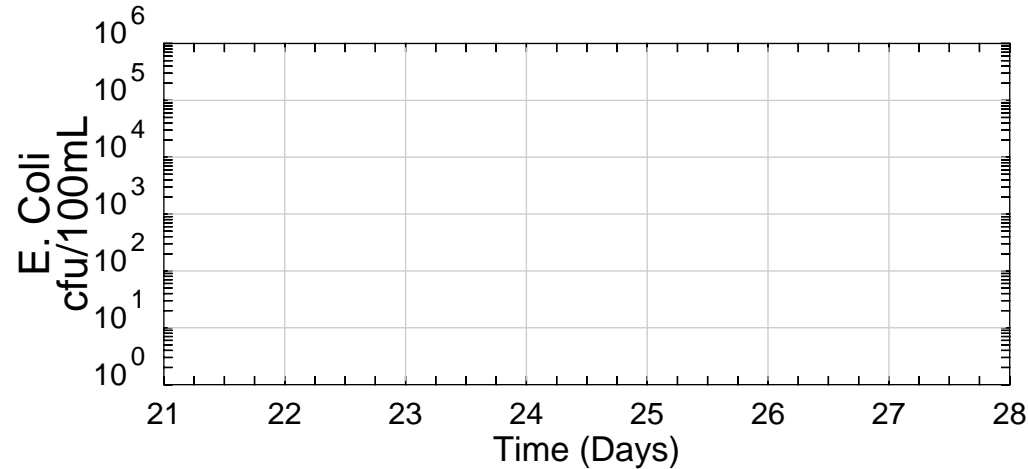
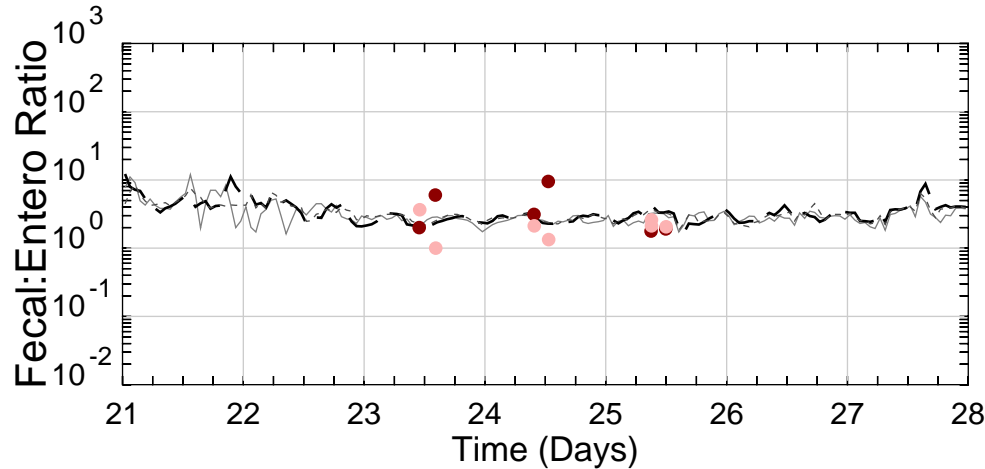
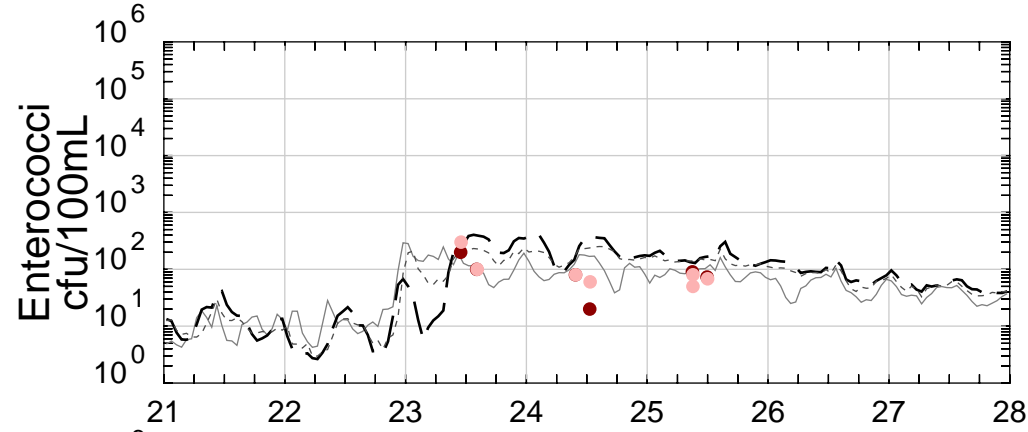
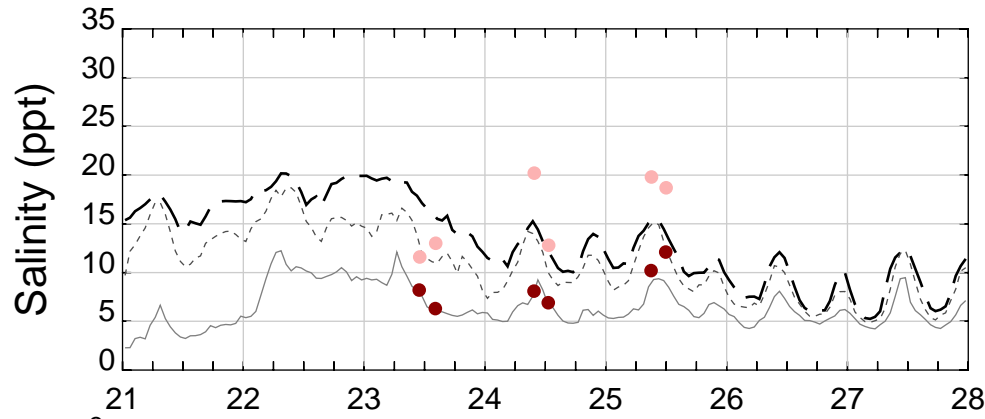
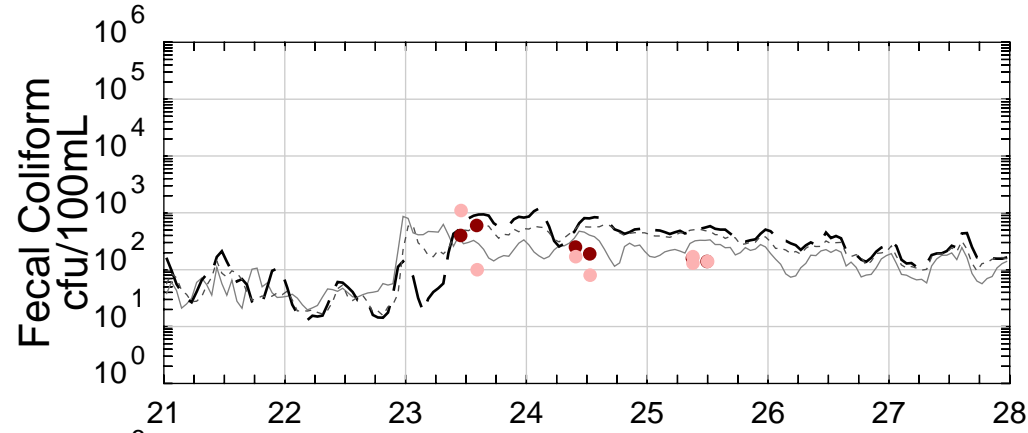
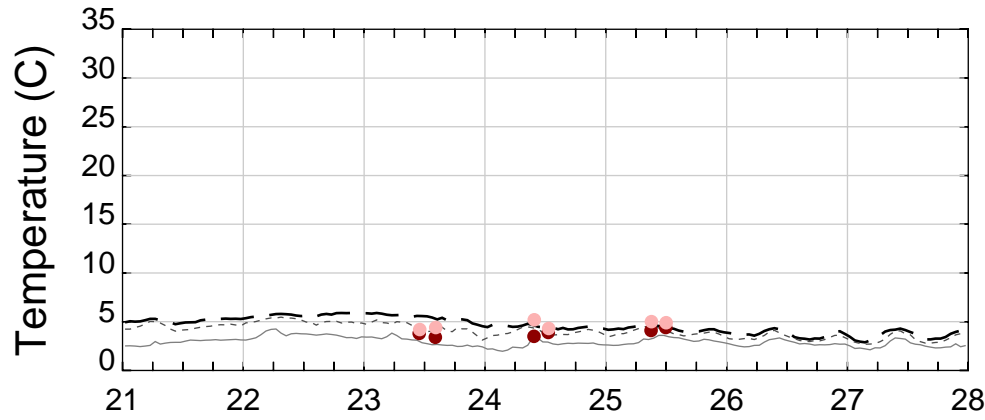
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - · - Model at Bottom

● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hudson River, Upper Bay Hudson River

SE2

Station: 31 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

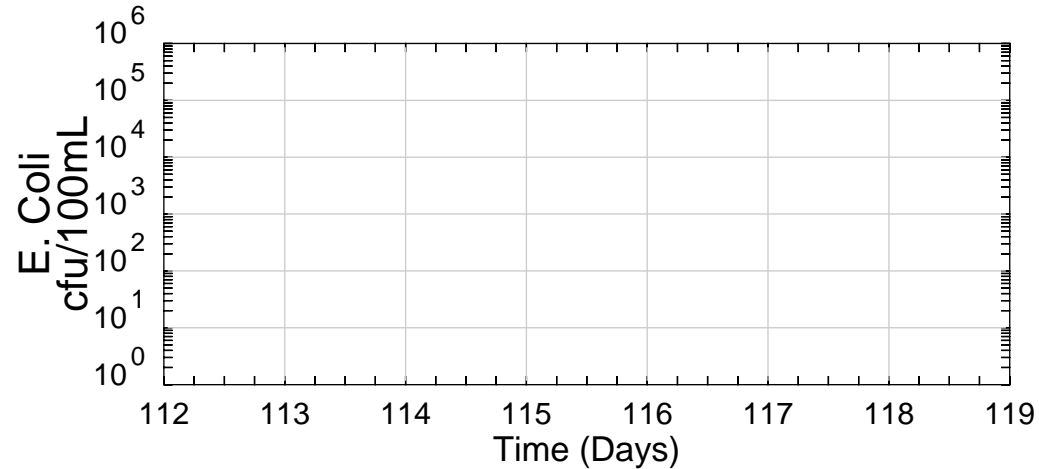
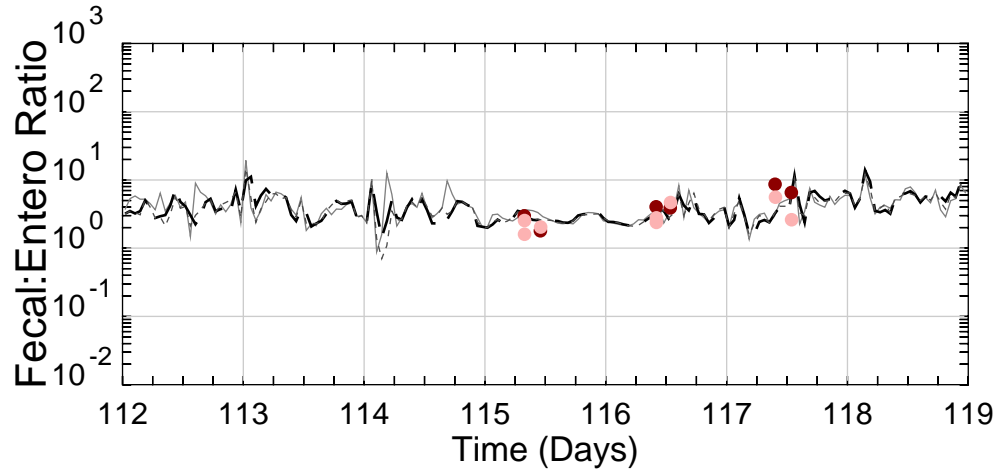
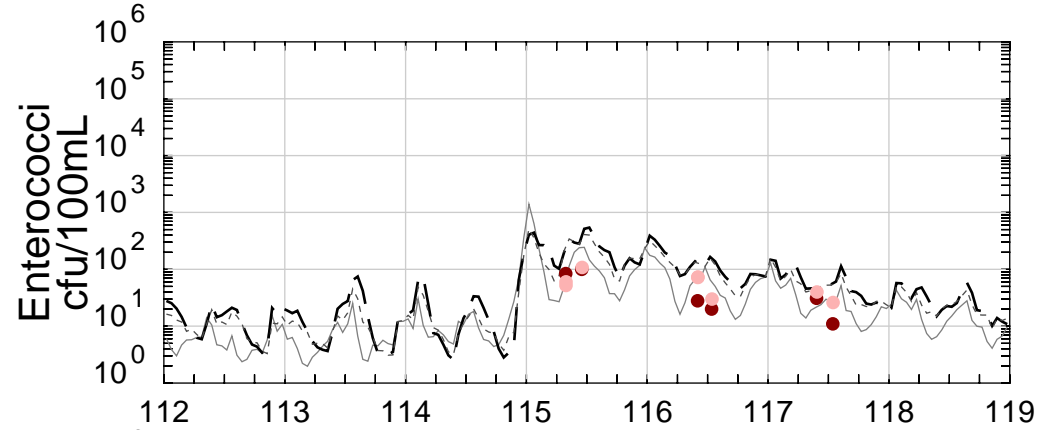
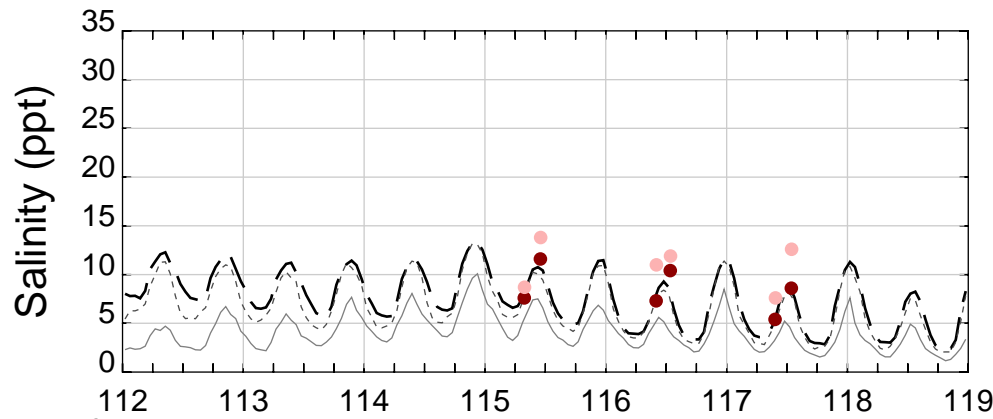
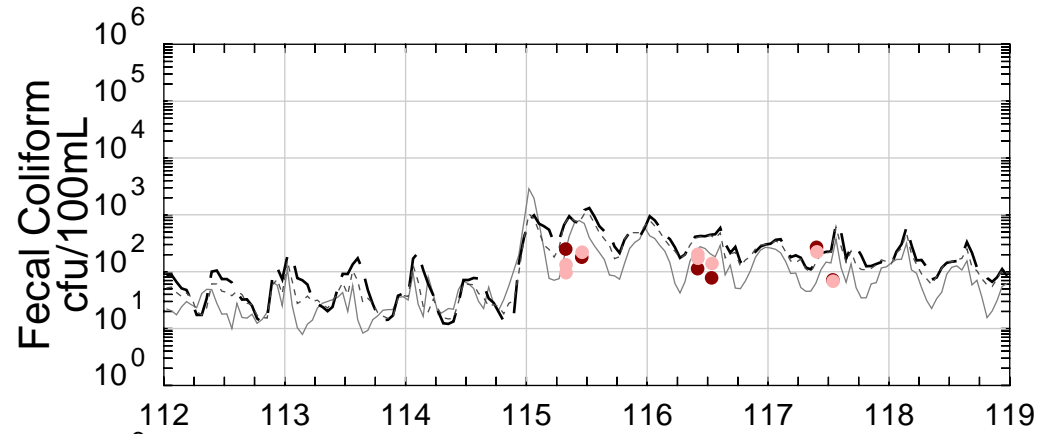
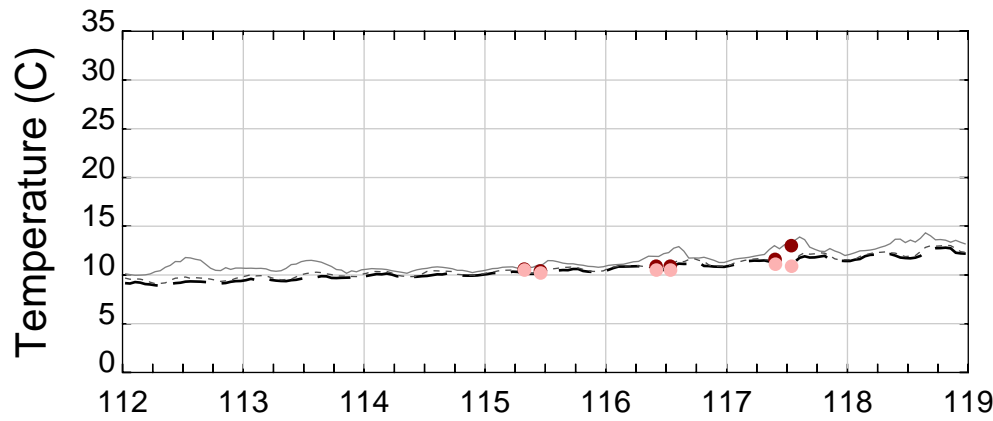
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - · - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hudson River, Upper Bay Hudson River

SE2

Station: 31 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)

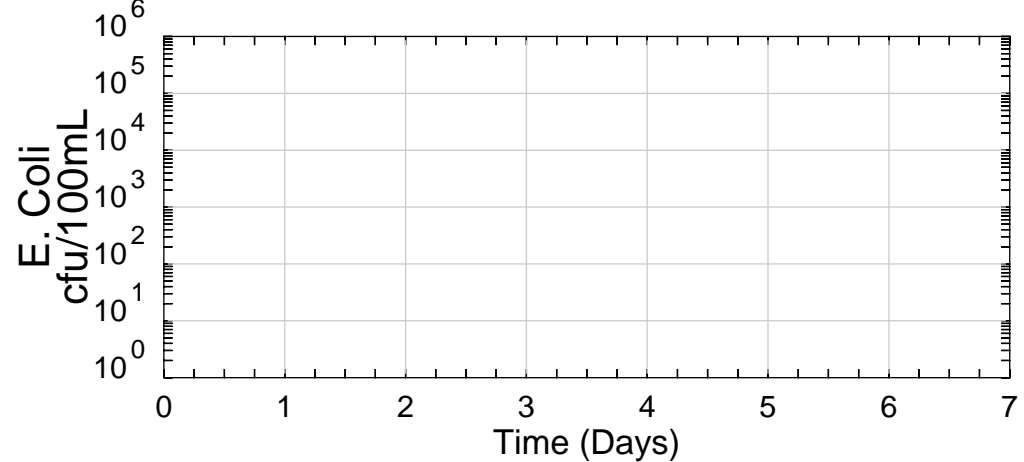
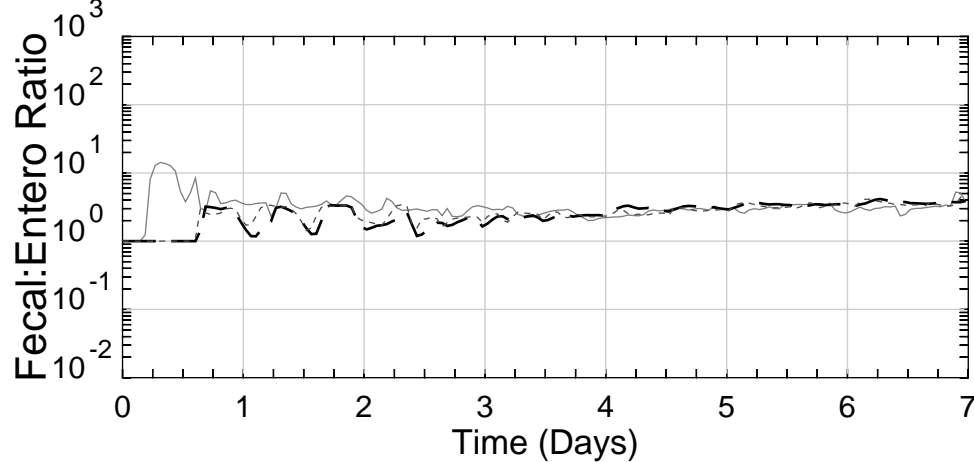
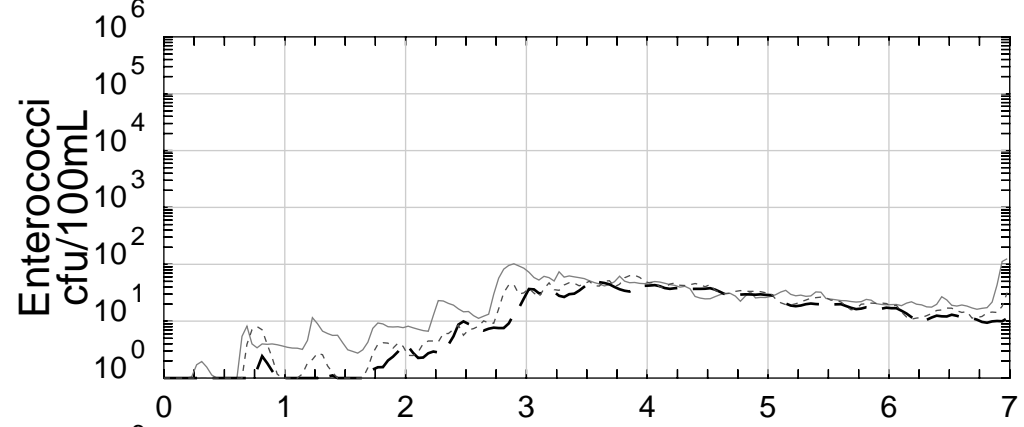
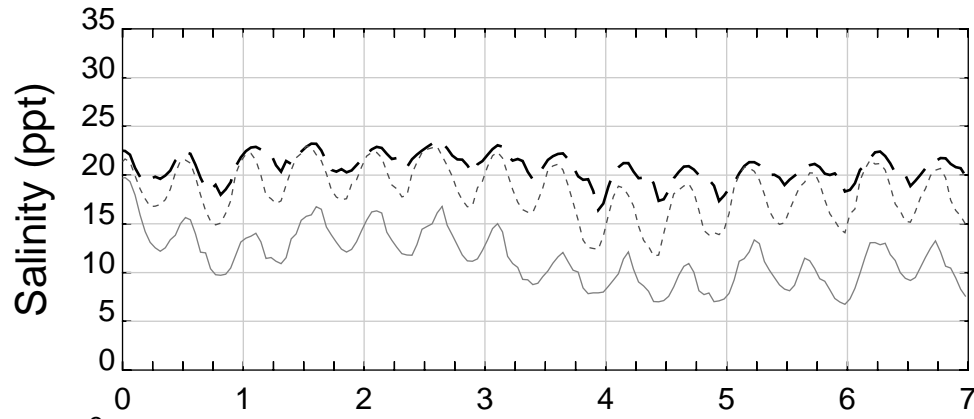
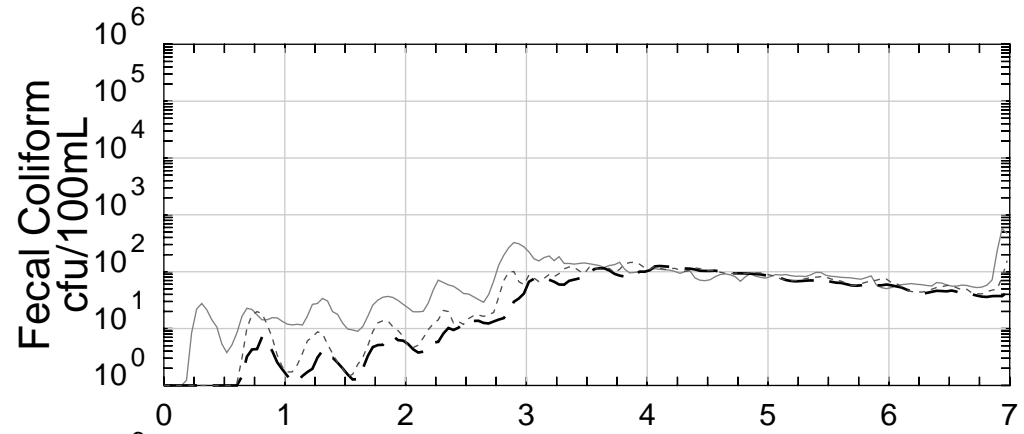
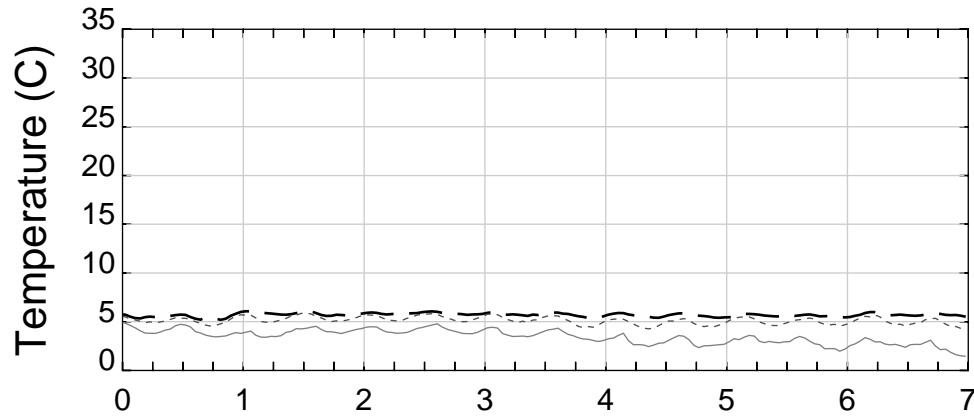


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- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- . - Model at Bottom

- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 32 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)

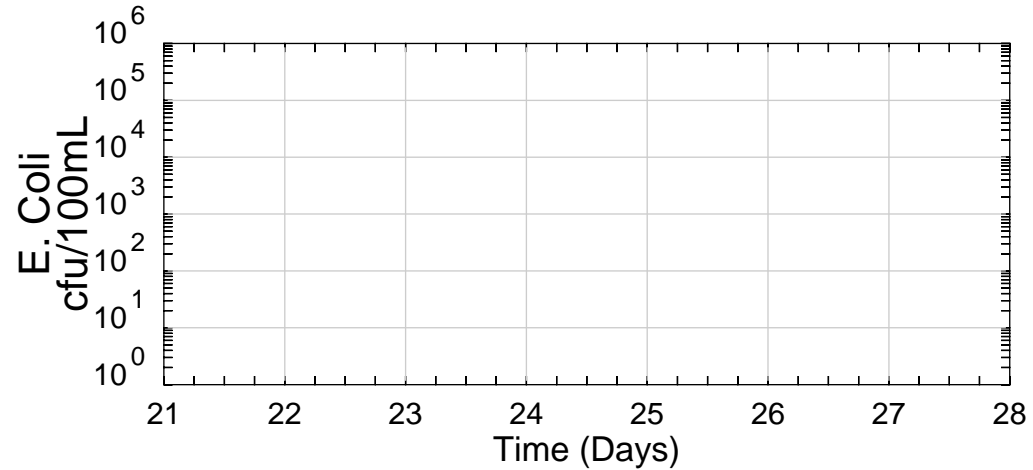
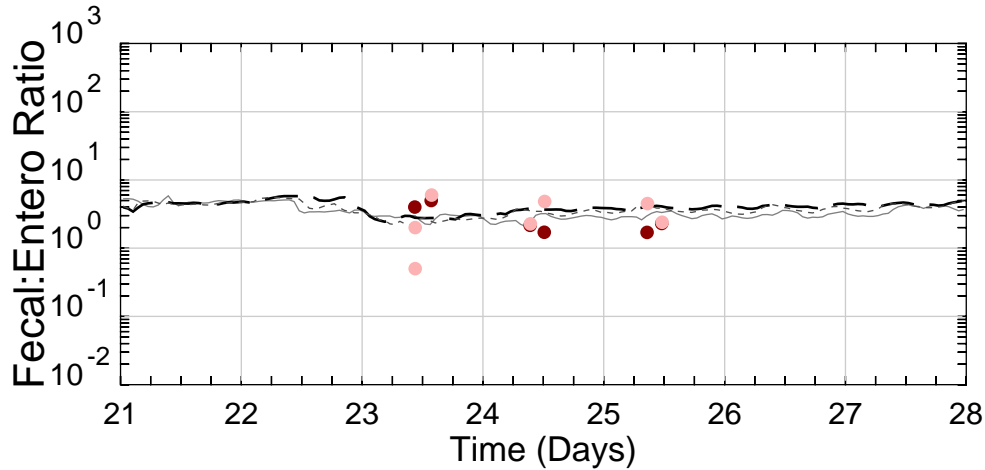
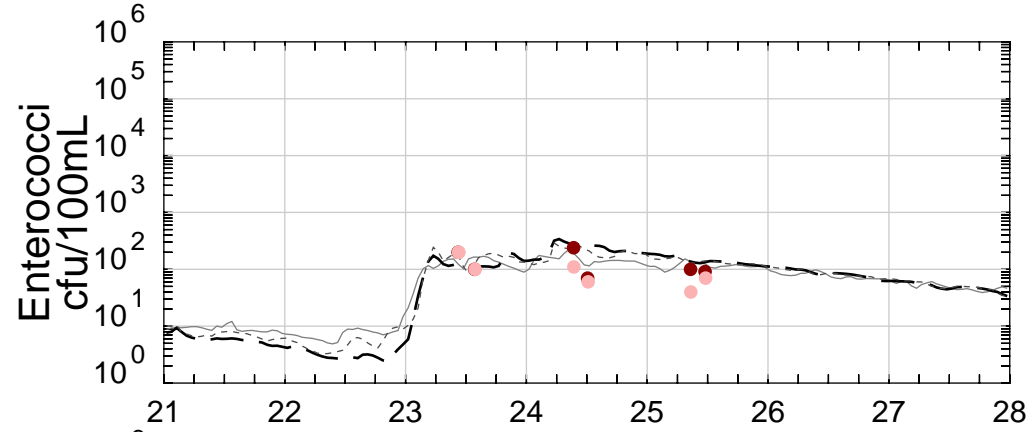
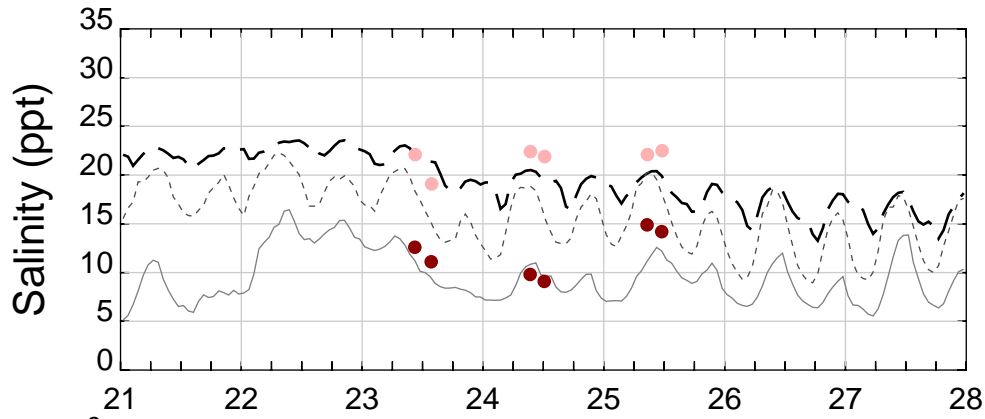
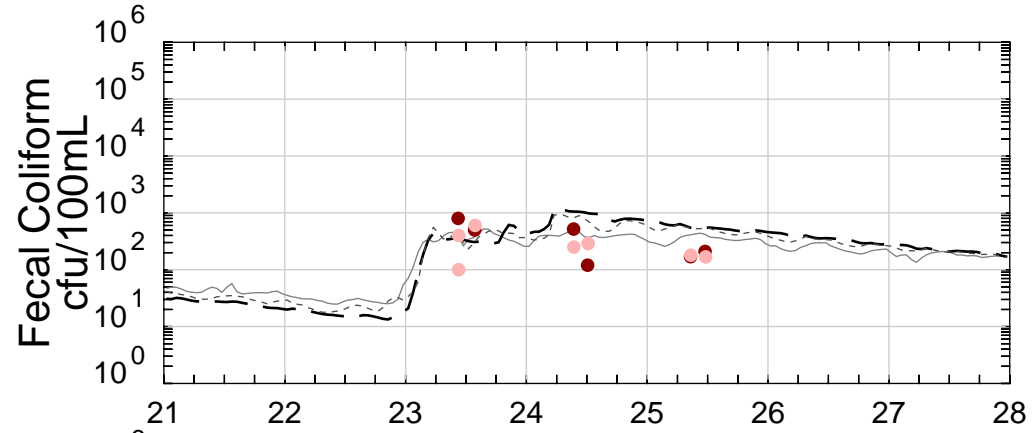
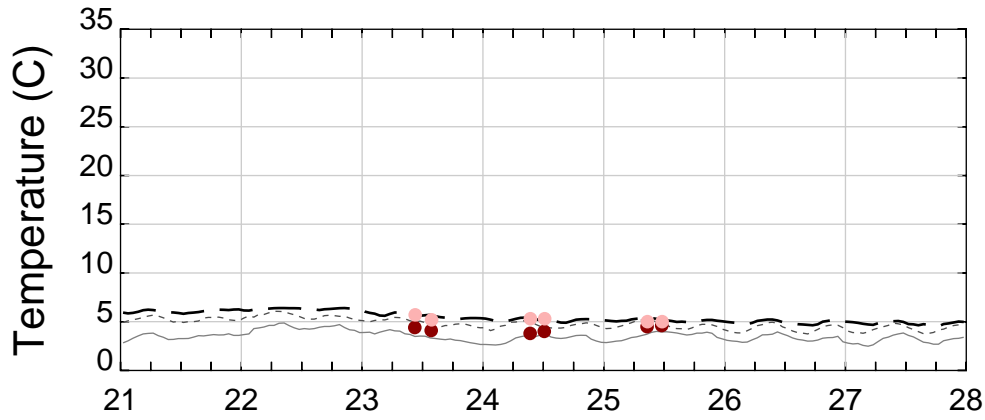


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— Model at Surface  
- - - Model at Mid-Depth  
- · - Model at Bottom

● ● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
● ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 32 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)

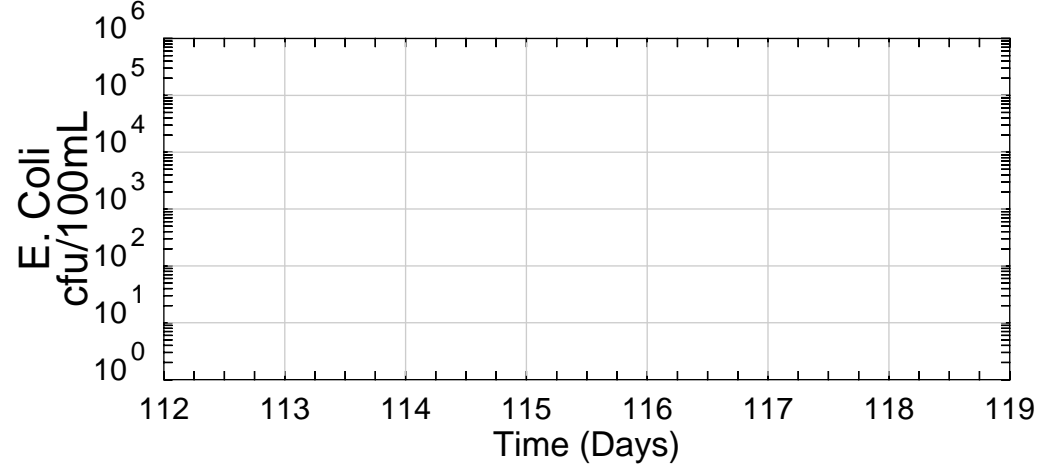
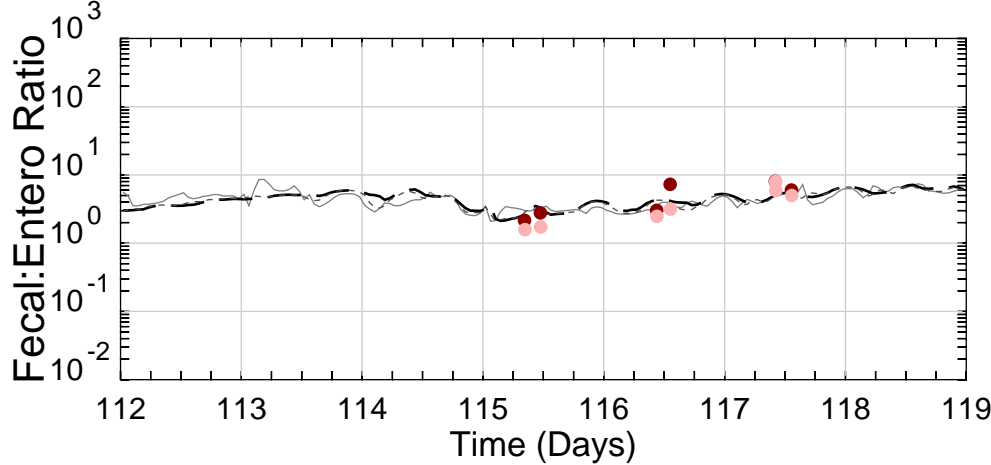
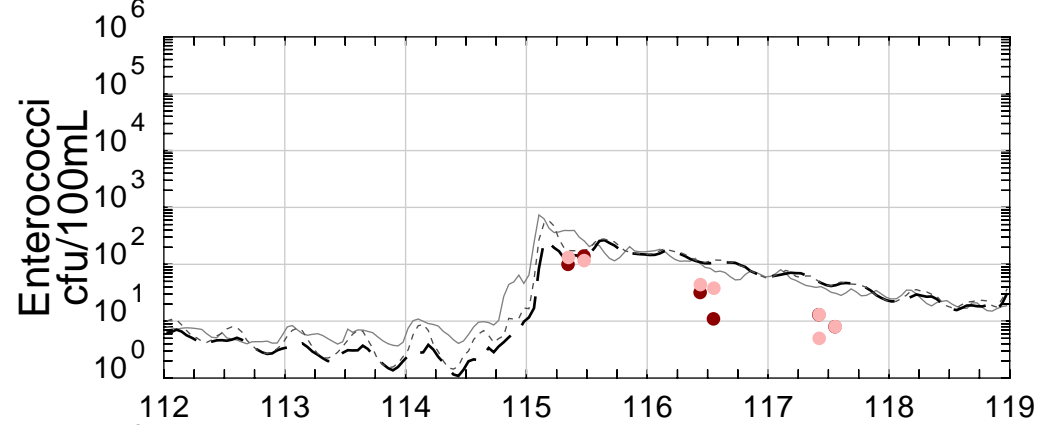
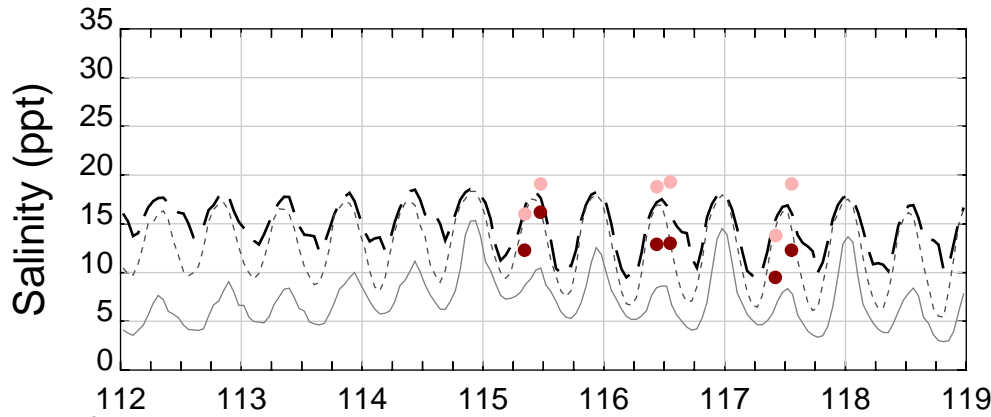
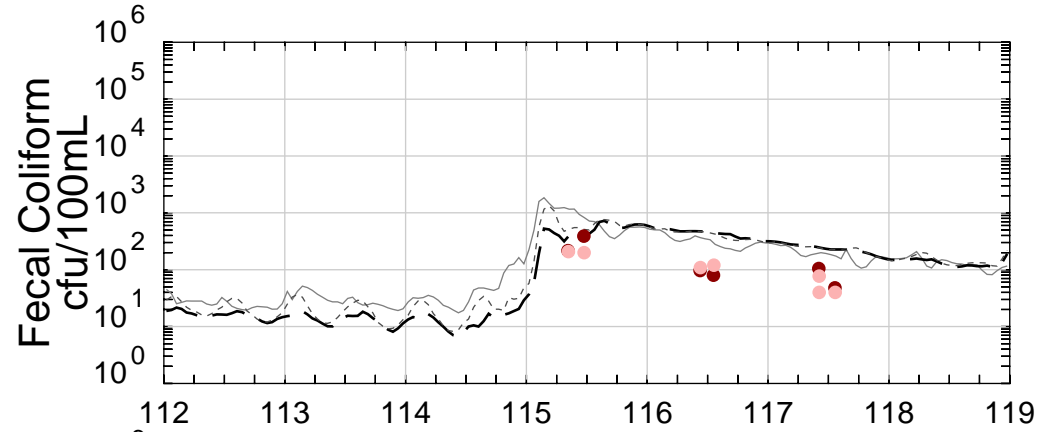
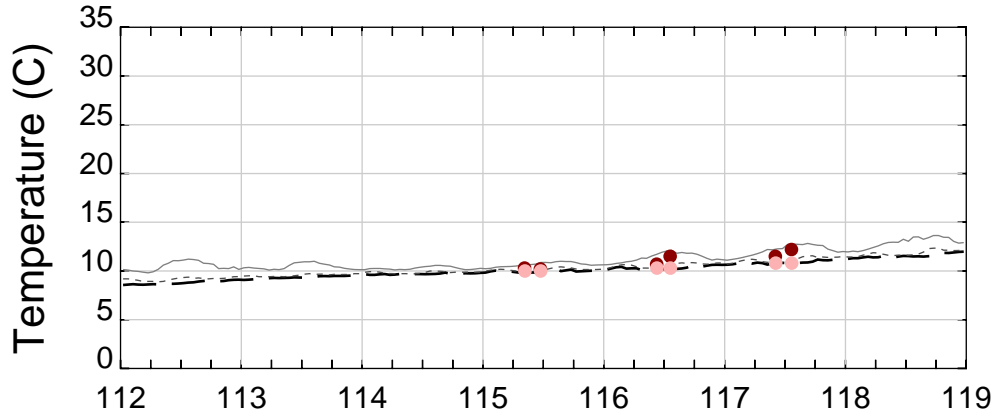


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— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
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● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 32 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



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 Data = 2017

— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
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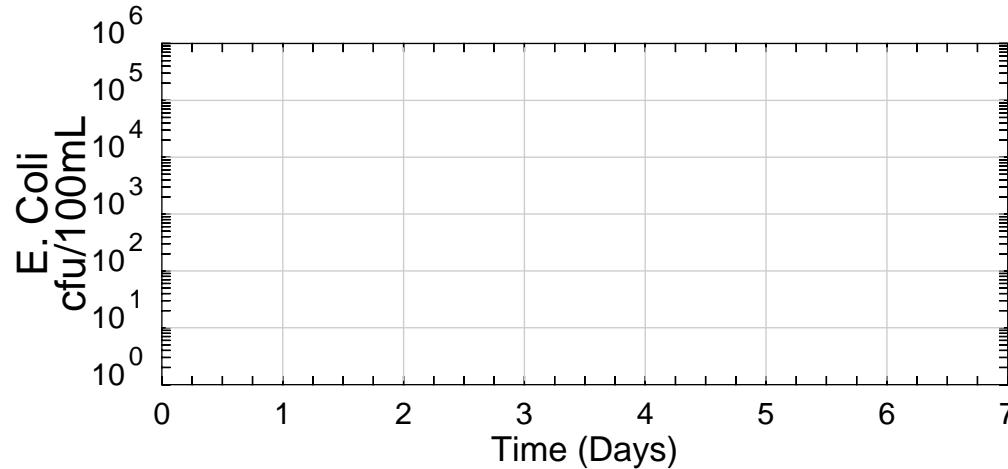
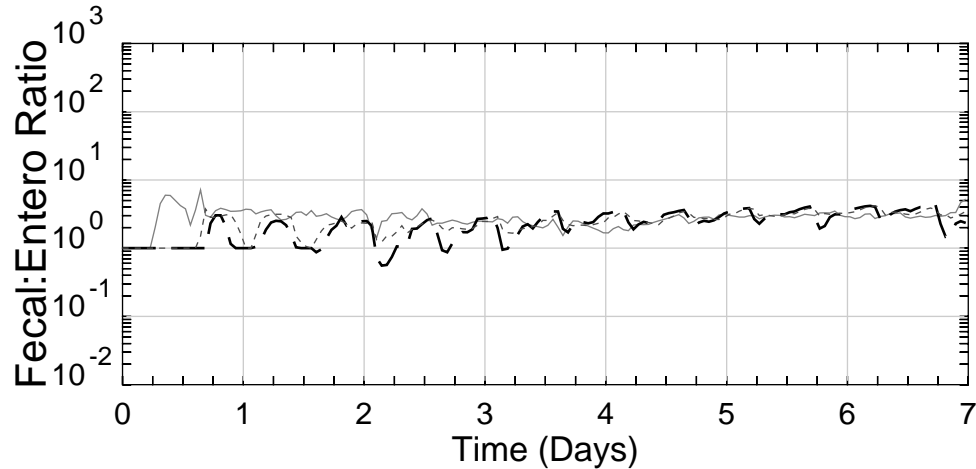
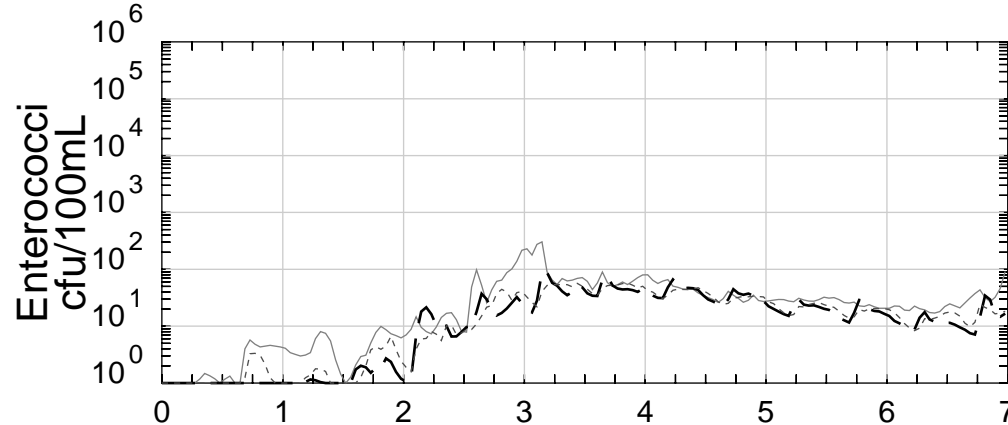
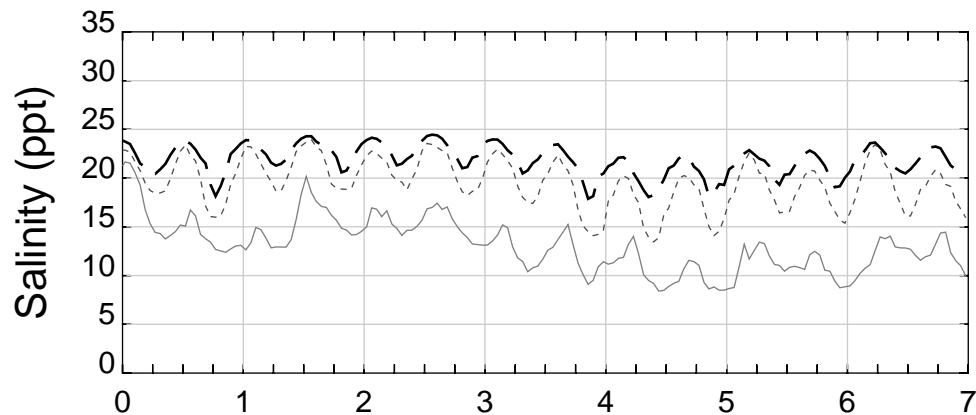
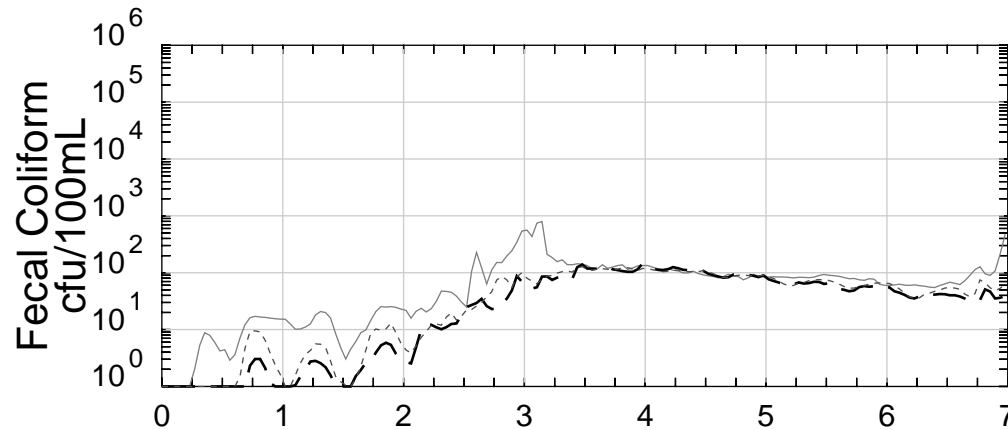
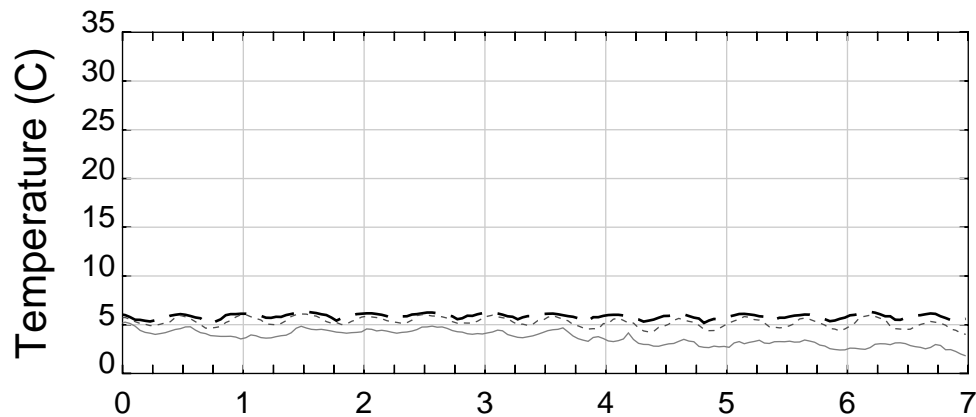
● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
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# Hudson River, Upper Bay Hudson River

SE2

Station: 33 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)

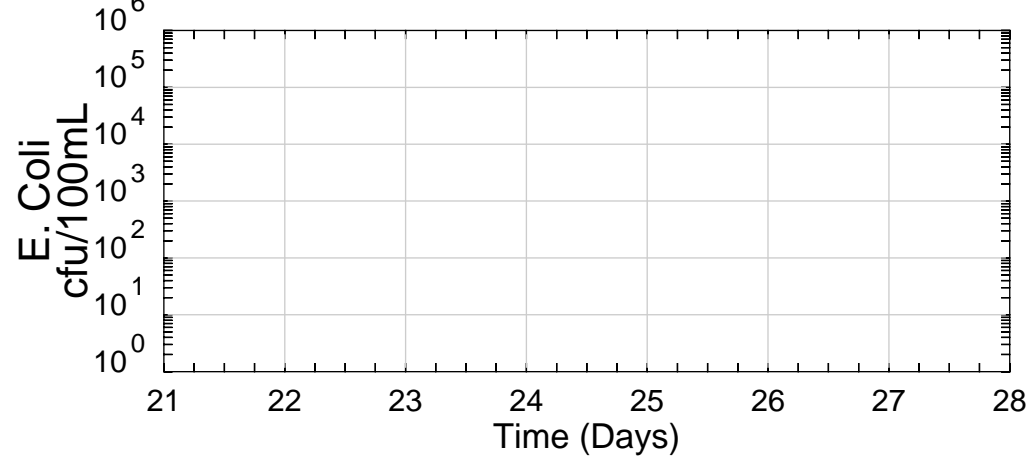
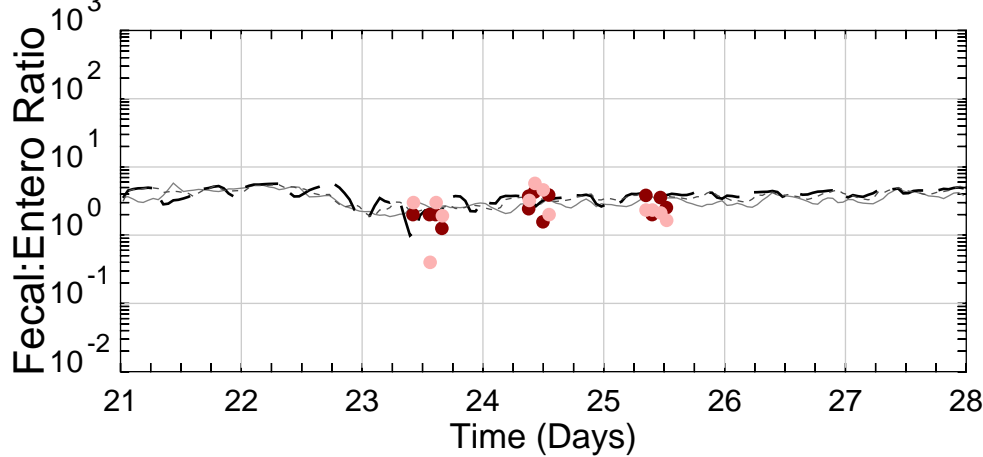
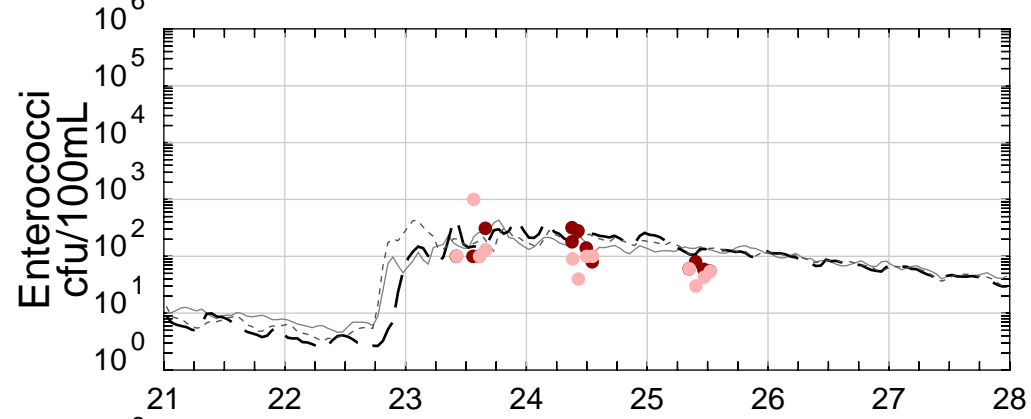
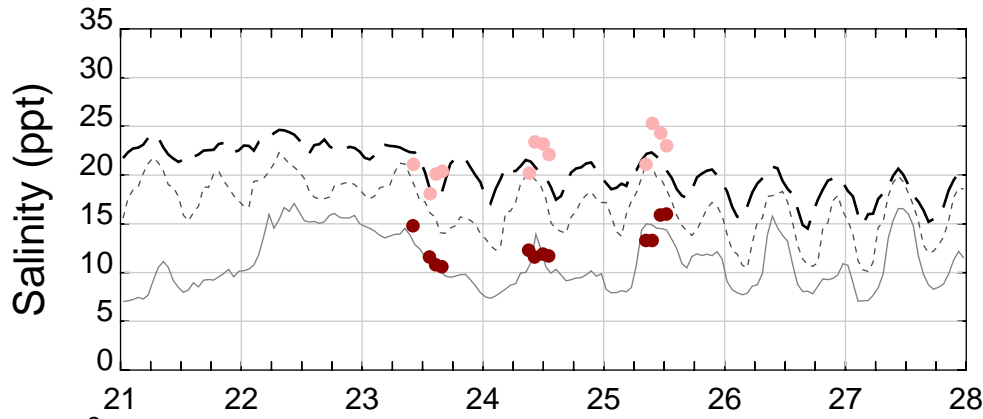
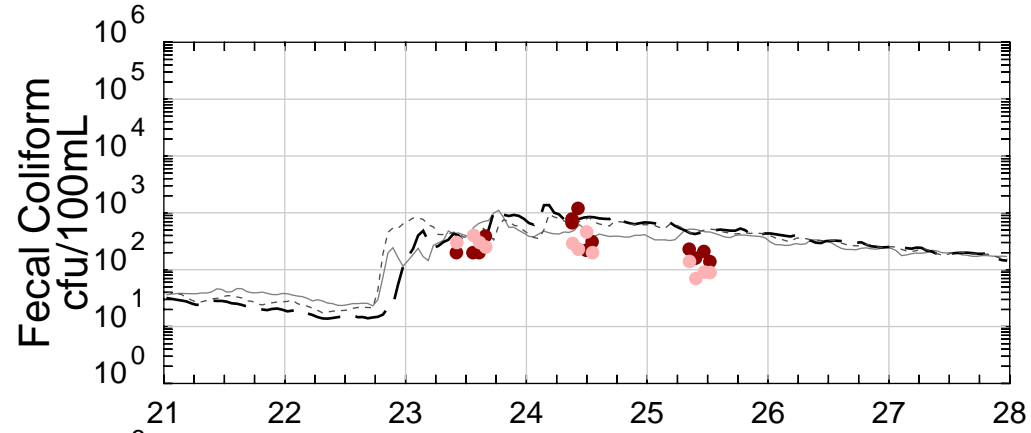
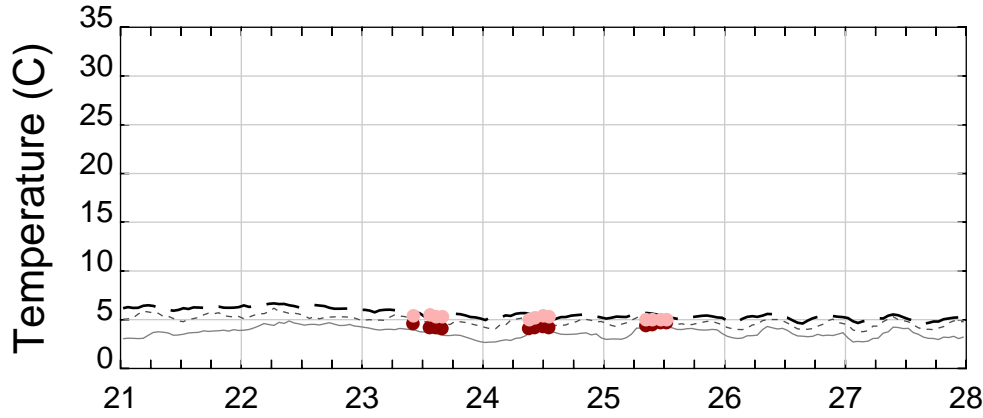


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— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - · - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 33 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)

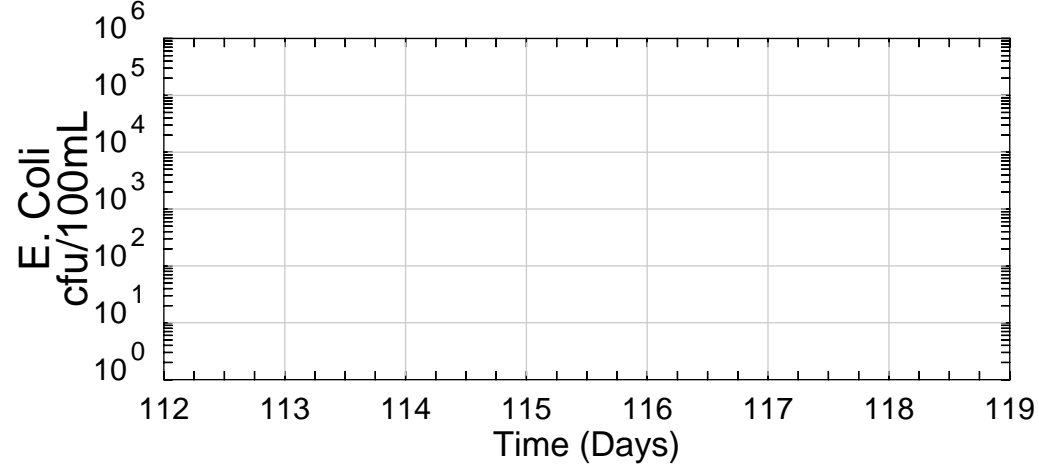
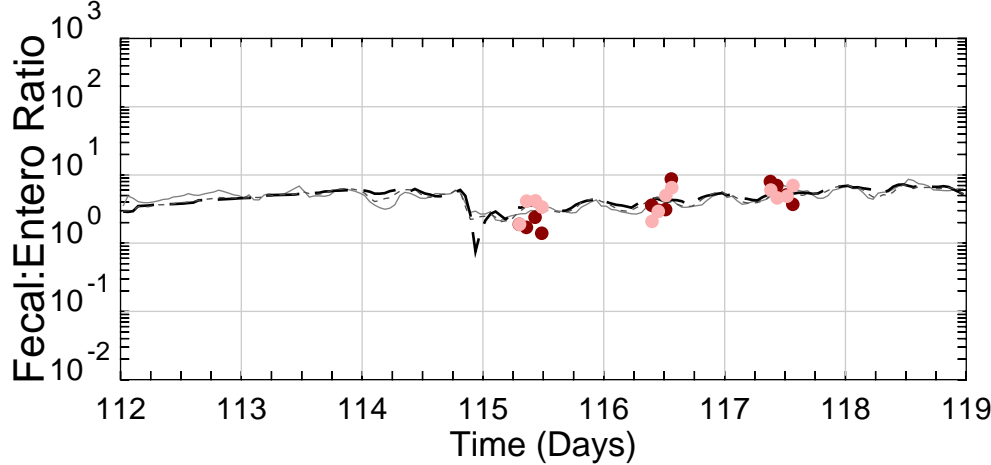
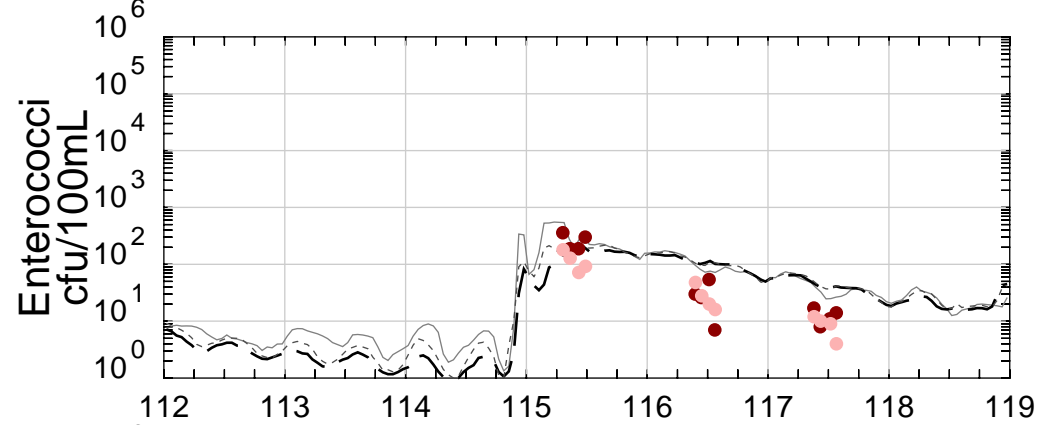
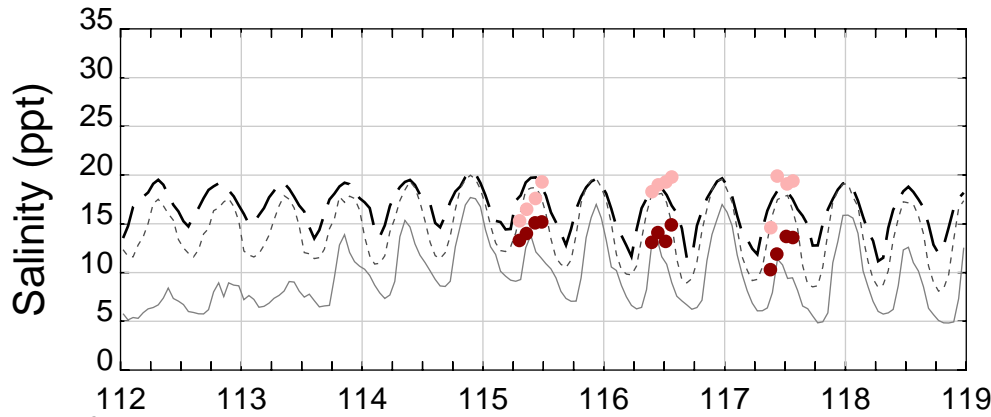
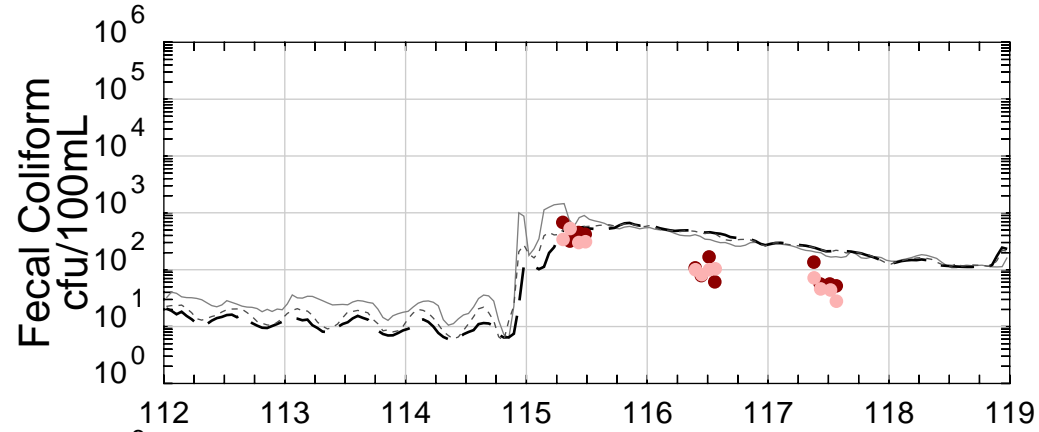
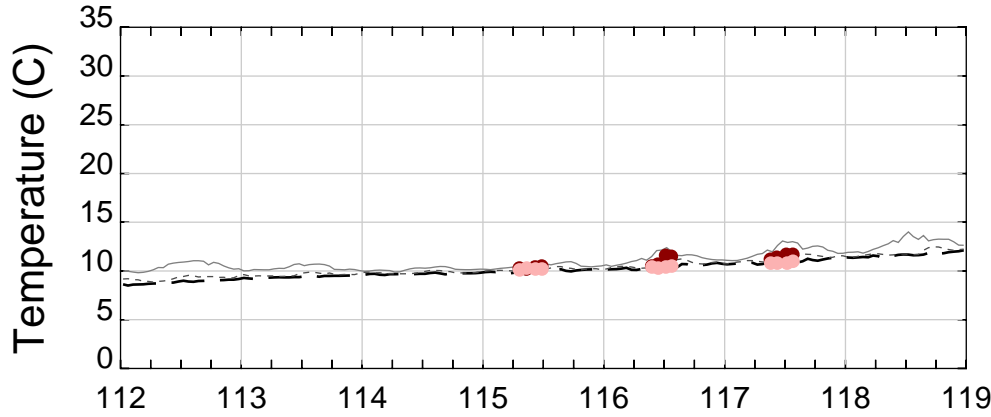


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● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Station: 33 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



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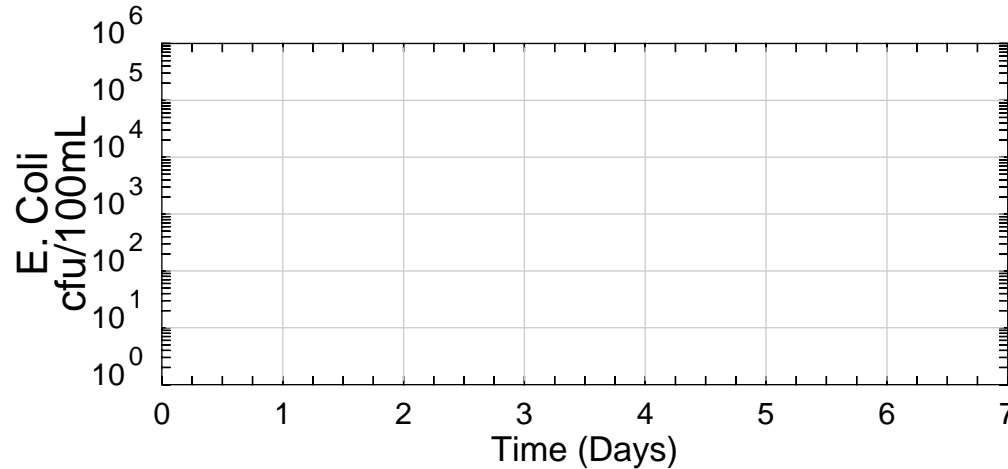
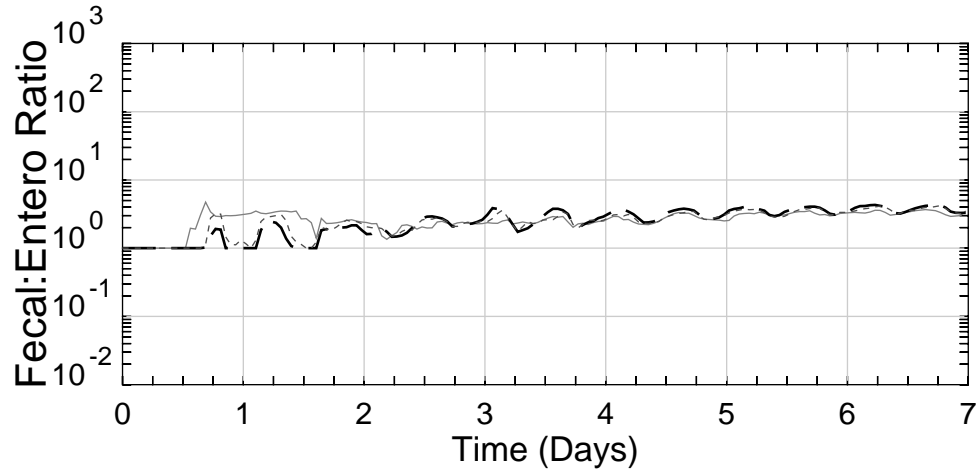
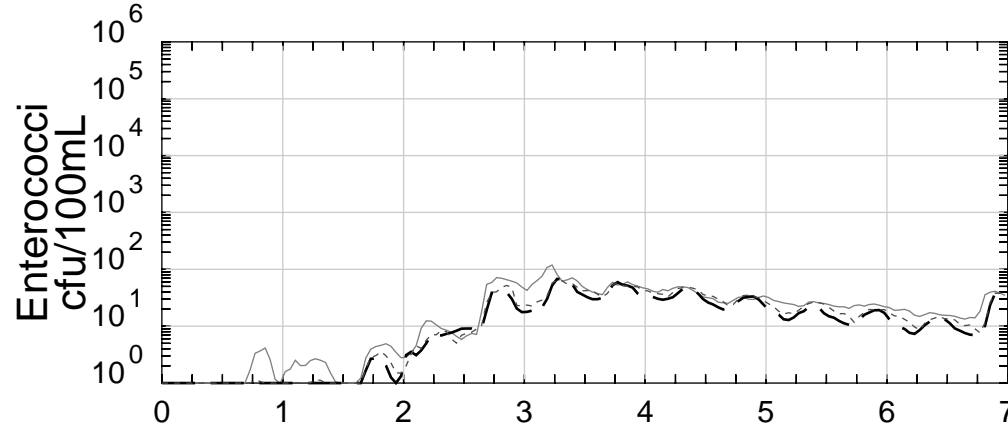
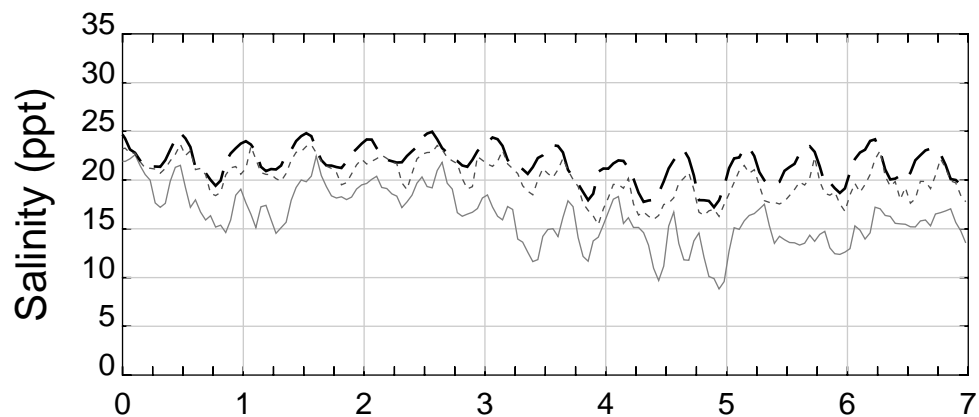
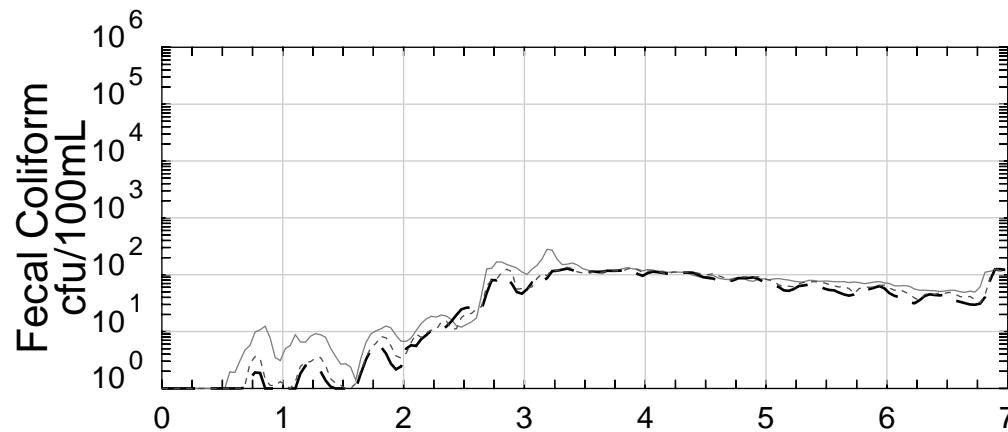
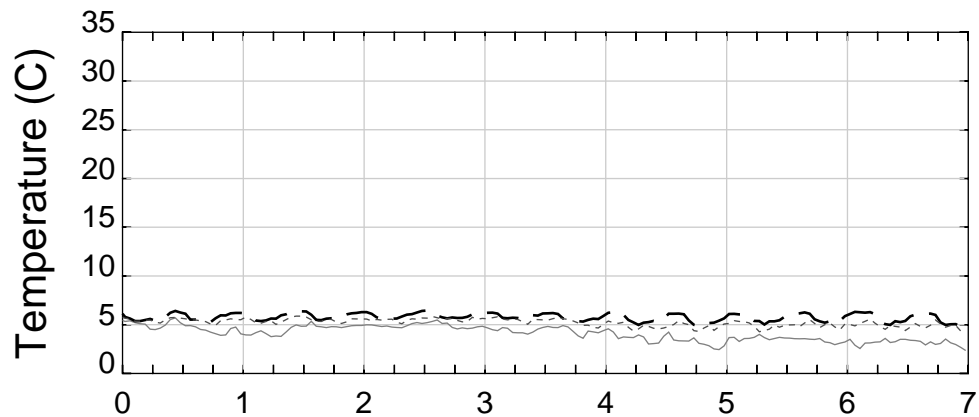
— Model at Surface  
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● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hudson River, Upper Bay Upper Bay

SE2

Station: B26 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



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Data = 2017

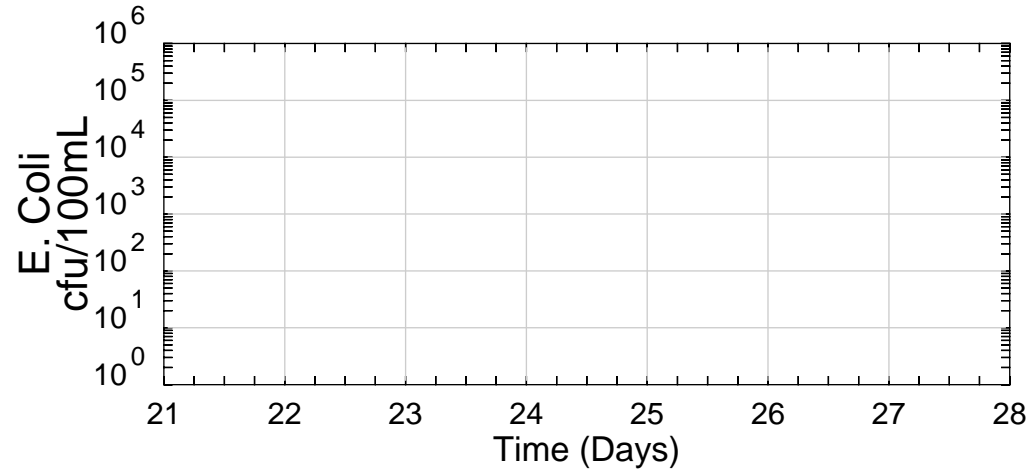
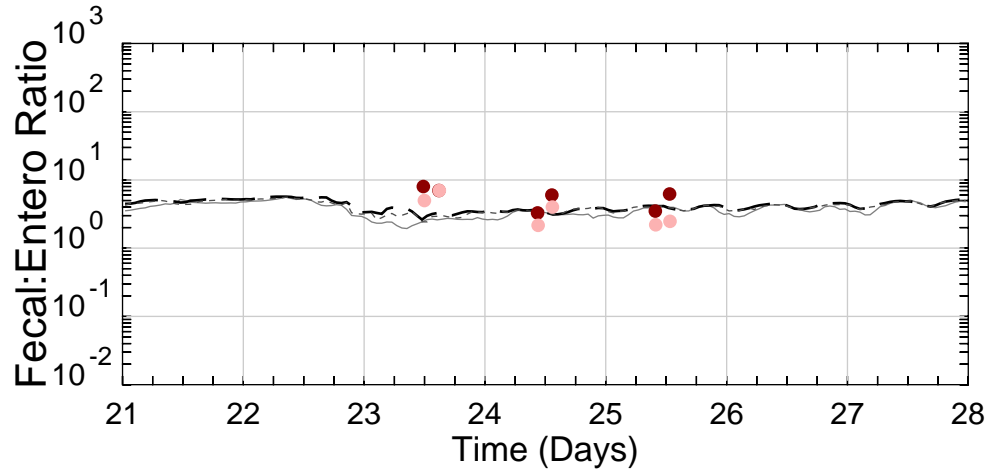
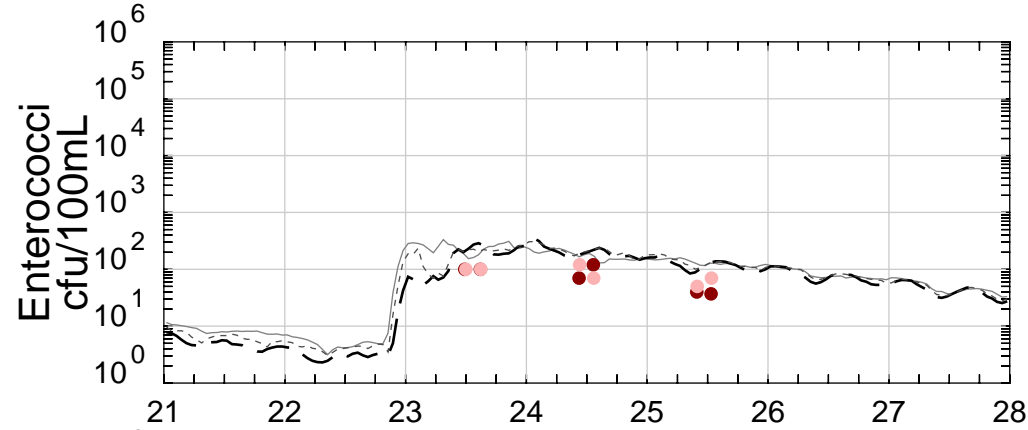
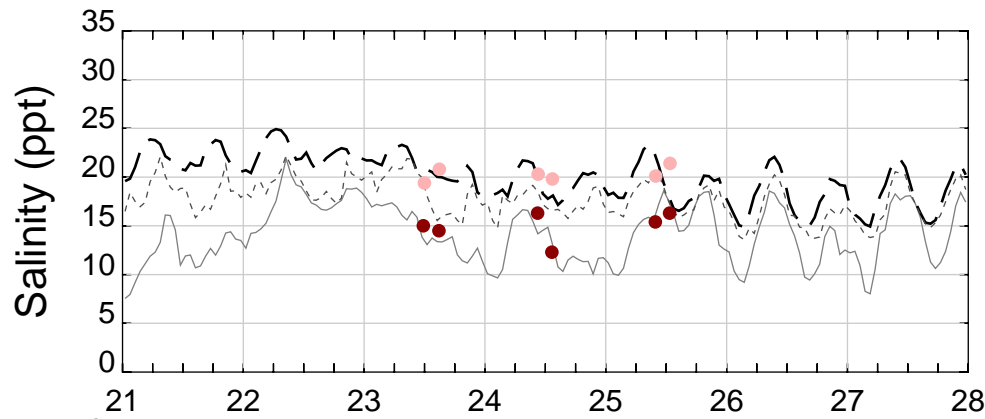
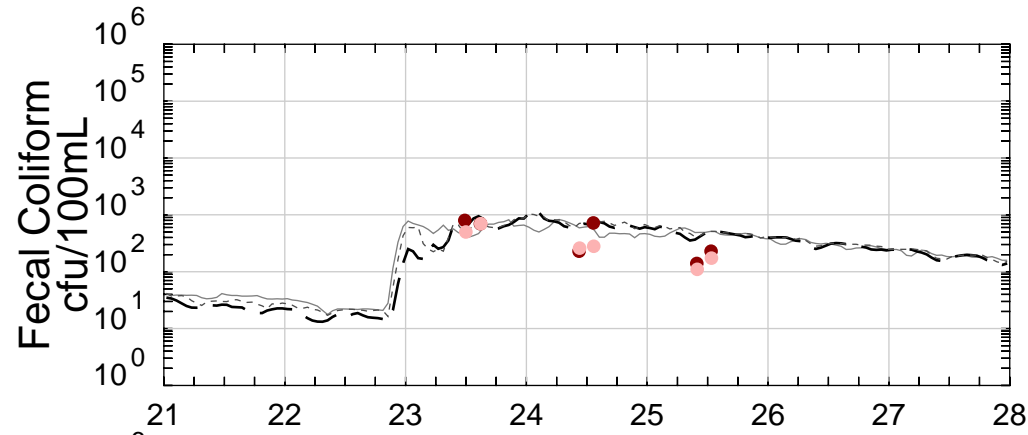
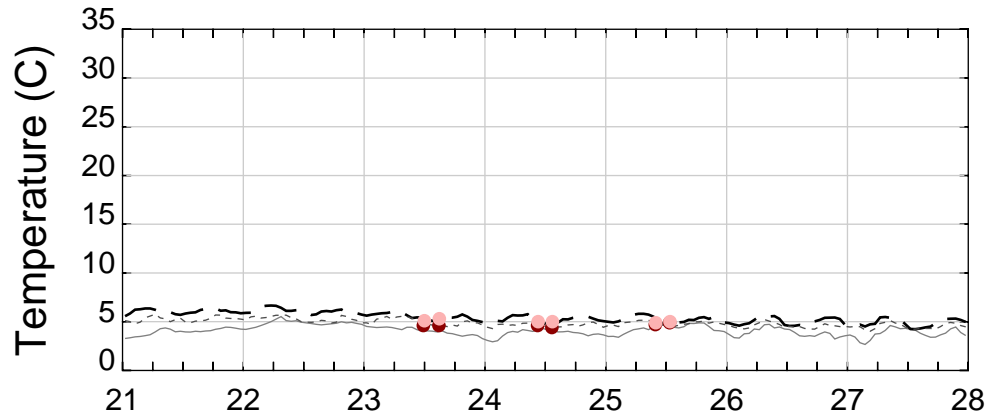
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - · - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hudson River, Upper Bay Upper Bay

SE2

Station: B26 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)



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Data = 2017

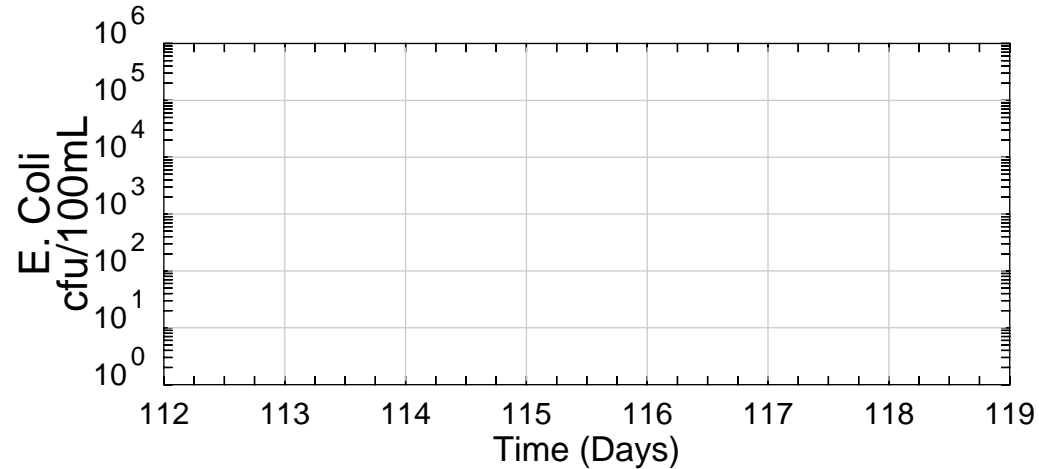
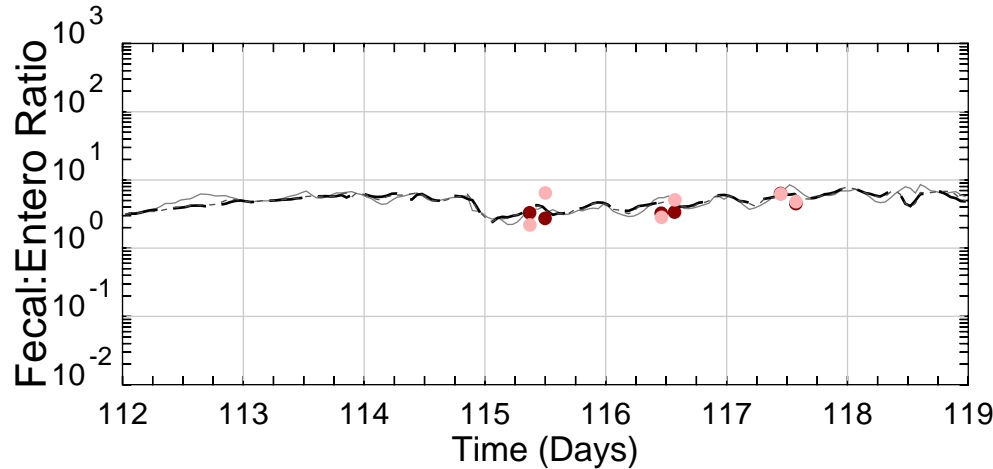
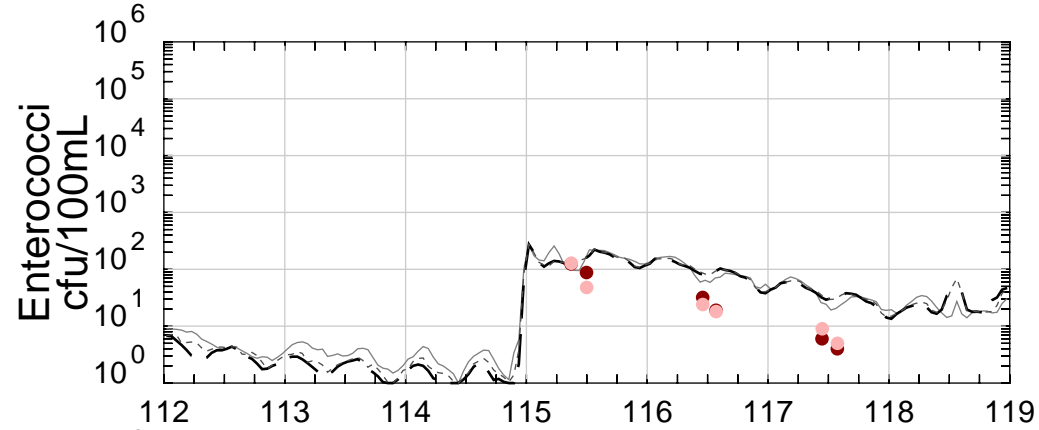
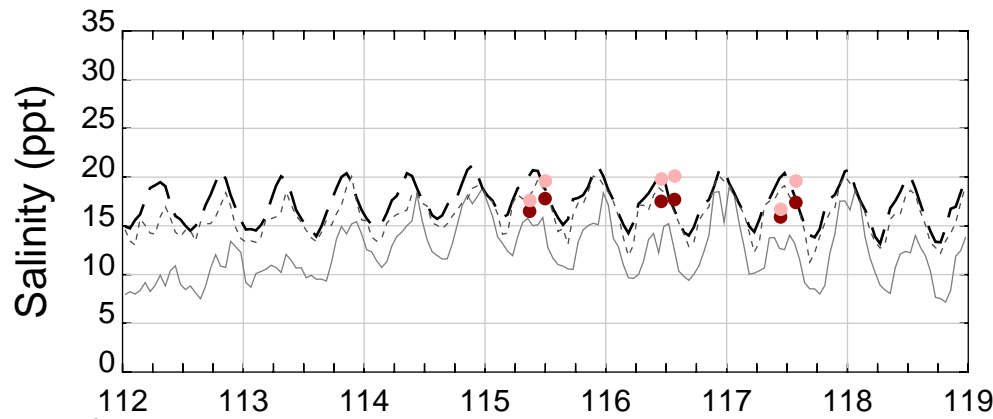
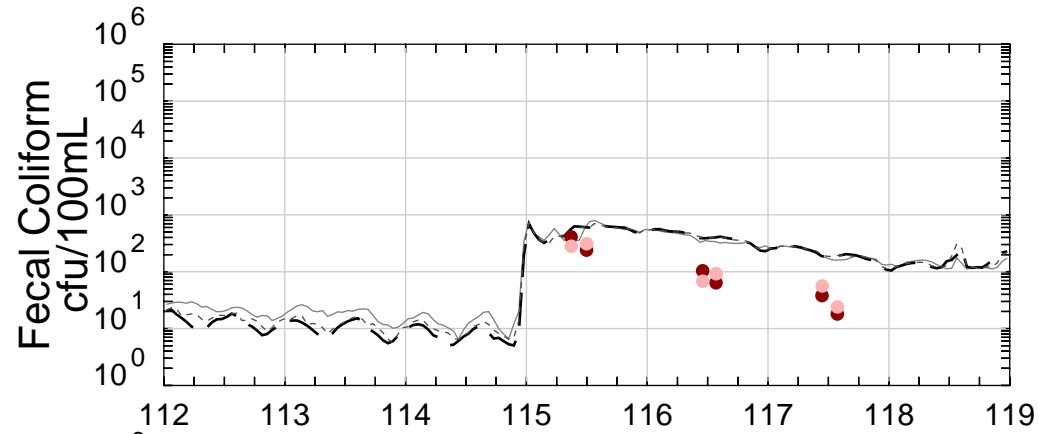
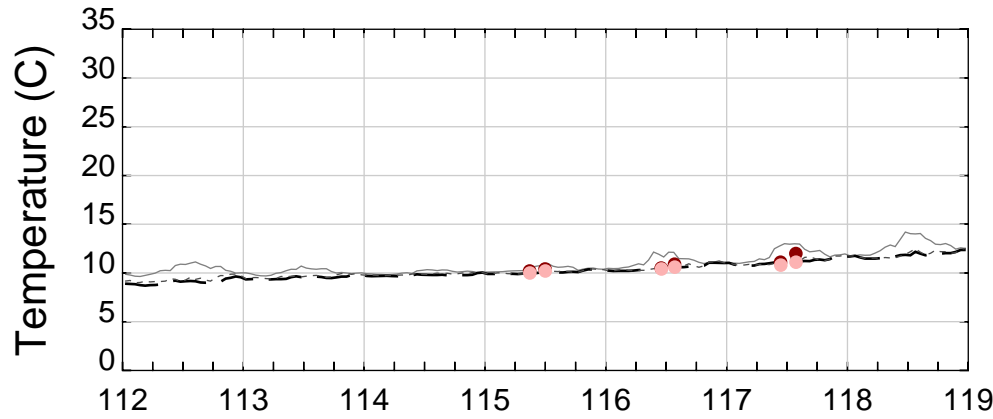
— Model at Surface  
 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
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● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
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# Hudson River, Upper Bay Upper Bay

SE2

Station: B26 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



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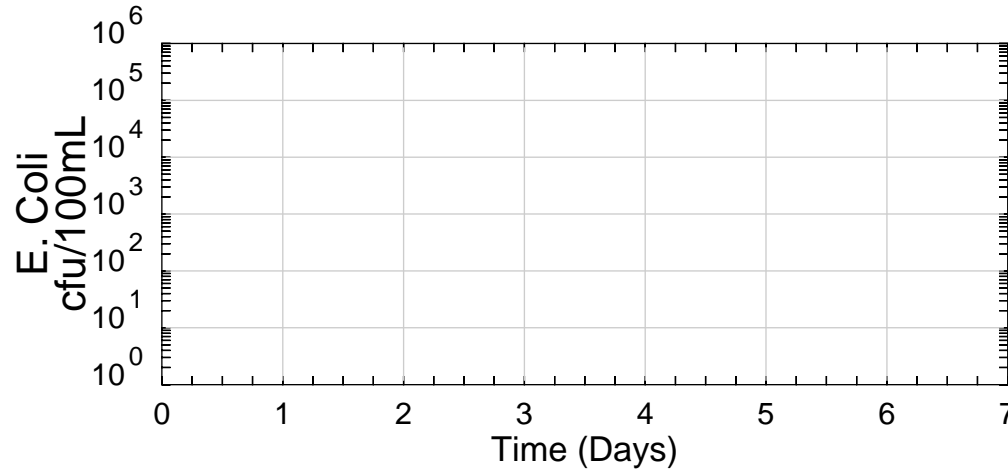
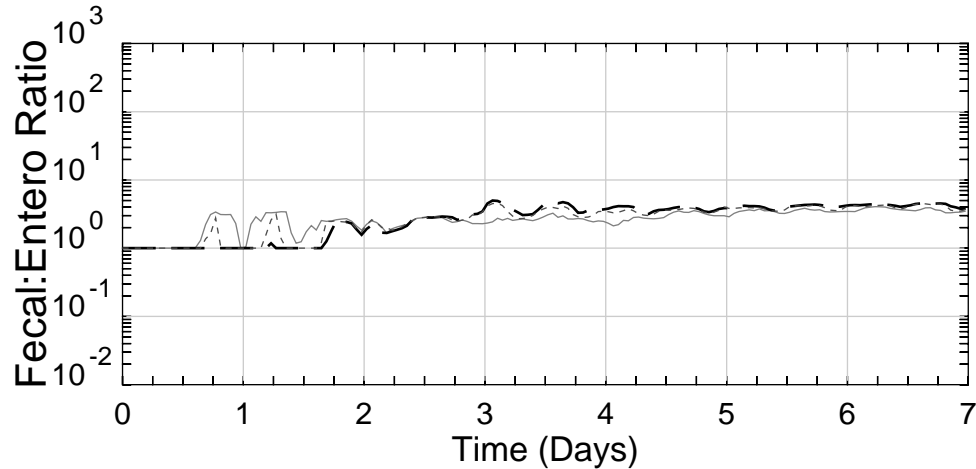
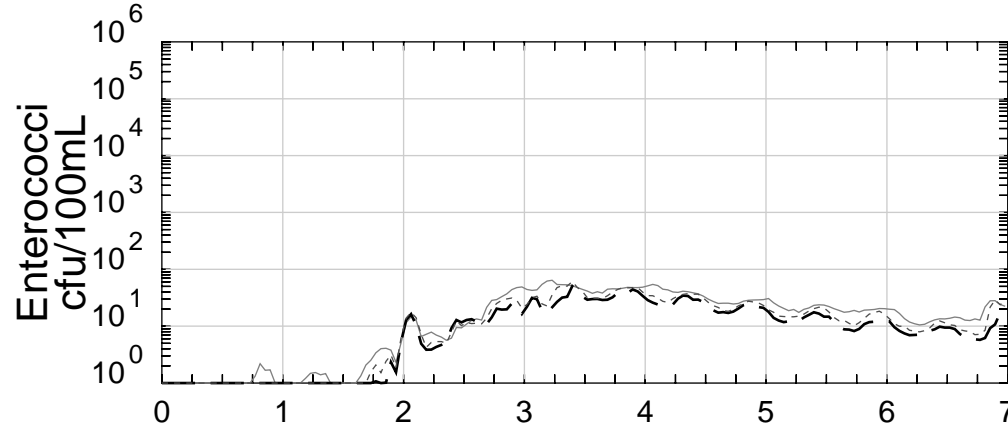
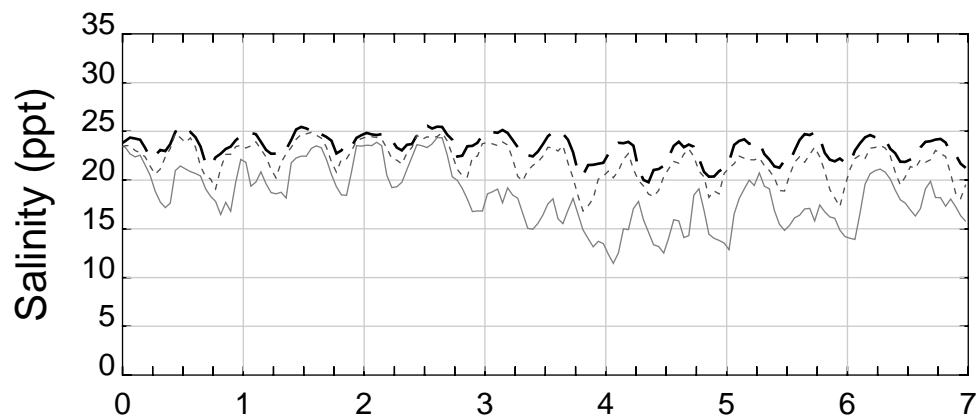
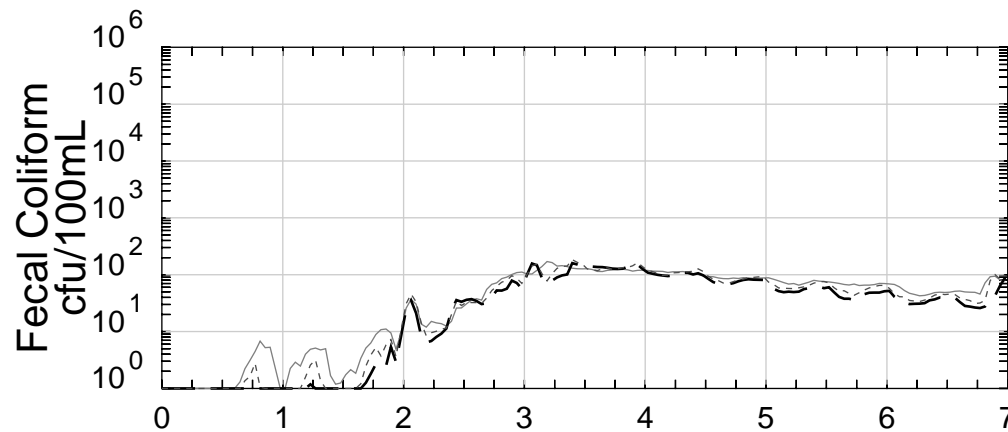
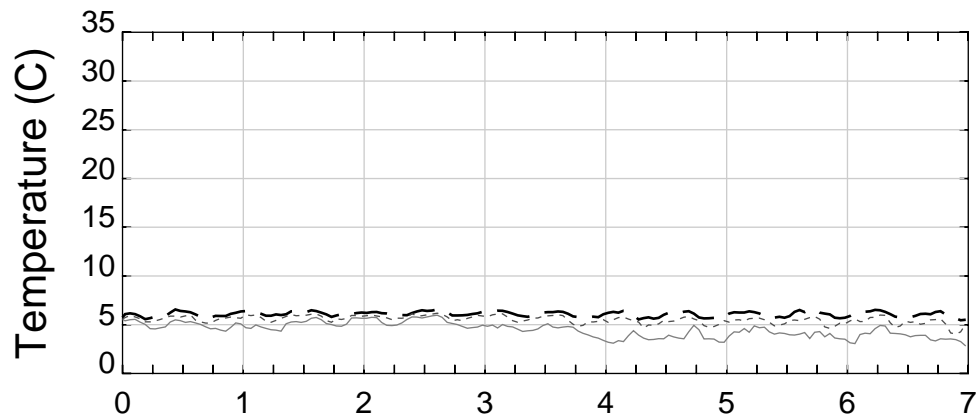
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 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
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● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hudson River, Upper Bay Upper Bay

SE2

Station: B27 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

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 - · - Model at Bottom

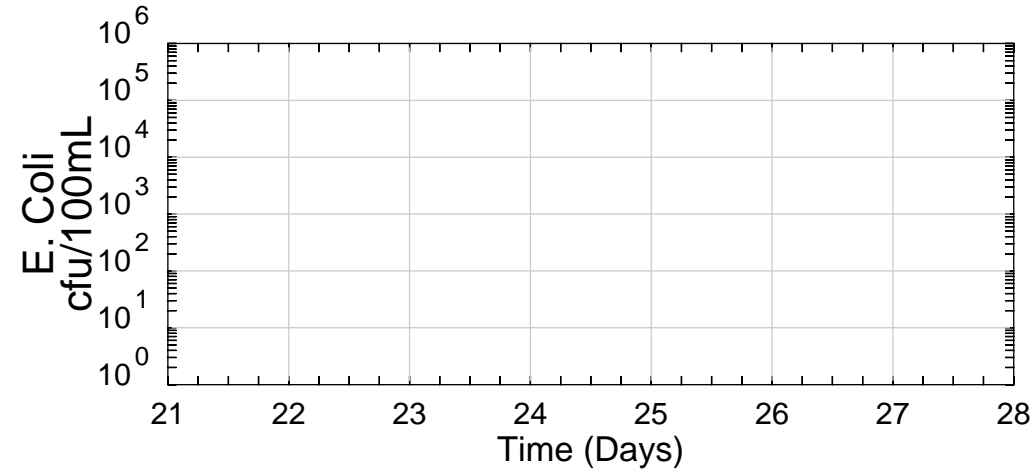
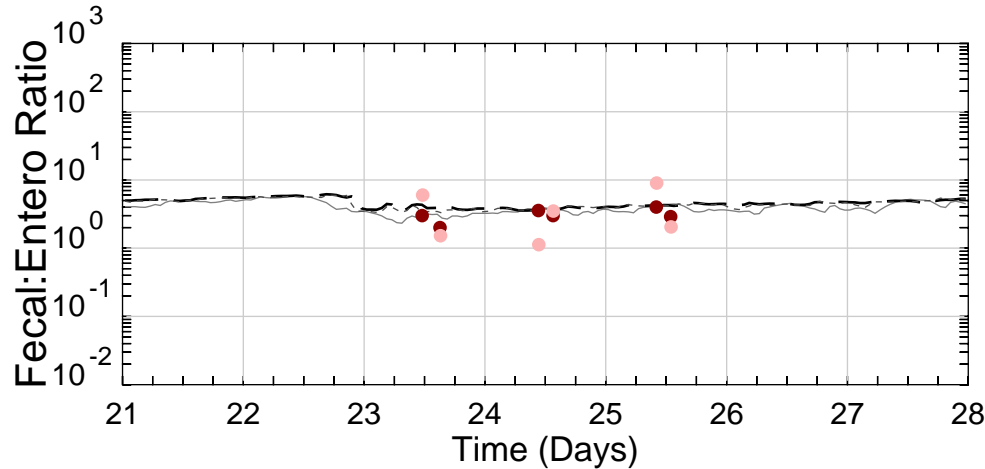
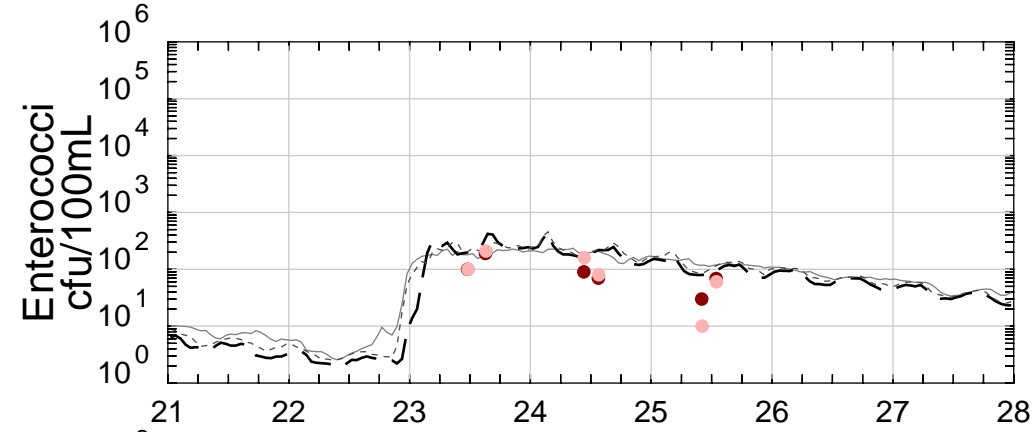
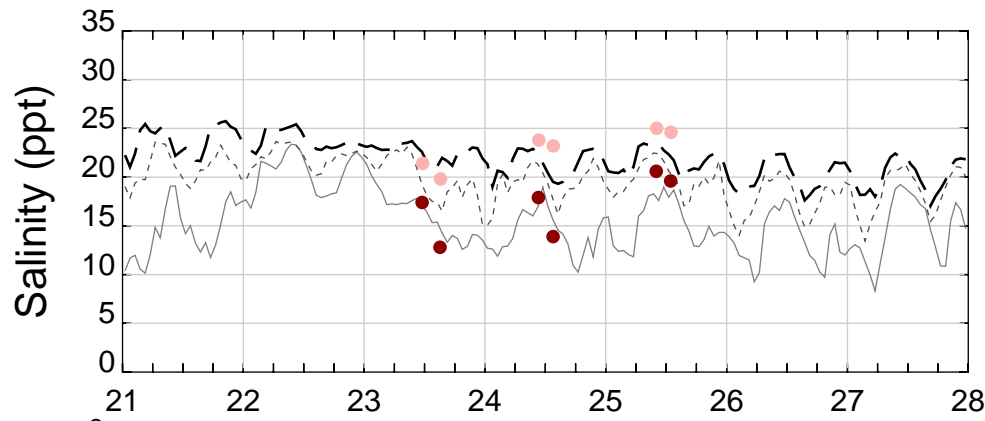
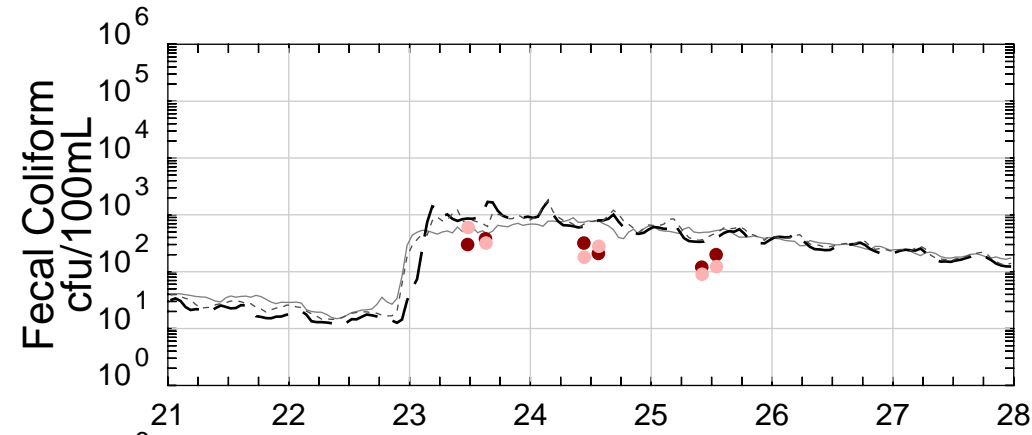
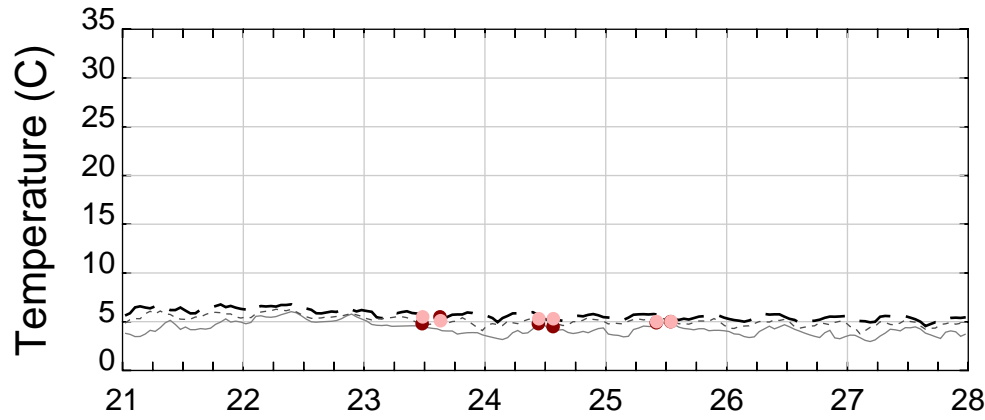
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# Hudson River, Upper Bay Upper Bay

SE2

Station: B27 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)



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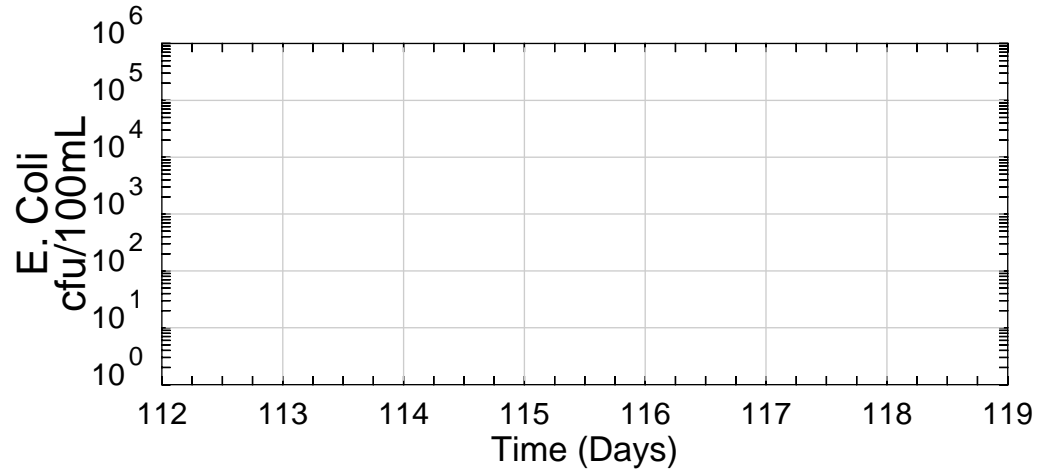
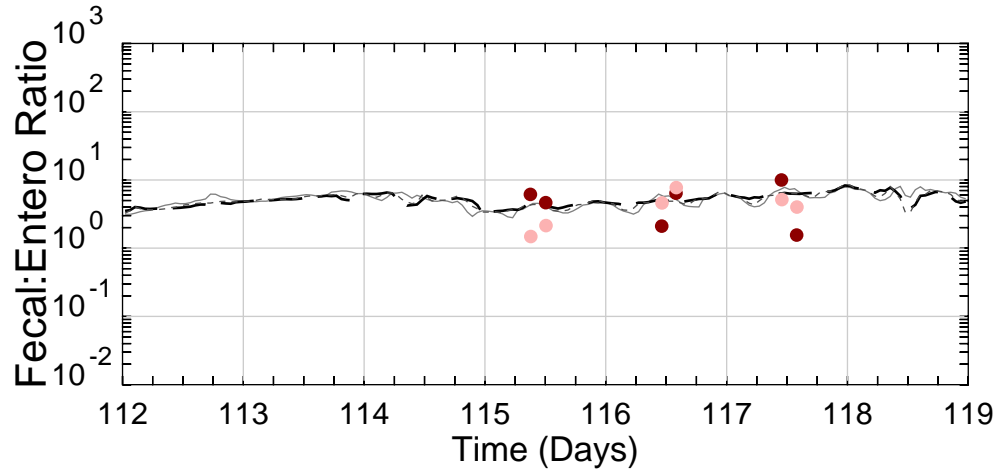
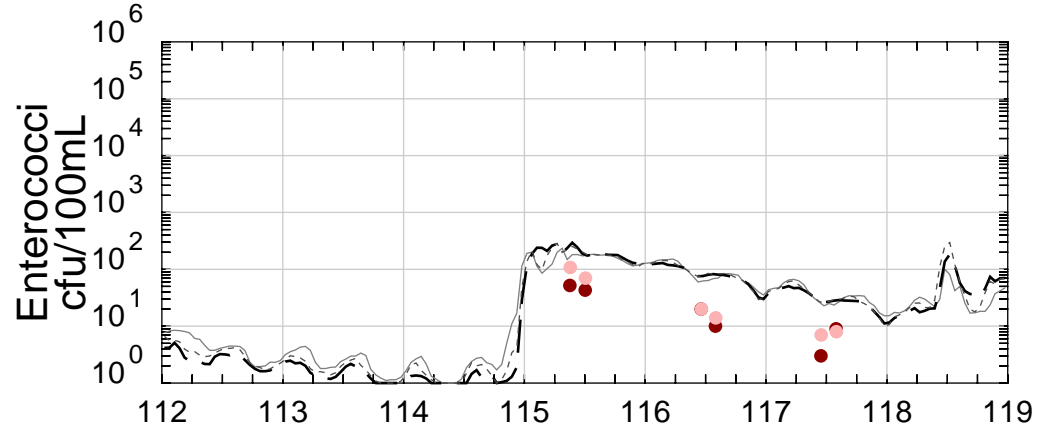
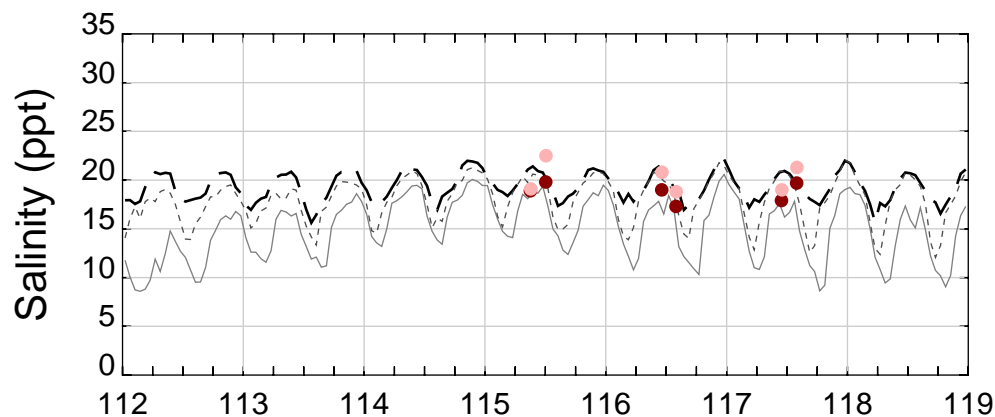
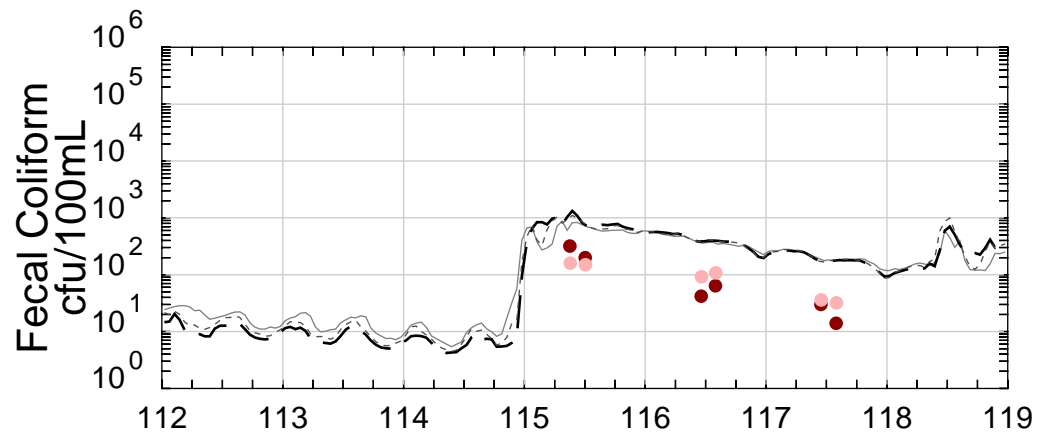
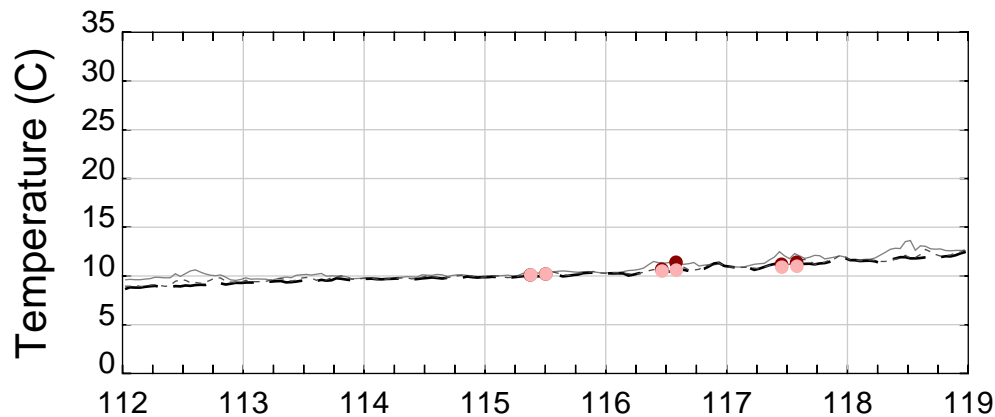
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 - · - Model at Bottom

● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
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# Hudson River, Upper Bay

SE2

Station: B27 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



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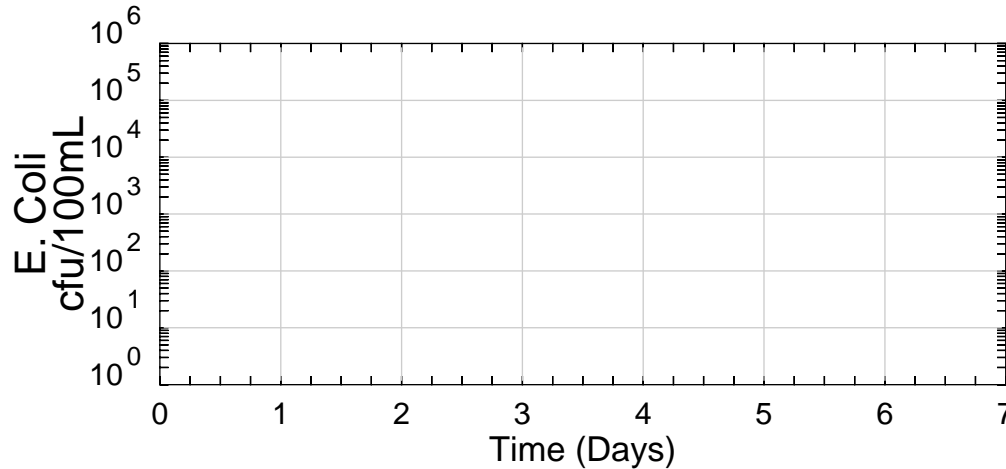
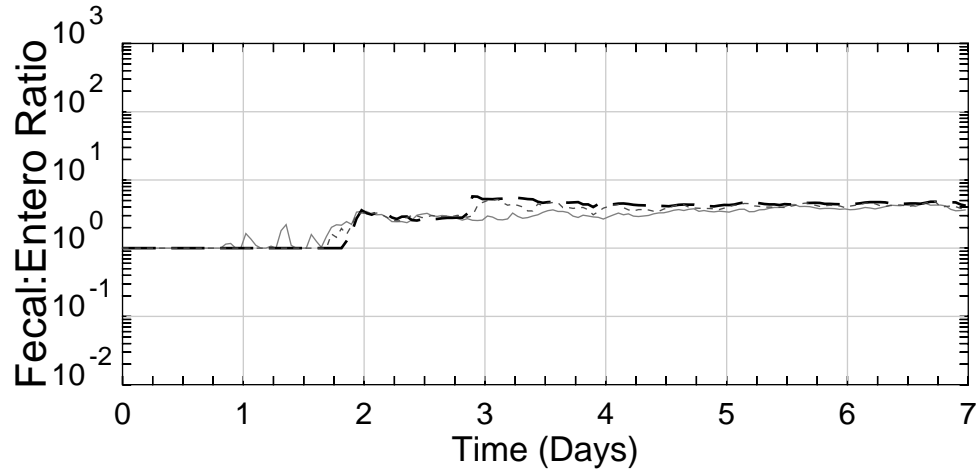
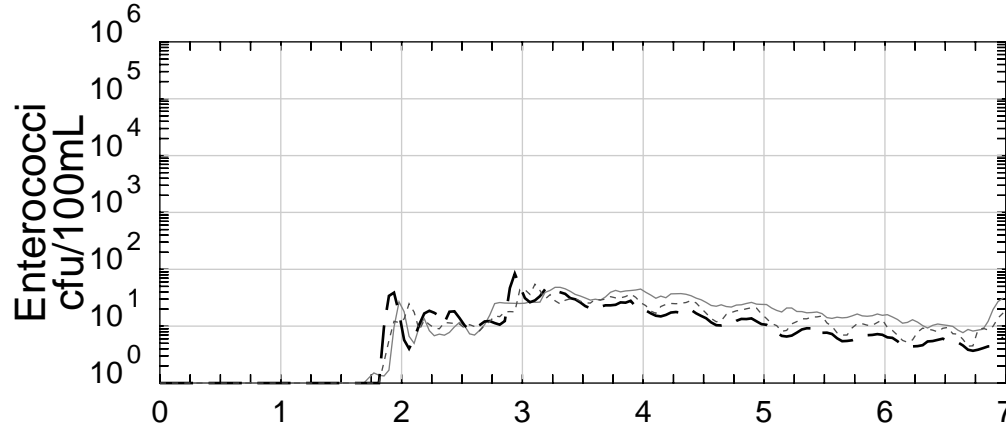
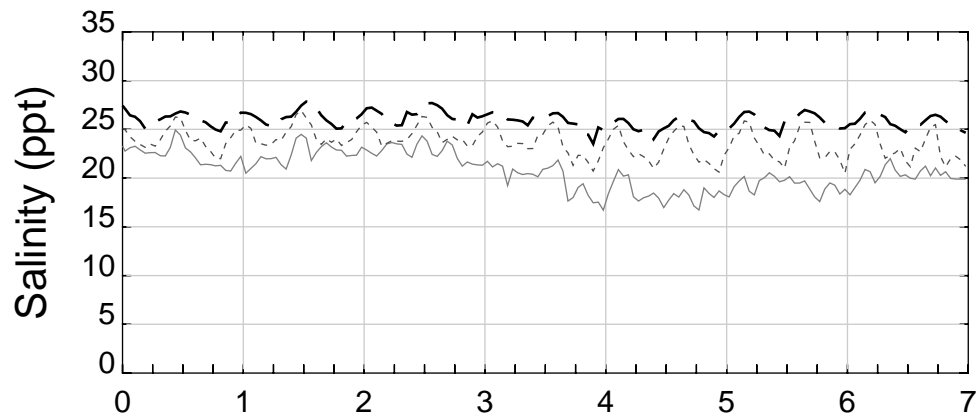
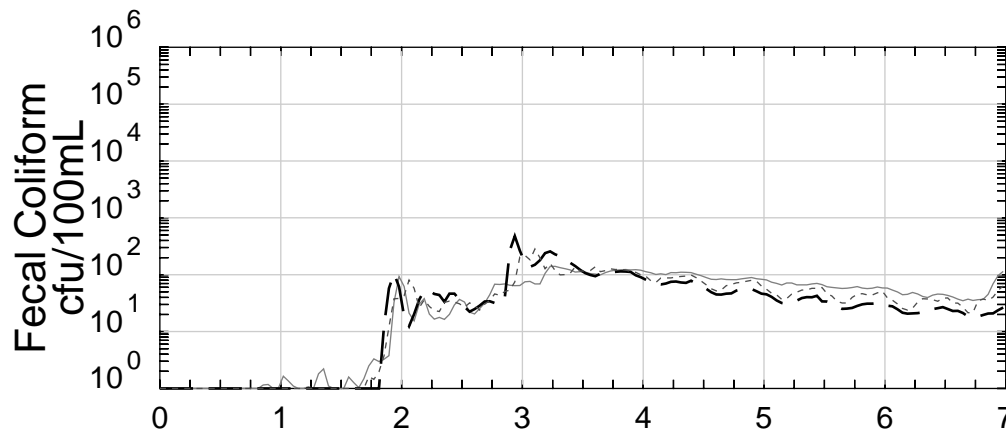
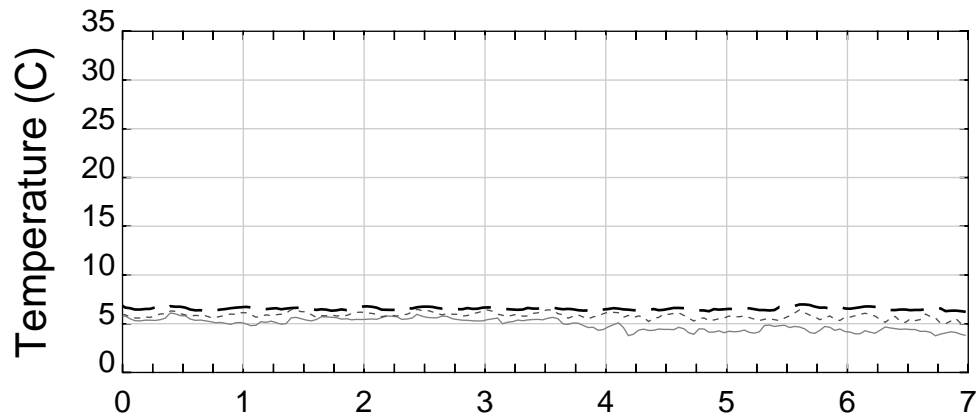
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 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
 - - - Model at Bottom

● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
 ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hudson River, Upper Bay Upper Bay

SE2

Station: B28 Event 1 (Jan 1-7)



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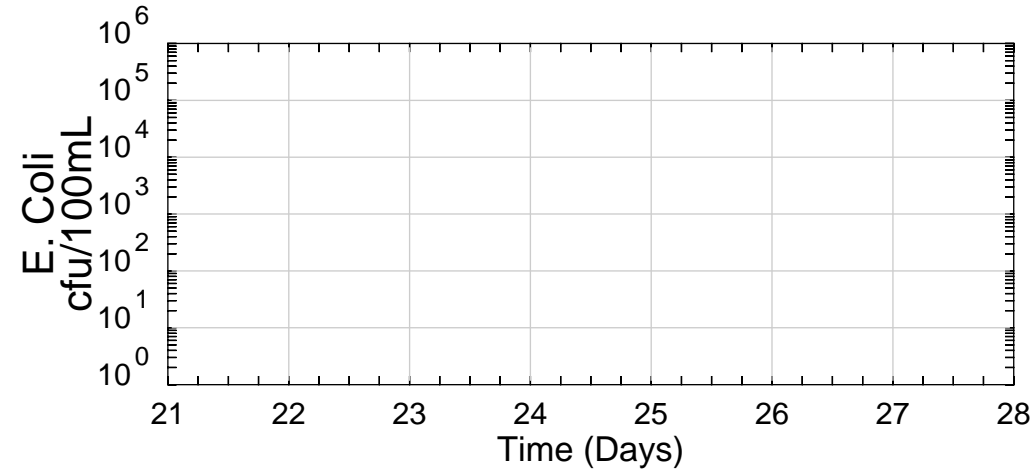
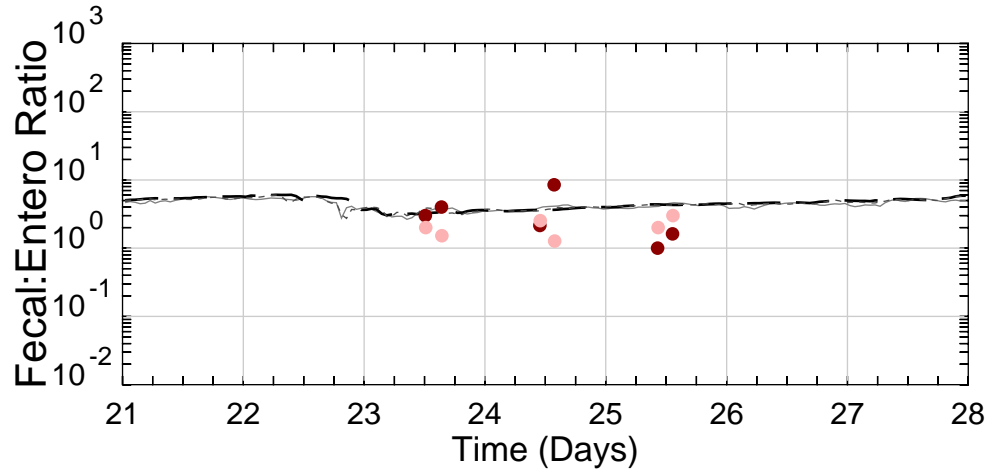
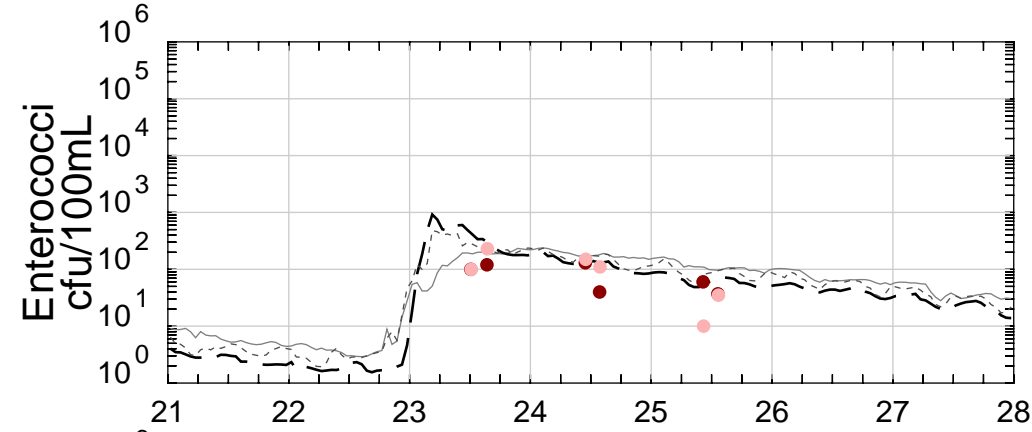
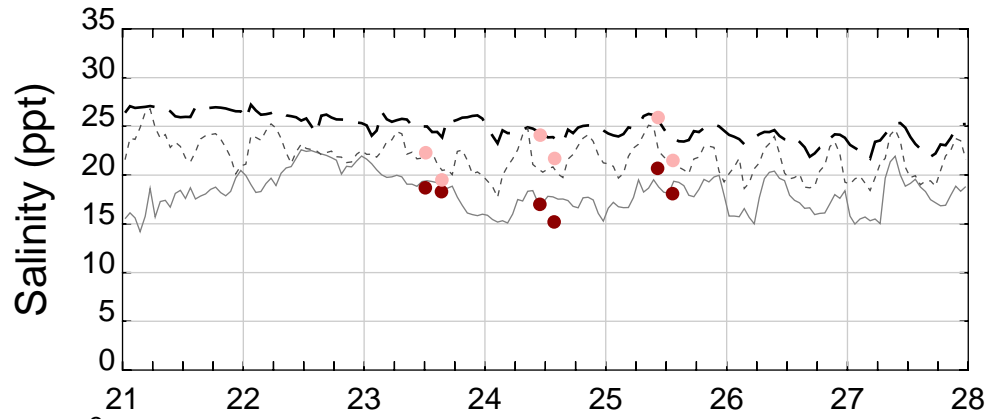
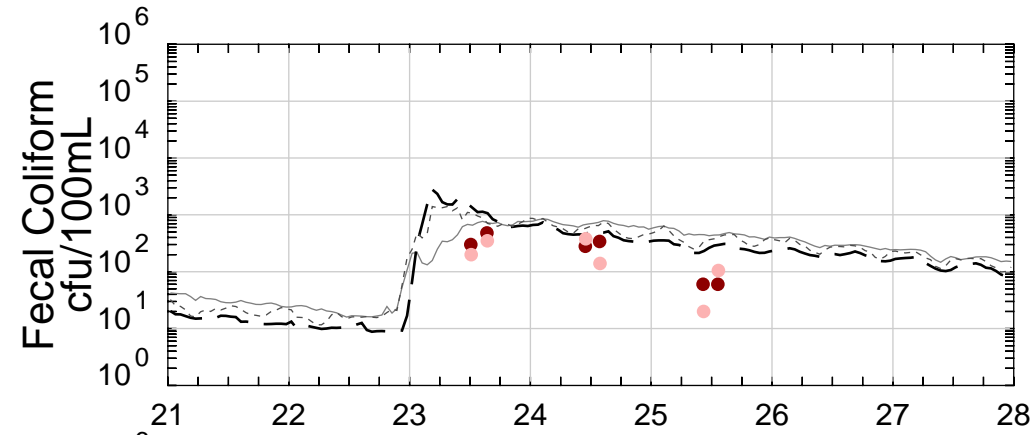
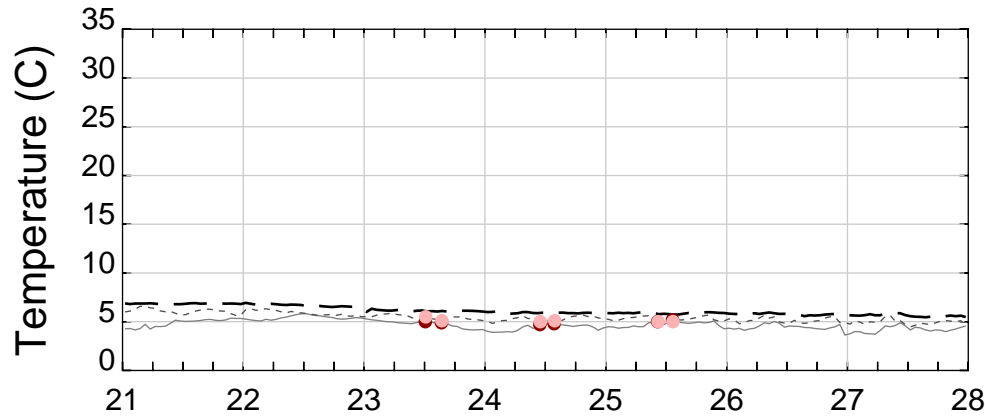
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● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
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# Hudson River, Upper Bay

## SE2

### Station: B28 Event 2 (Jan 21-28)



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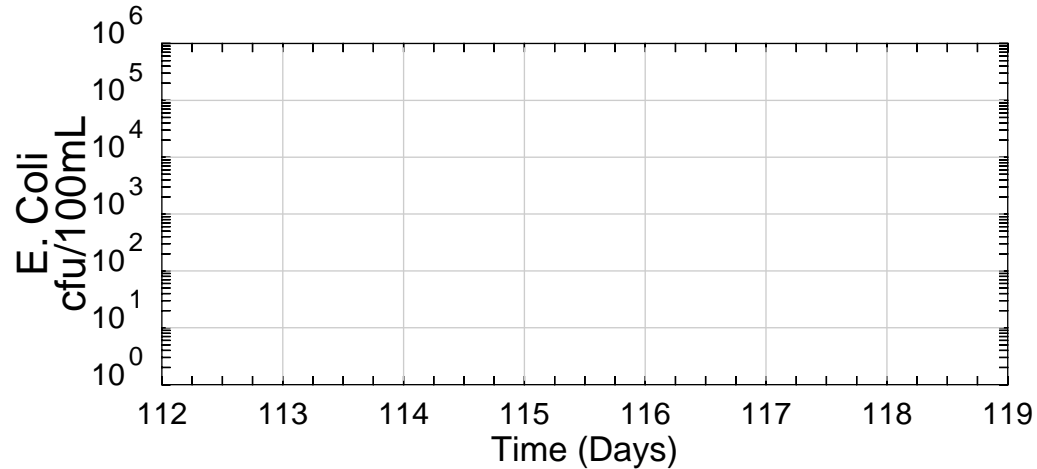
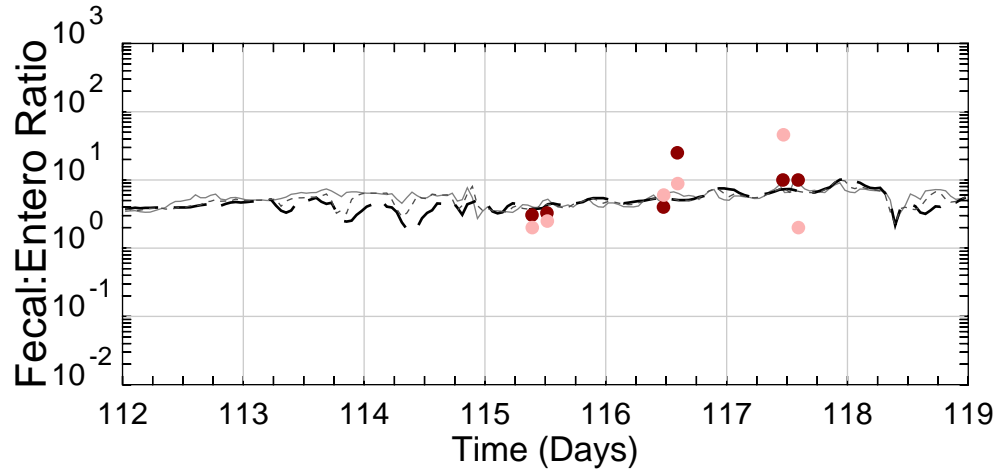
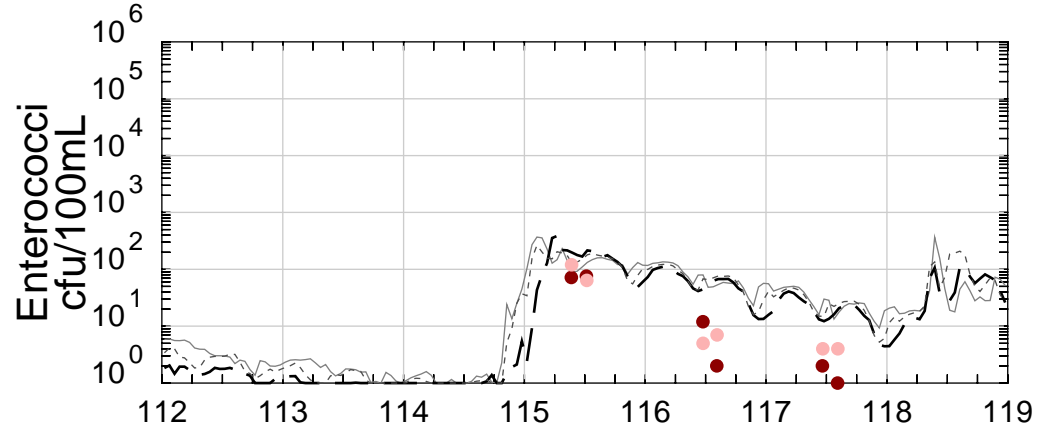
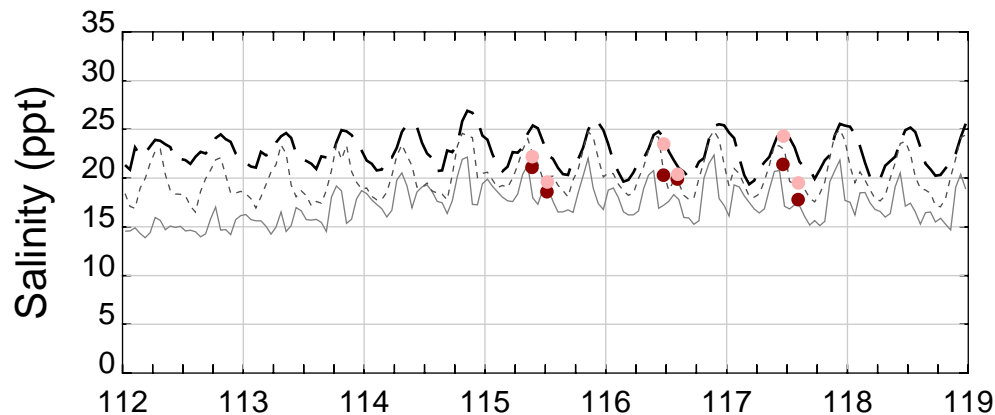
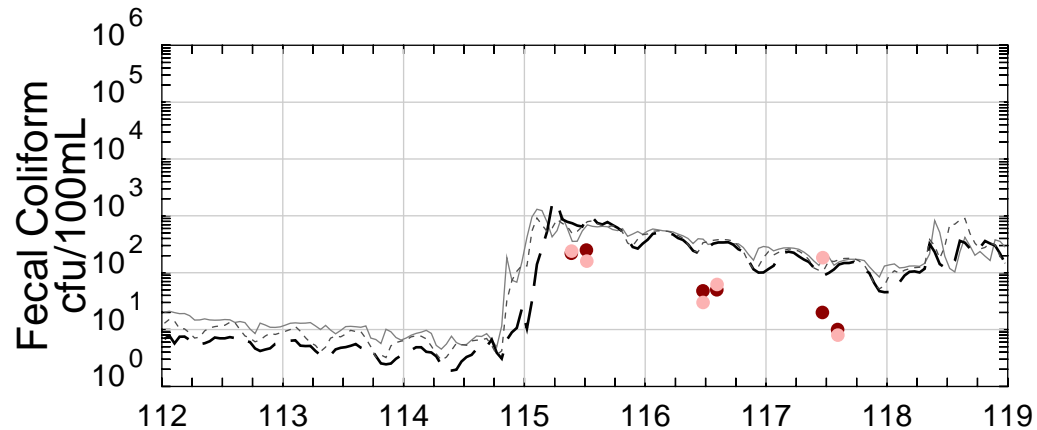
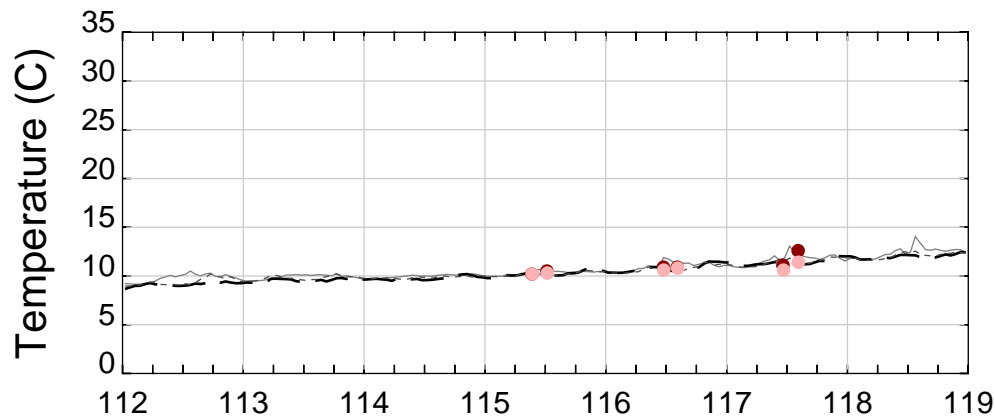
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom

- ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- ● Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Hudson River, Upper Bay

## SE2

### Station: B28 Event 3 (Apr 23-29)



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

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 - - - Model at Mid-Depth  
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● ● Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data  
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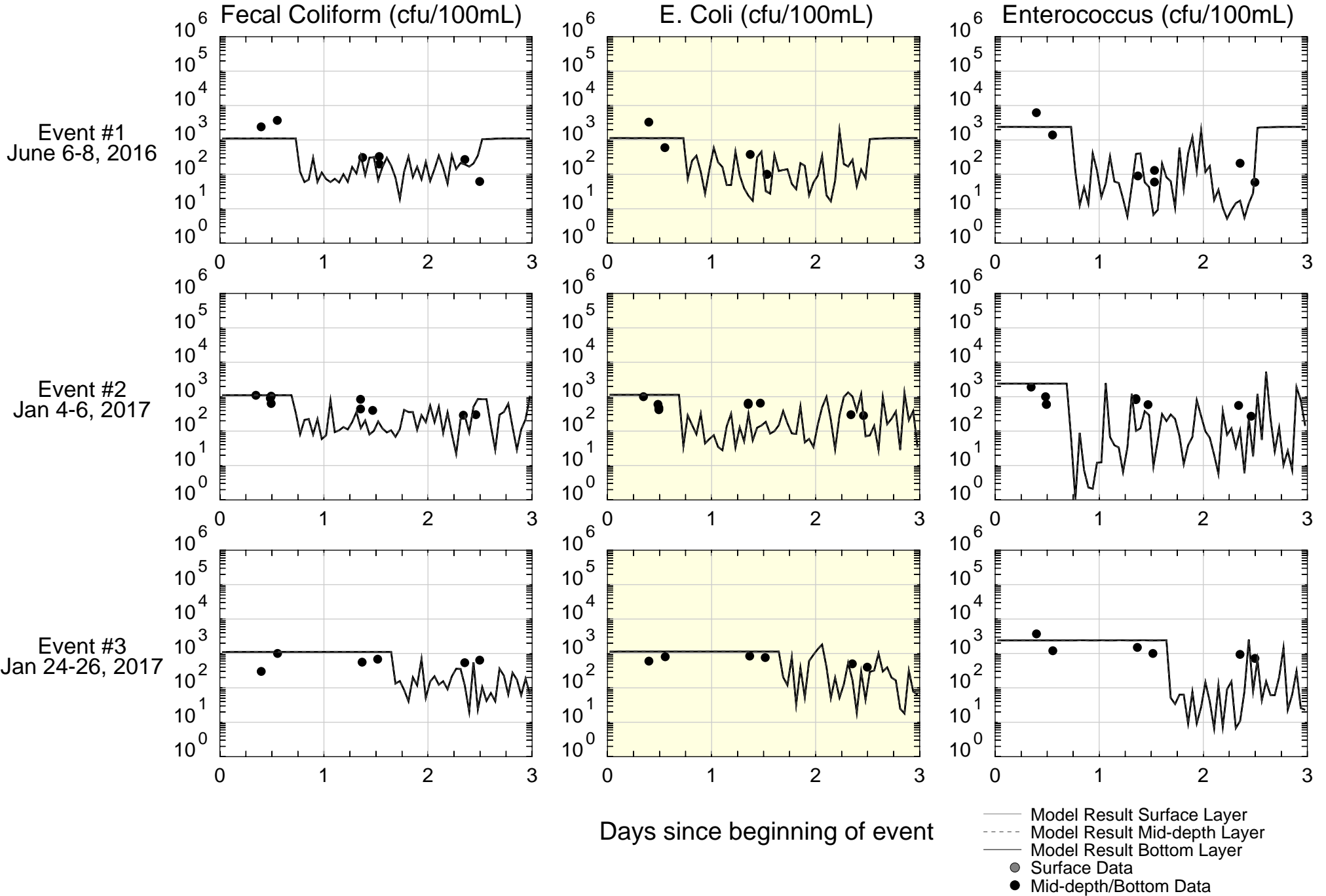
## Appendix F-3

### Additional Wet-Weather Time Series Figures

# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

FW2

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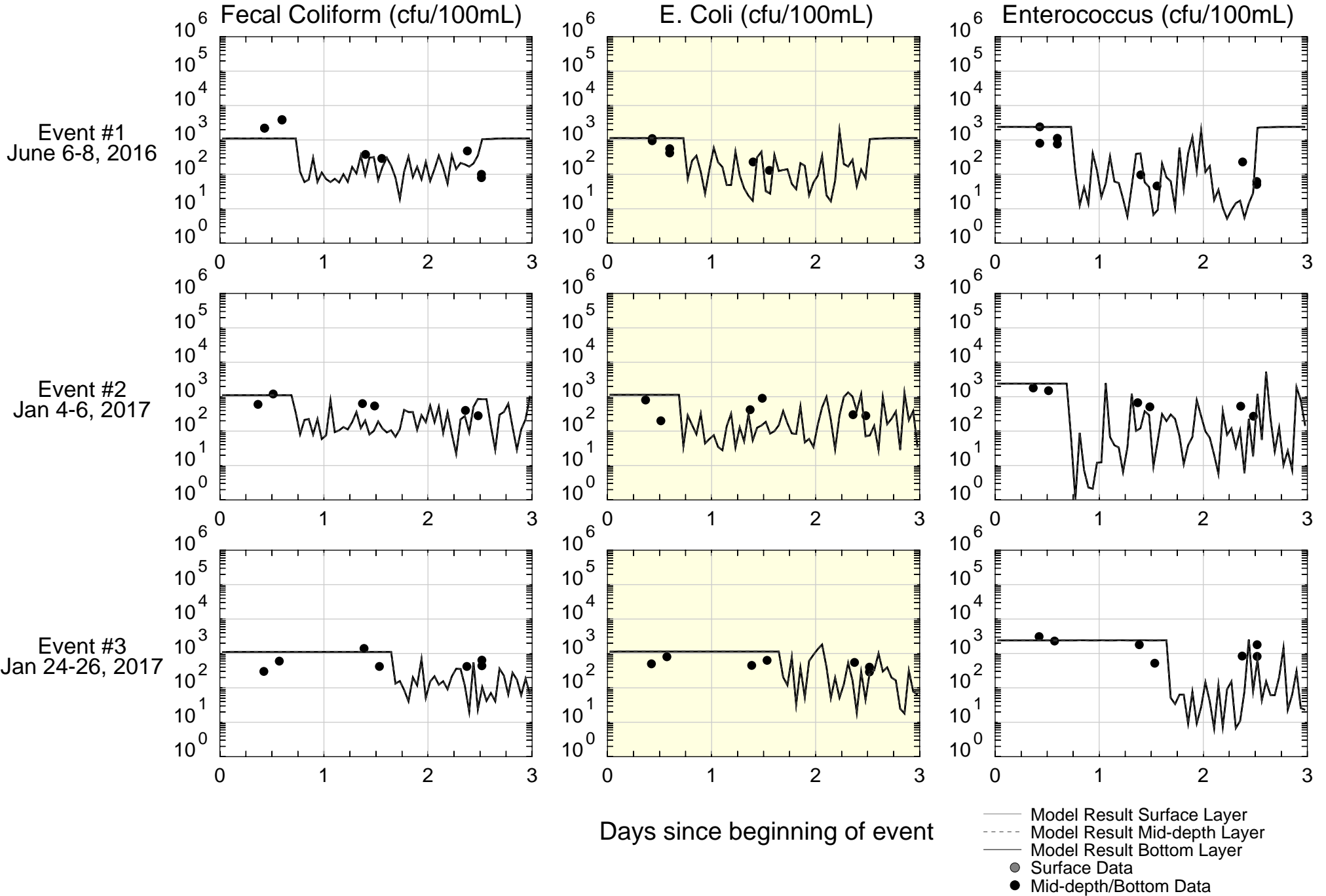




# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

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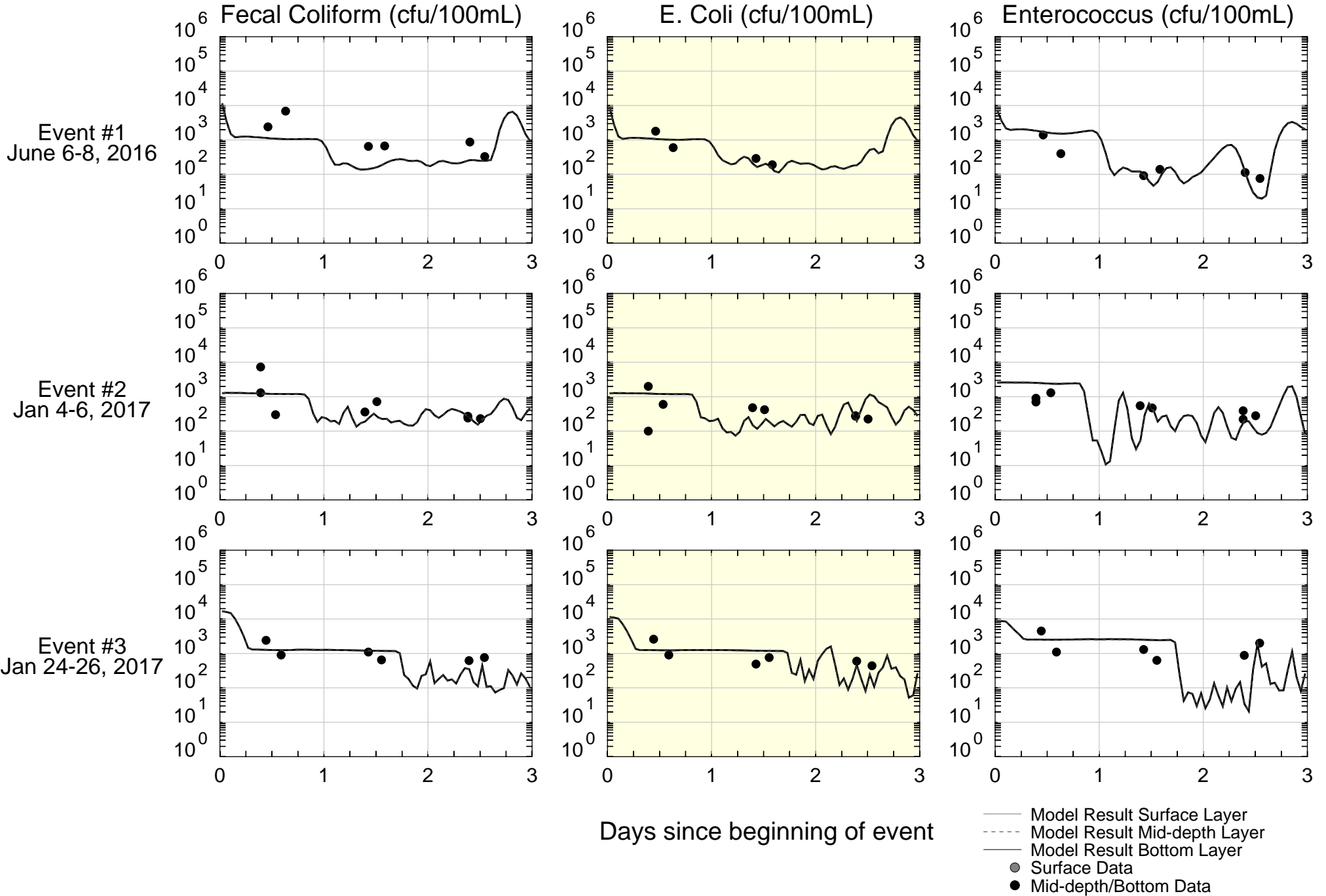
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# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

FW2

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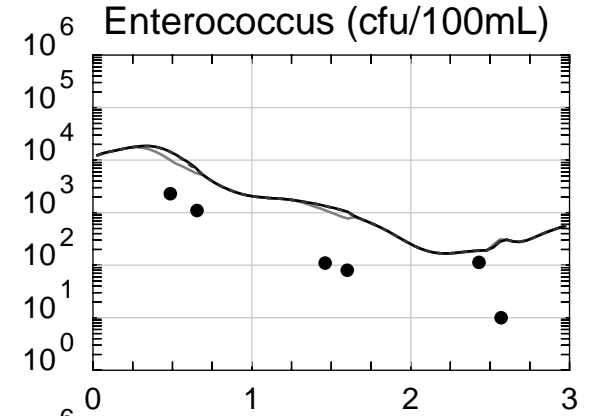
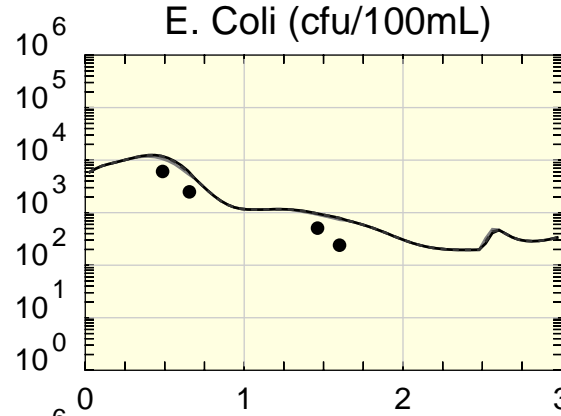
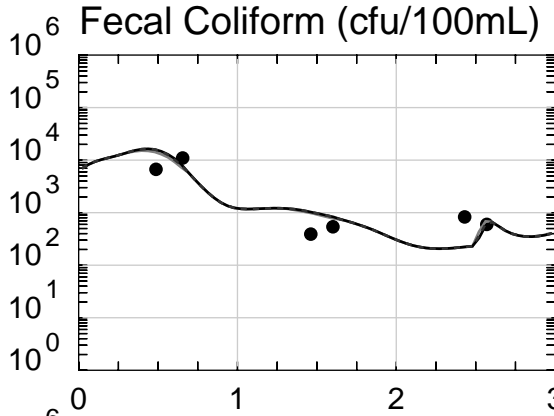


# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

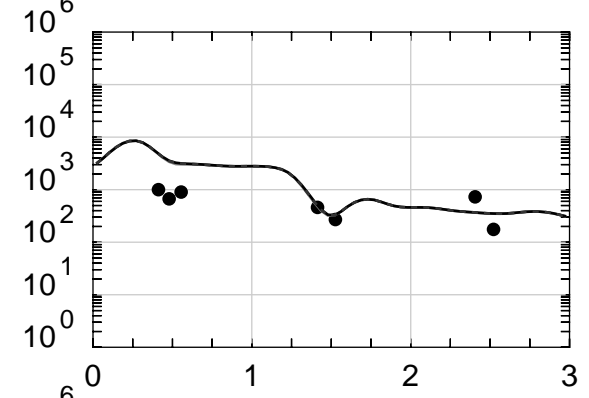
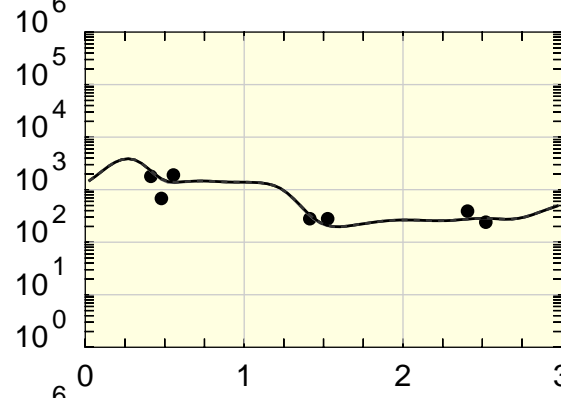
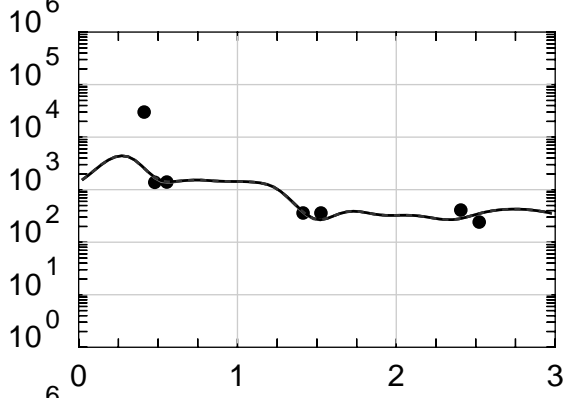
FW2

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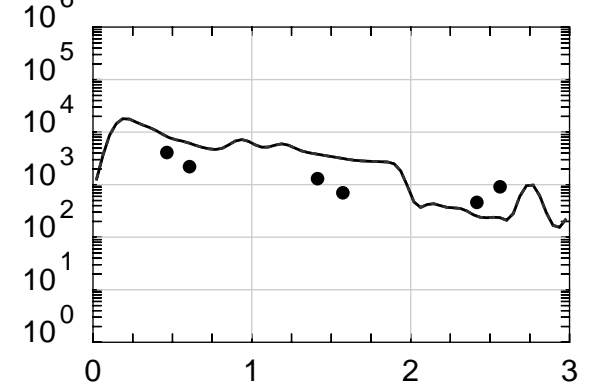
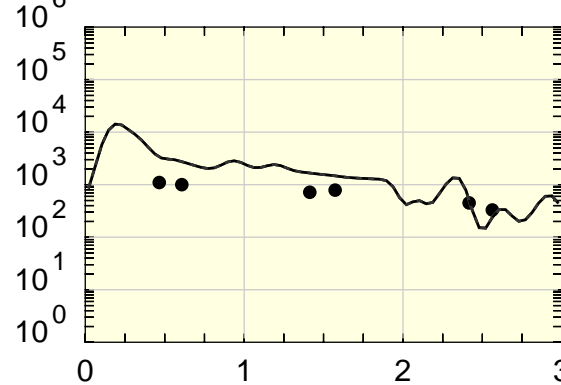
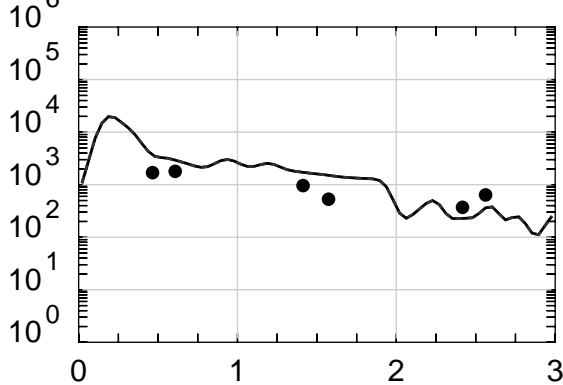
Event #1  
June 6-8, 2016



Event #2  
Jan 4-6, 2017



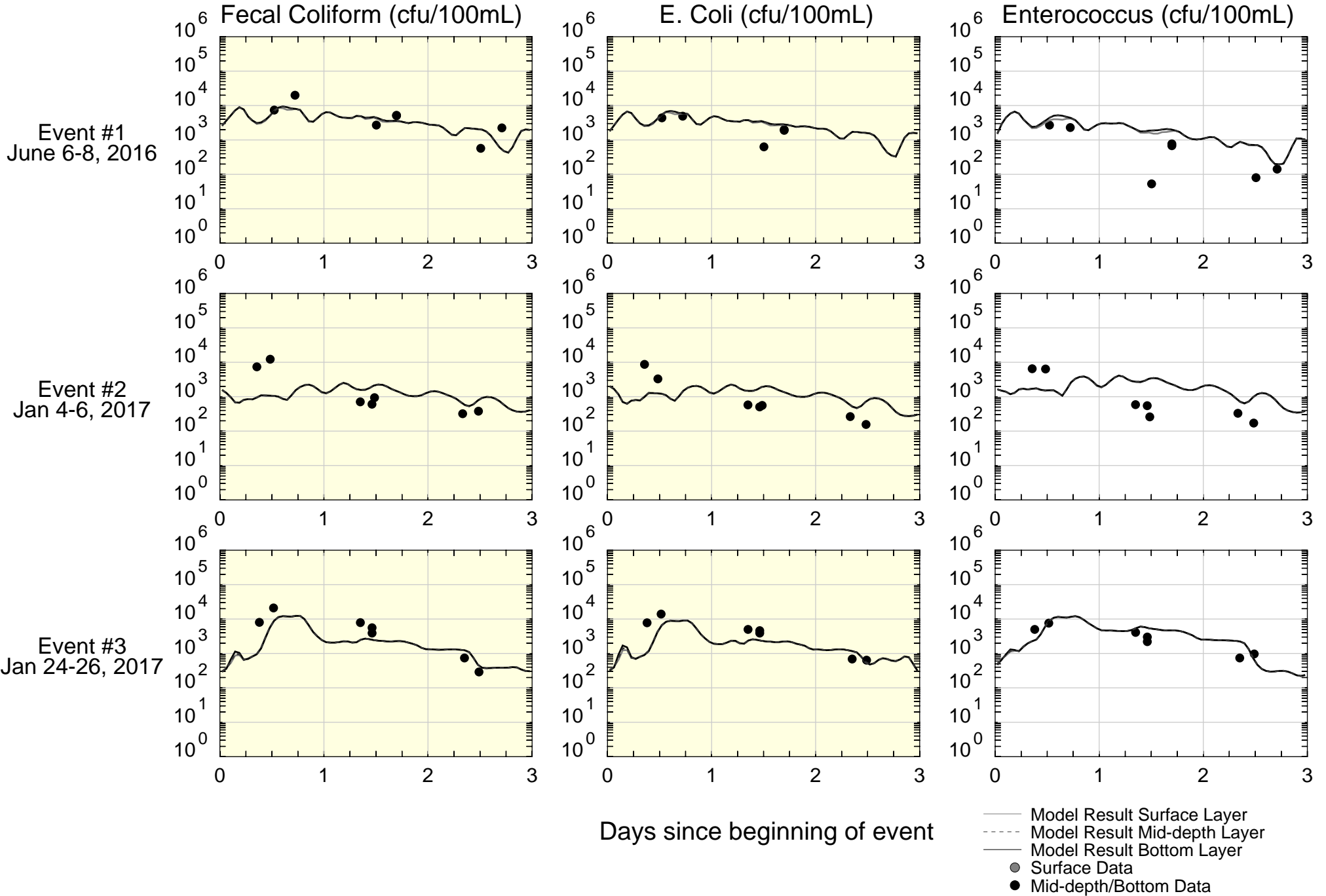
Event #3  
Jan 24-26, 2017



Days since beginning of event

- Model Result Surface Layer
- - - Model Result Mid-depth Layer
- Model Result Bottom Layer
- Surface Data
- Mid-depth/Bottom Data

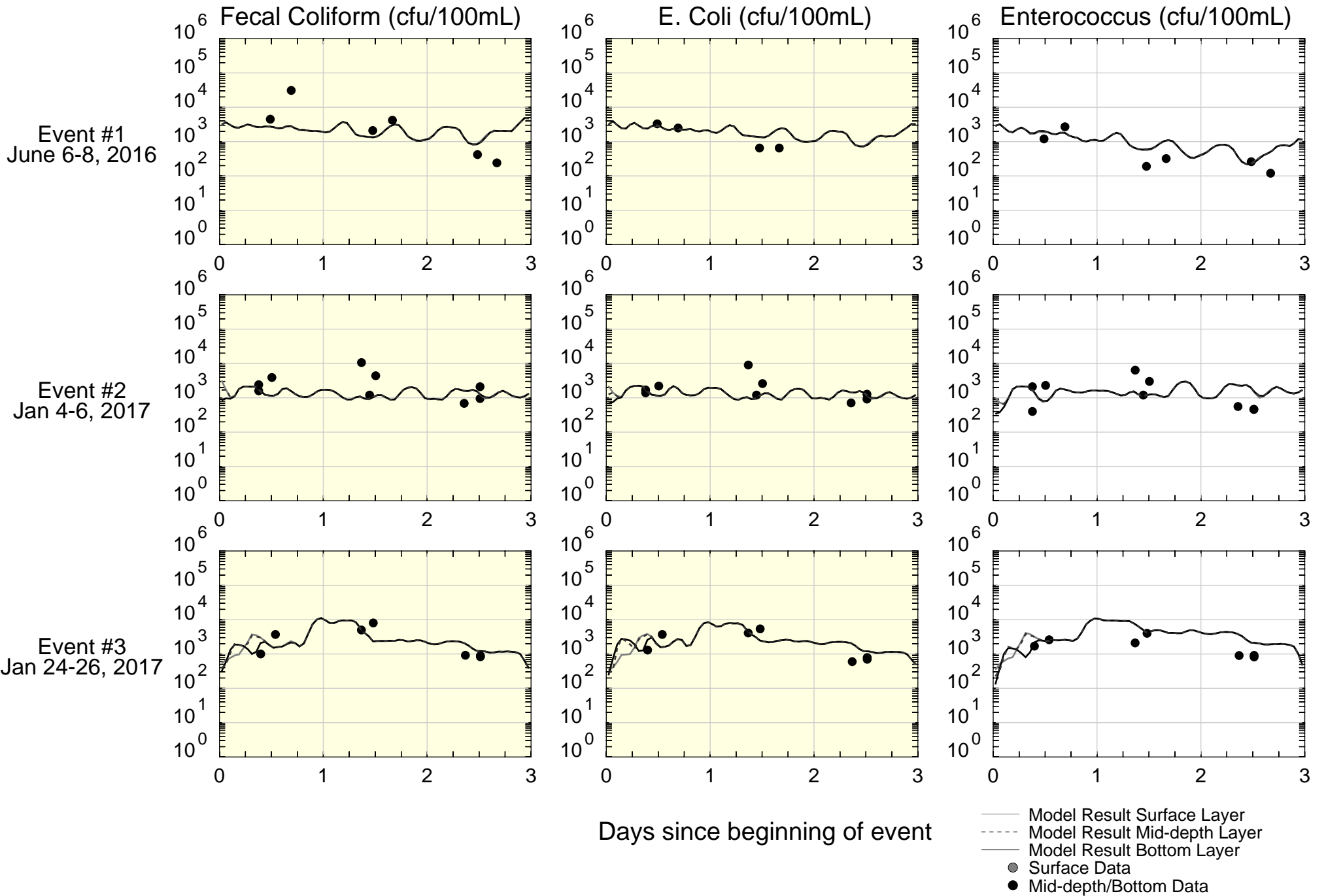
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# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

## FW2/SE2

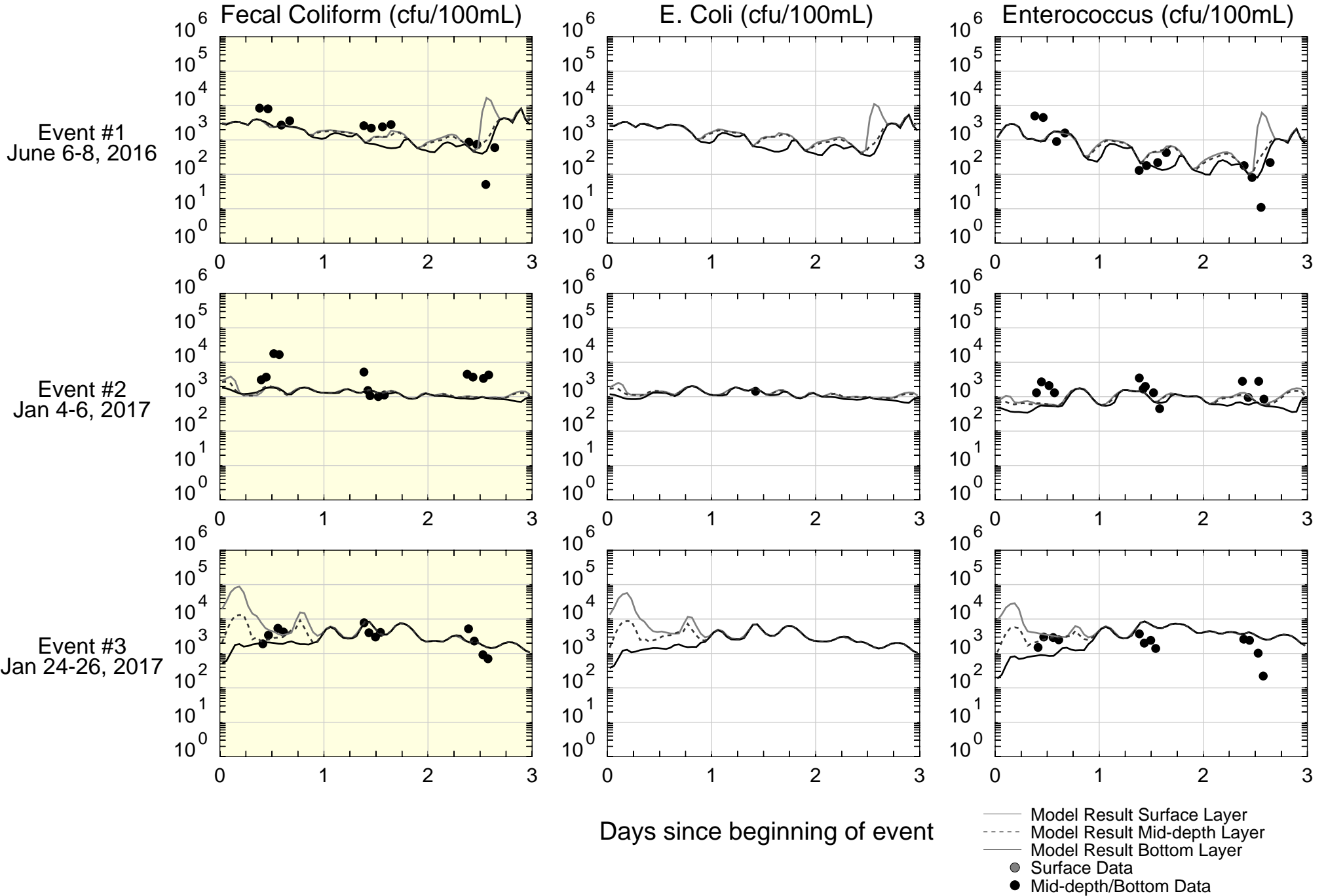
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# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

SE3

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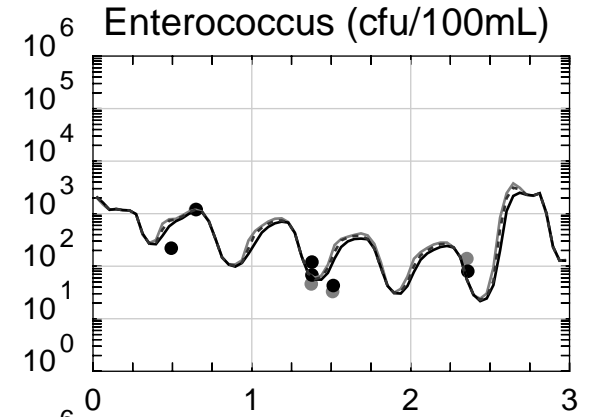
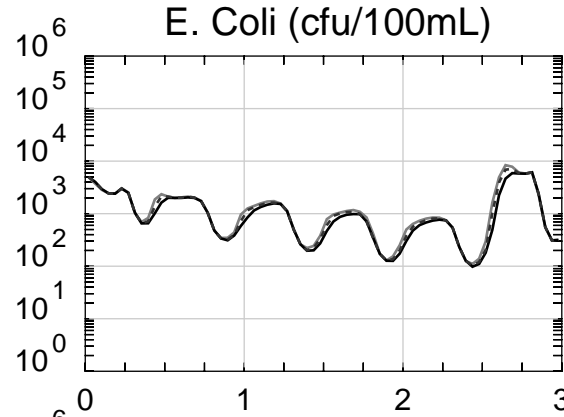
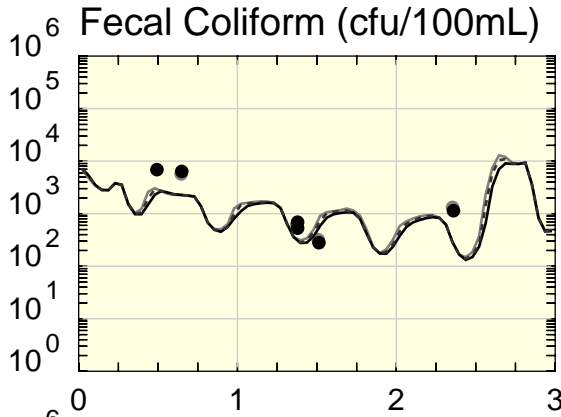


# Passaic River & Tributaries Passaic River

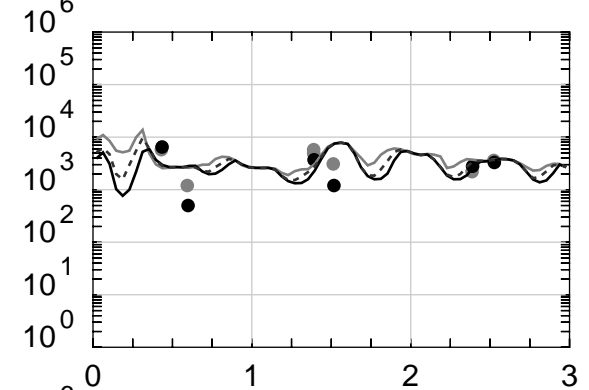
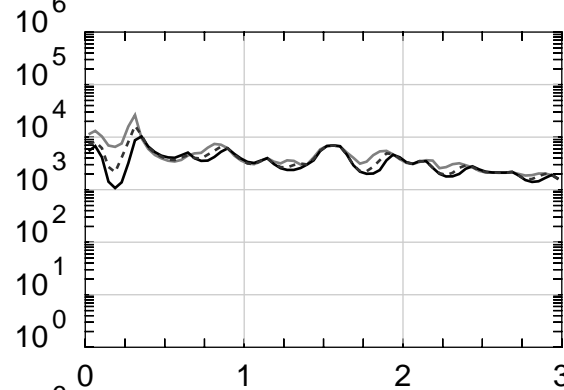
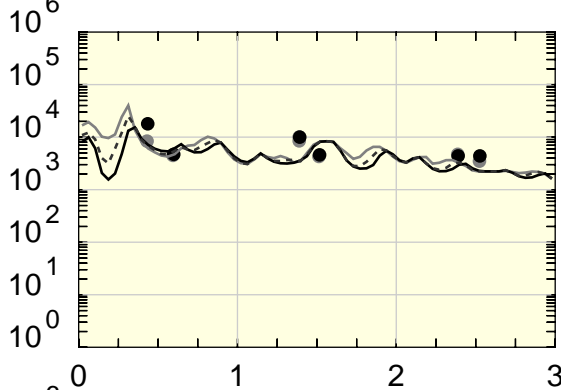
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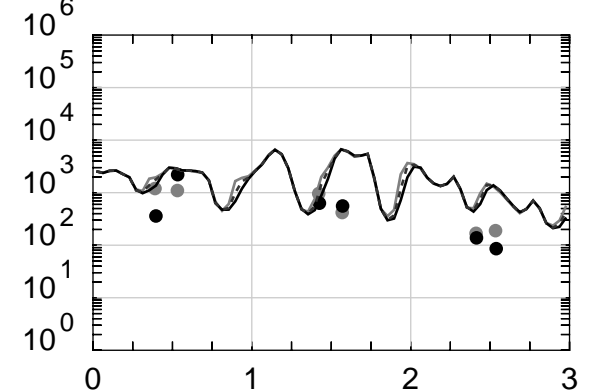
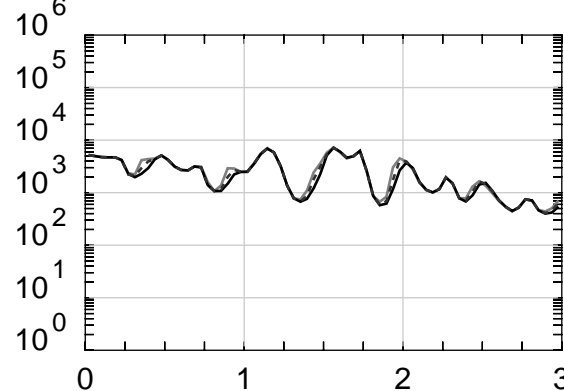
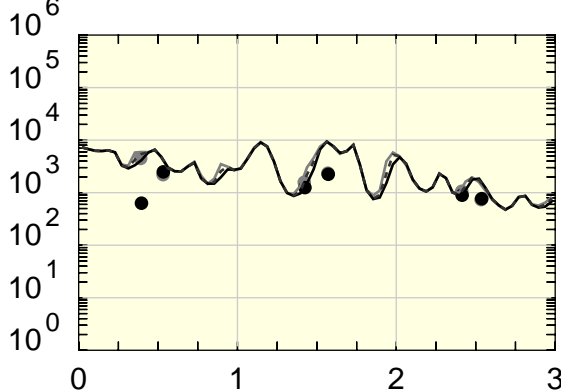
Event #1  
June 6-8, 2016



Event #3  
Jan 24-26, 2017



Event #4  
April 26-28, 2017



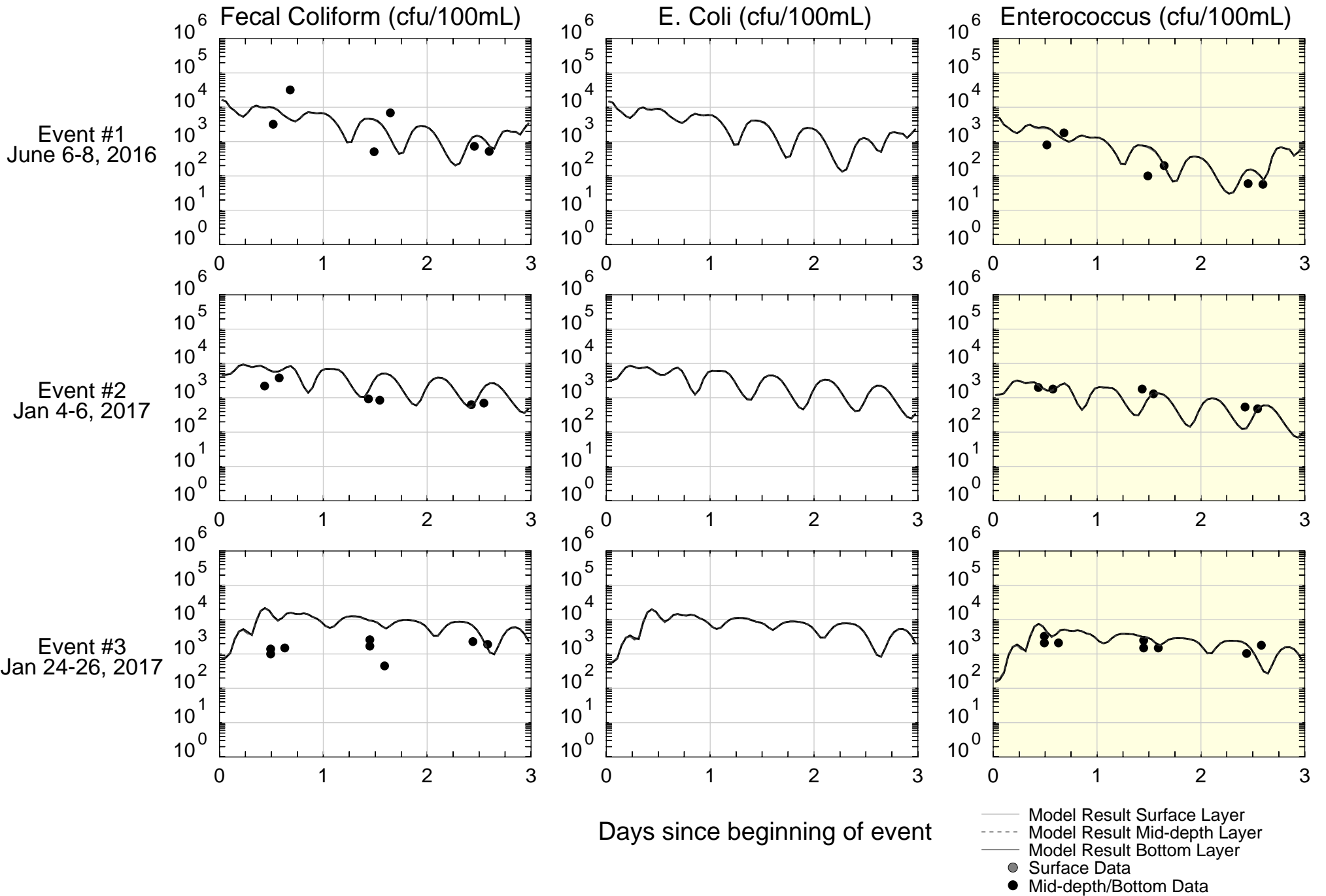
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- Surface Data
- Mid-depth/Bottom Data

# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

SE1

## Station: B1



Days since beginning of event

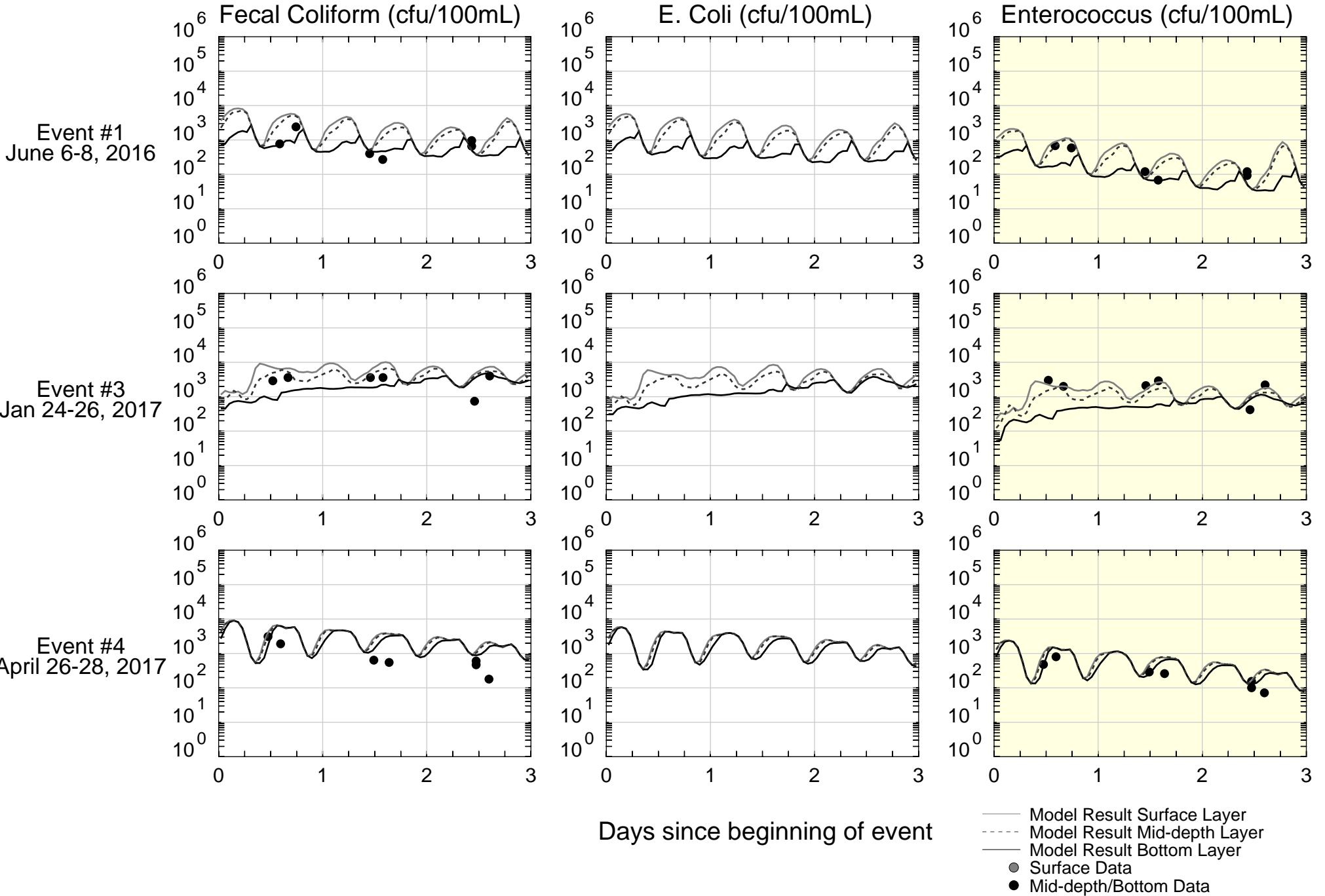
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- Surface Data
- Mid-depth/Bottom Data



# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

SE1

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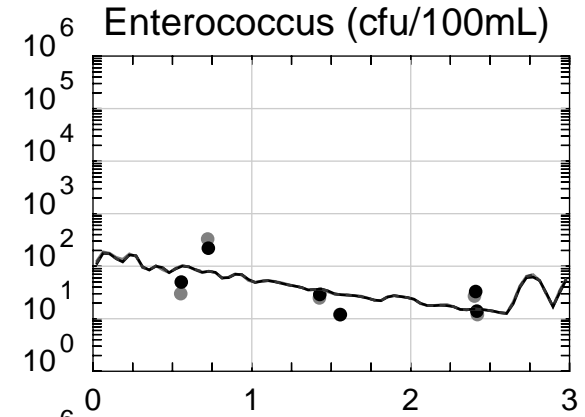
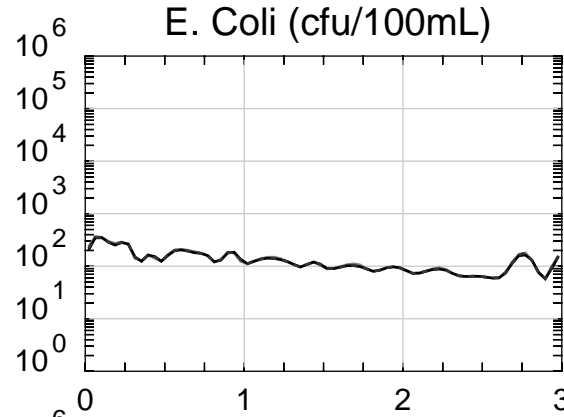
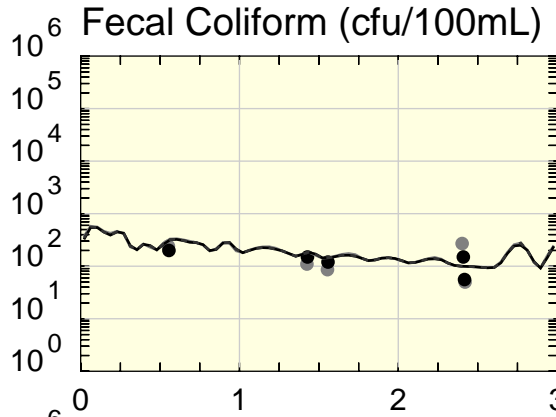


# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

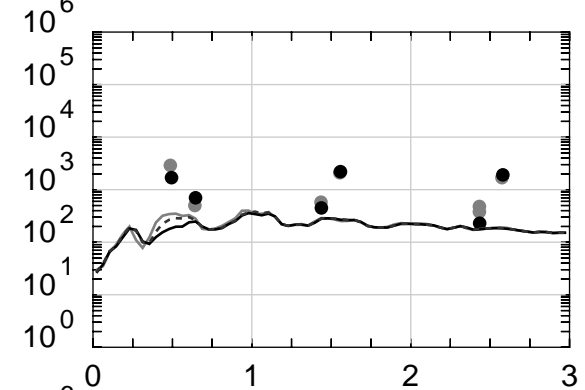
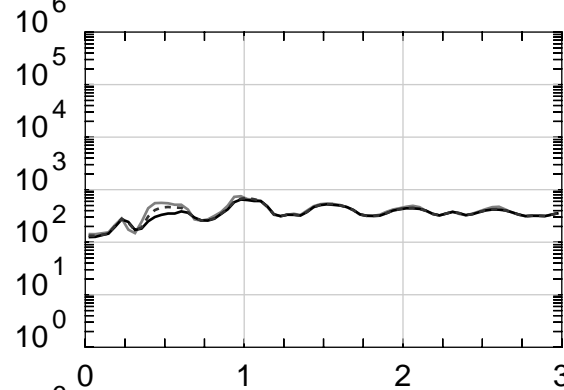
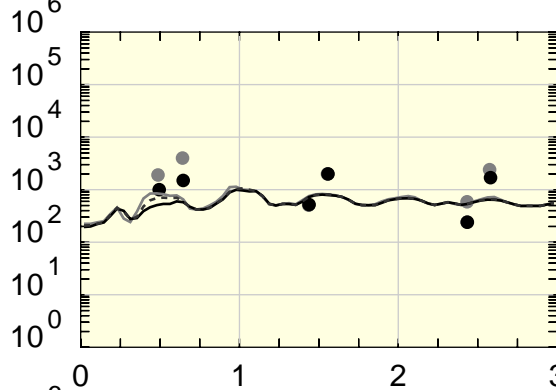
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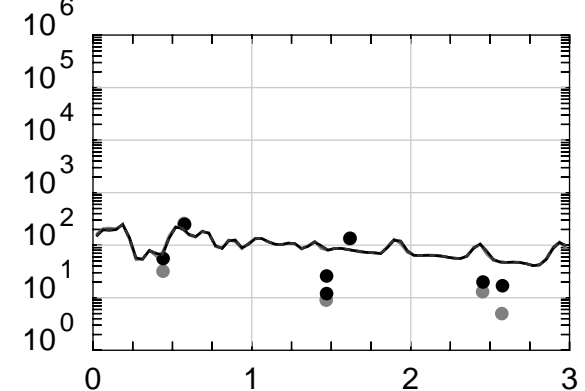
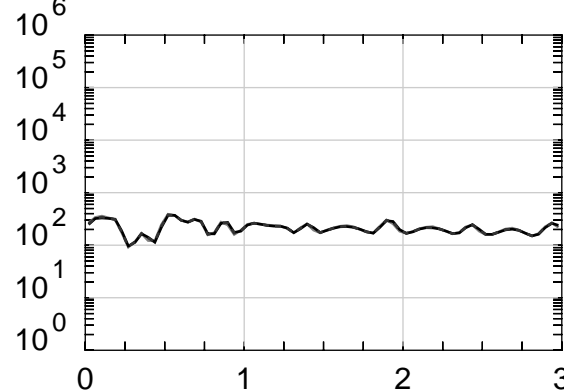
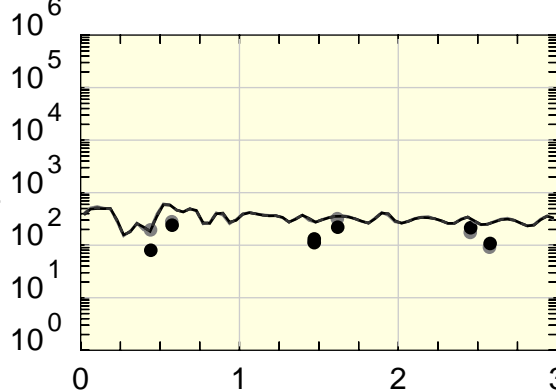
Event #1  
June 6-8, 2016



Event #3  
Jan 24-26, 2017



Event #4  
April 26-28, 2017



Days since beginning of event

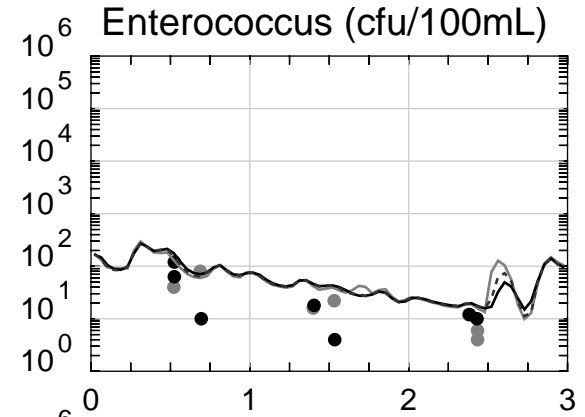
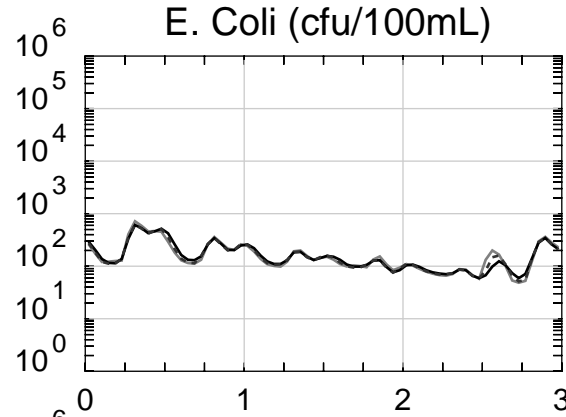
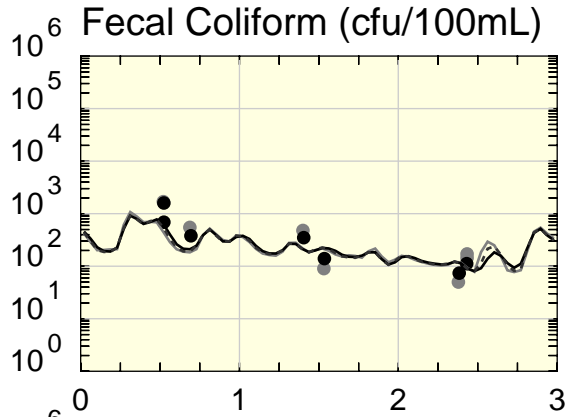
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# Hackensack River & Tributaries Hackensack River

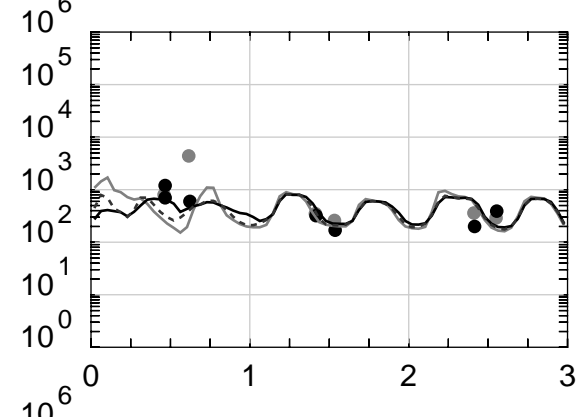
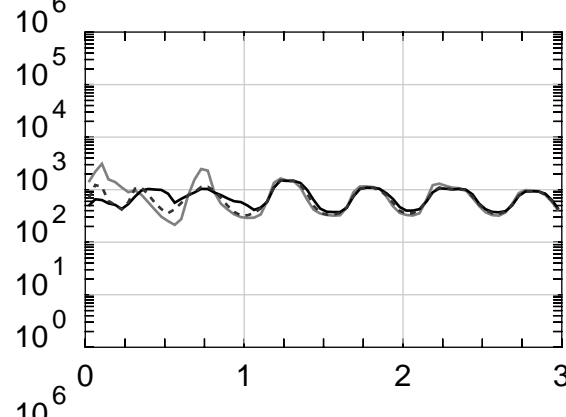
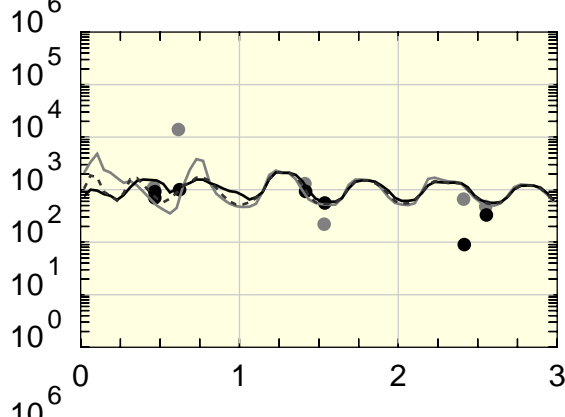
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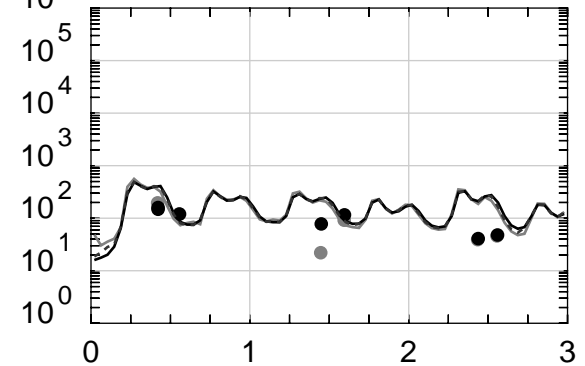
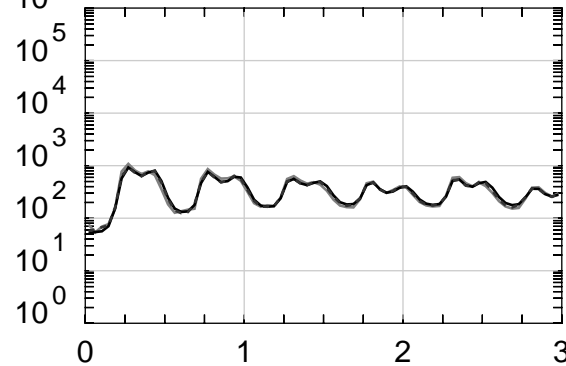
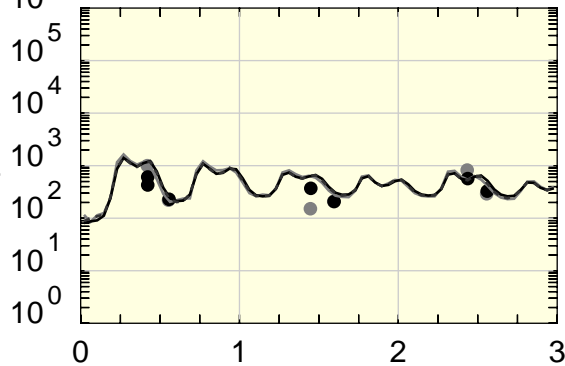
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Event #3  
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Event #4  
April 26-28, 2017



Days since beginning of event

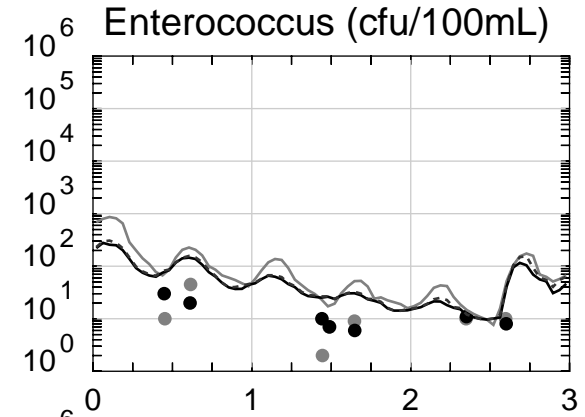
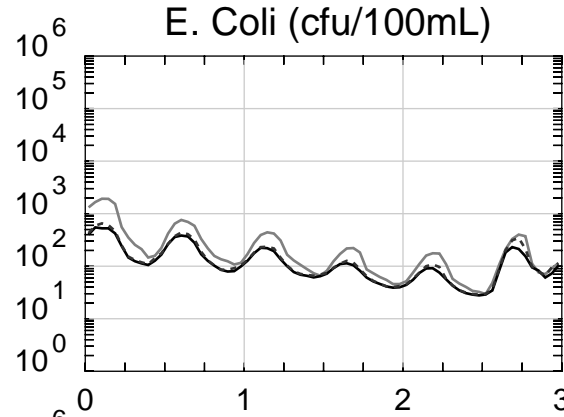
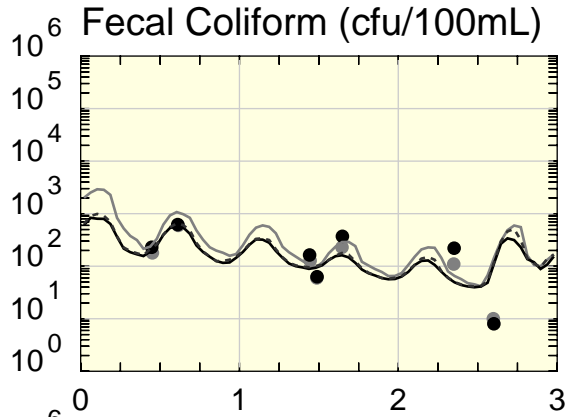
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# Newark Bay & Tributaries Newark Bay

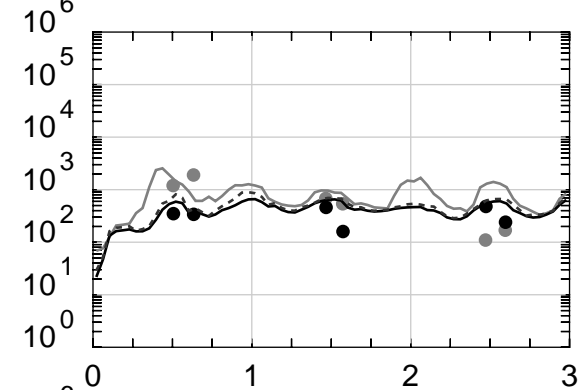
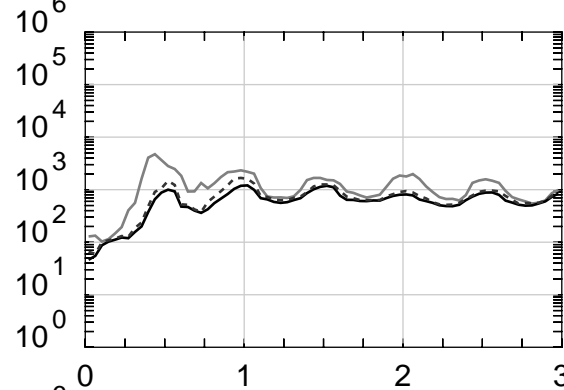
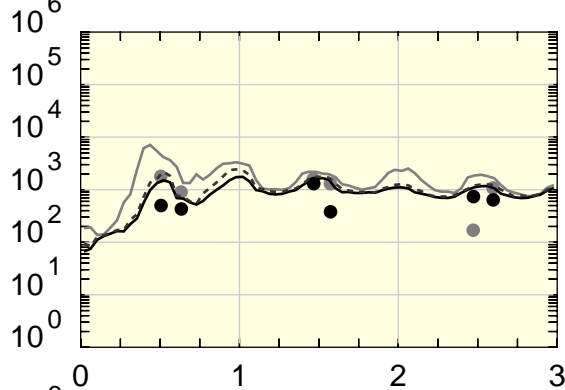
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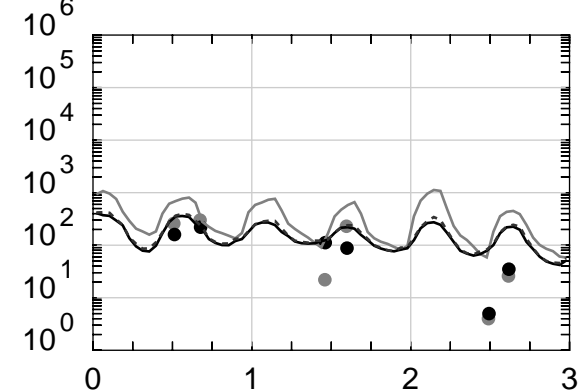
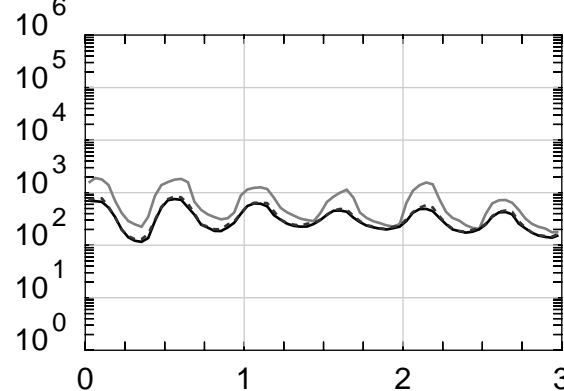
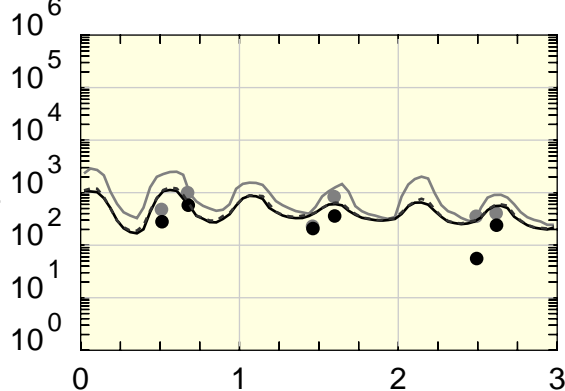
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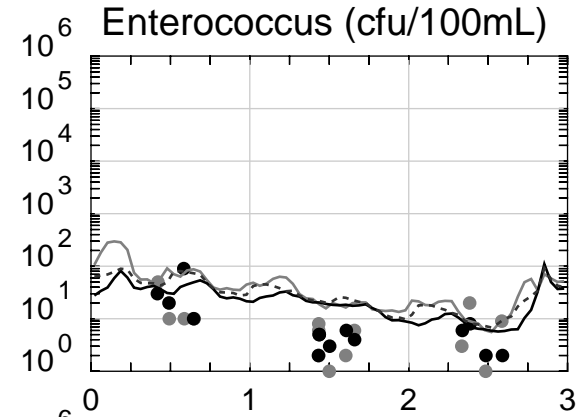
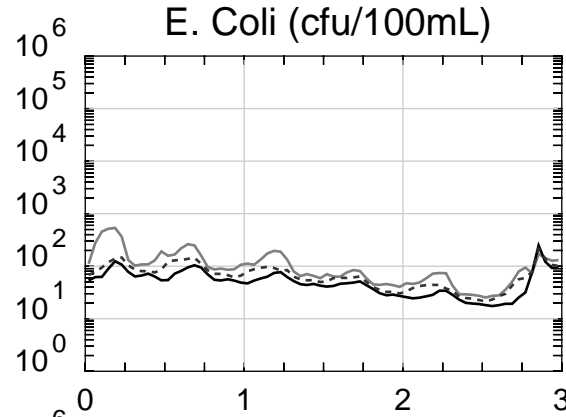
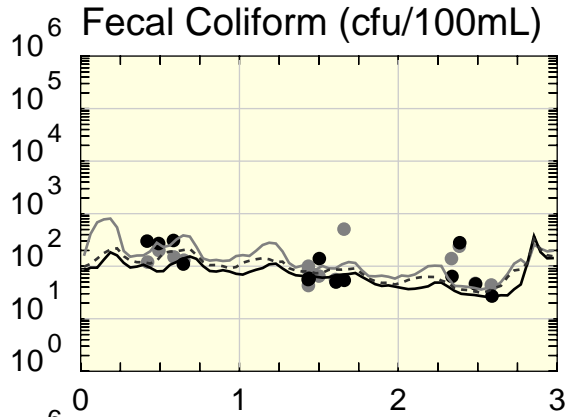
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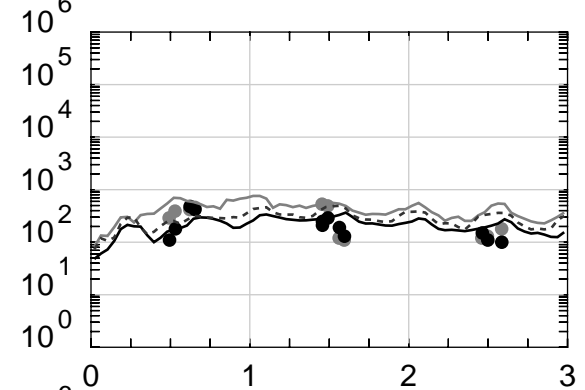
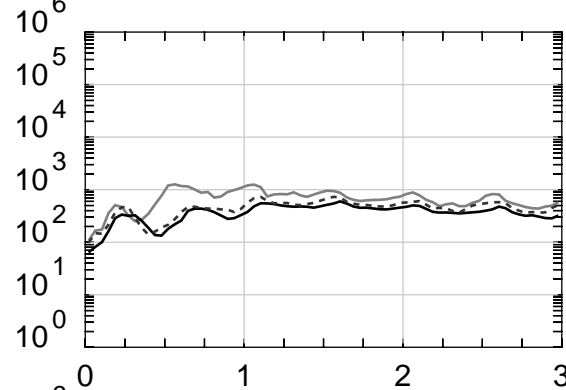
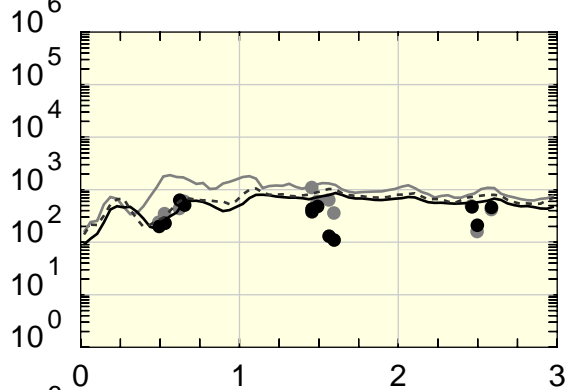
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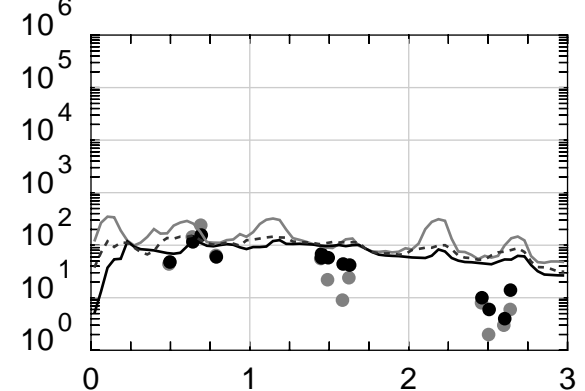
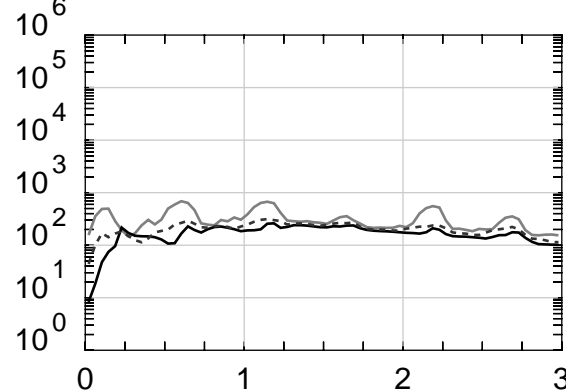
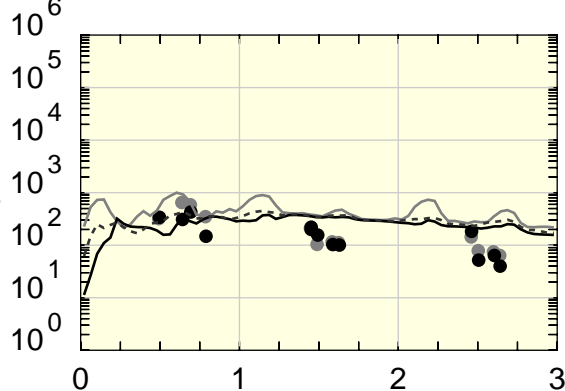
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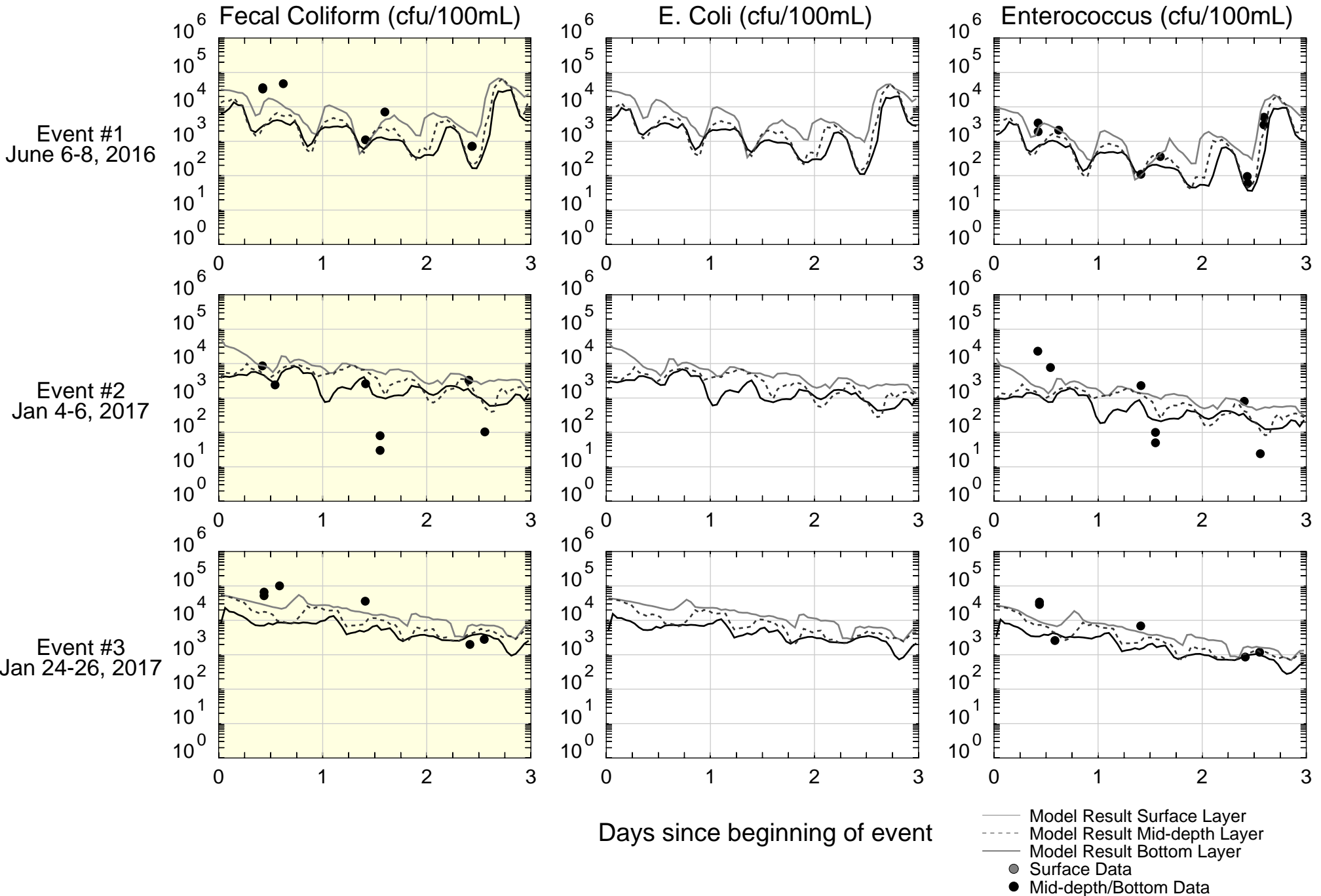
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# Newark Bay & Tributaries Elizabeth River

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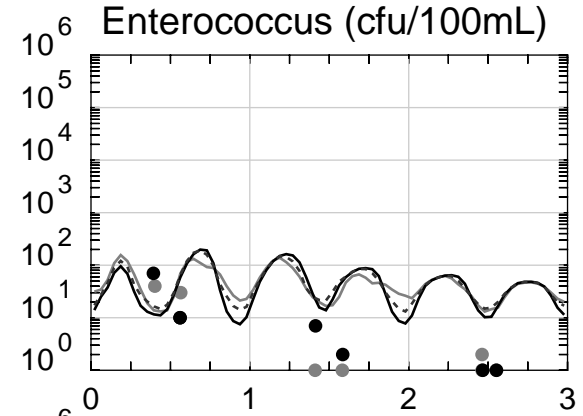
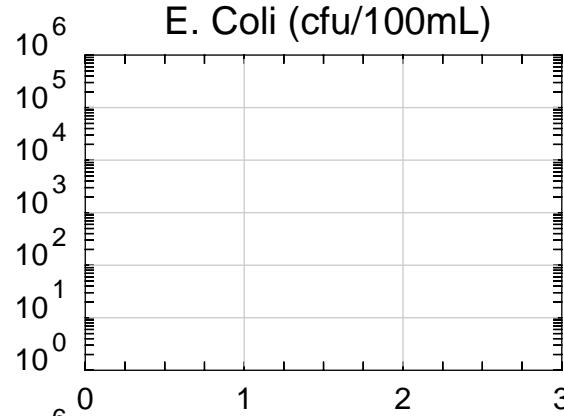
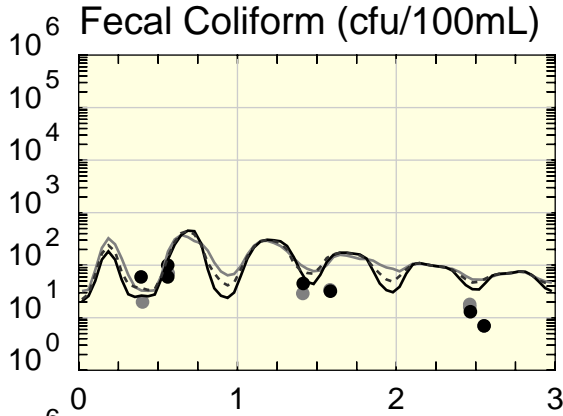


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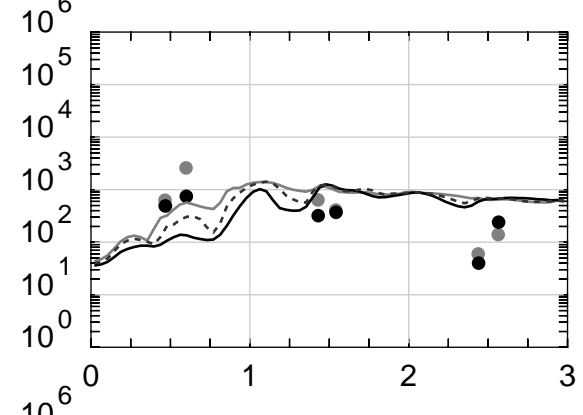
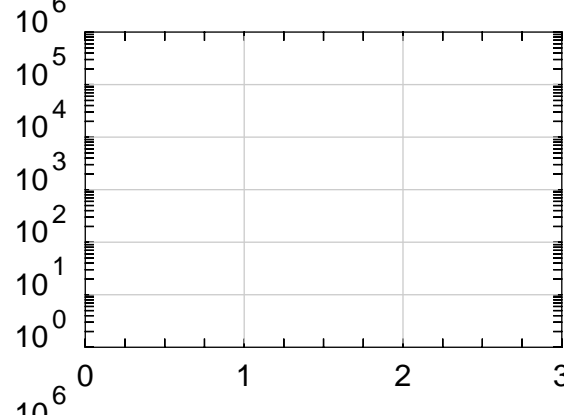
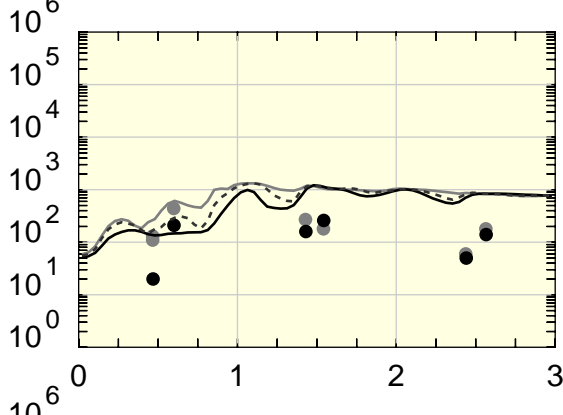
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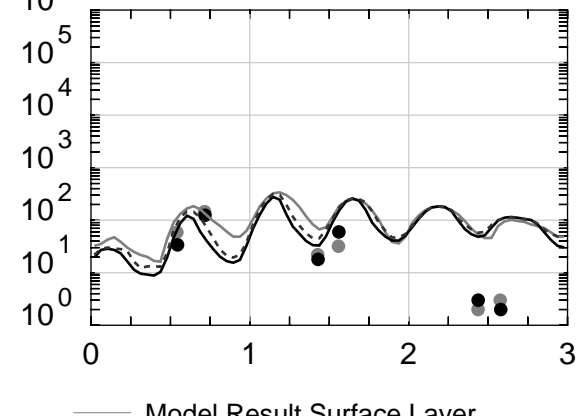
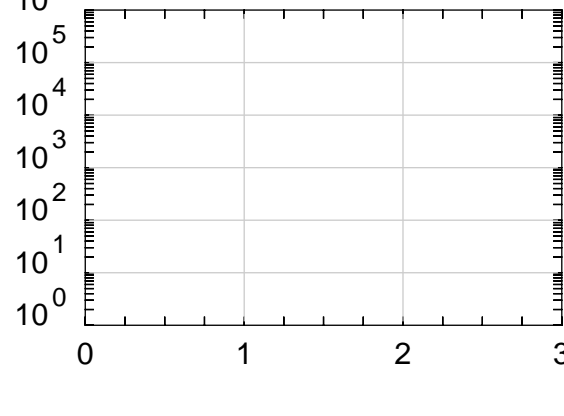
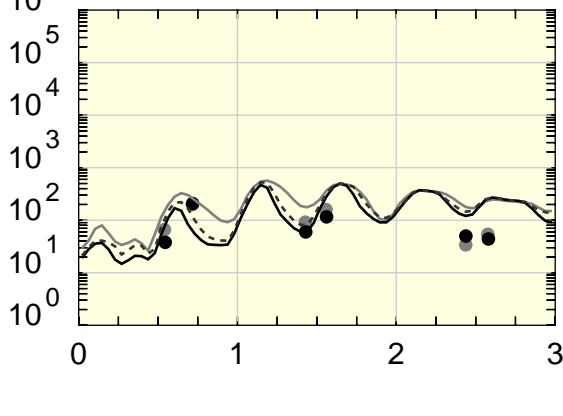
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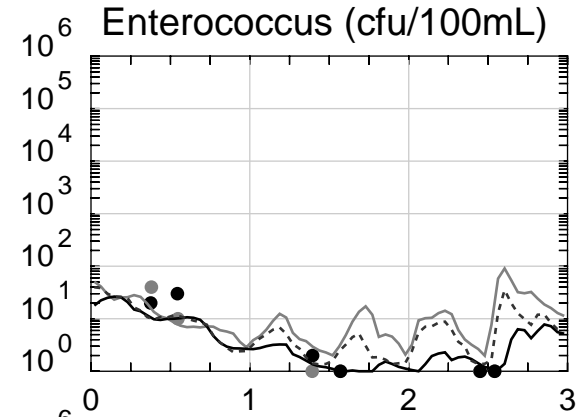
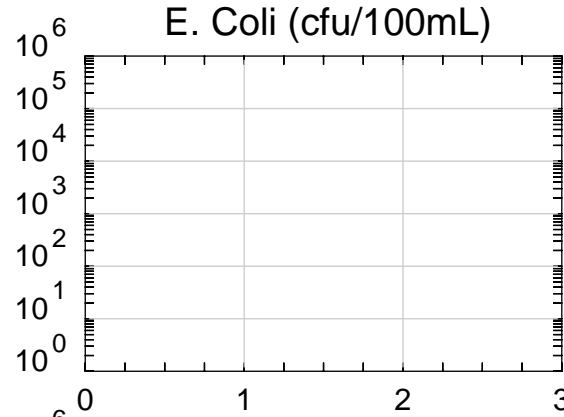
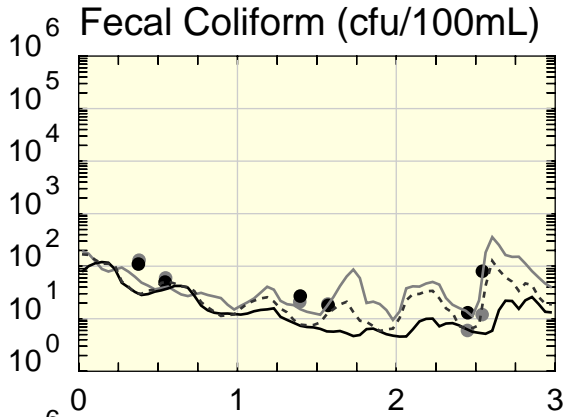
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# Arthur Kill, Raritan River/Bay & Tributaries Arthur Kill

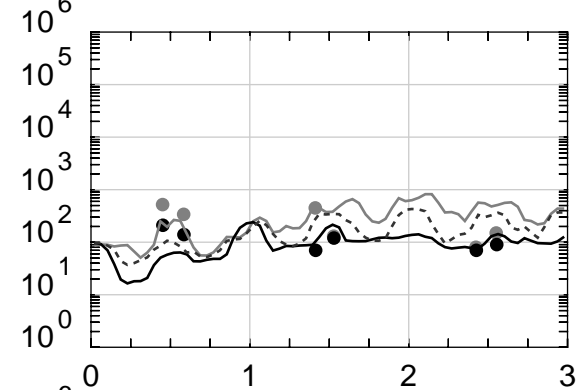
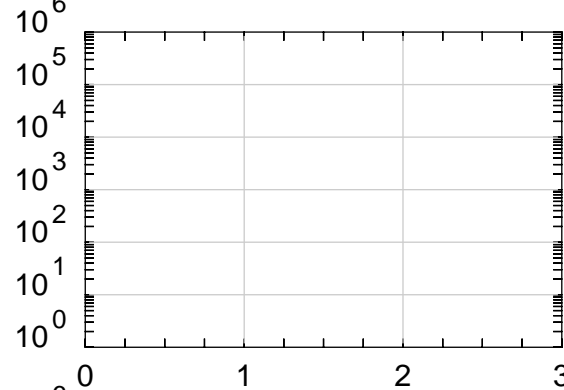
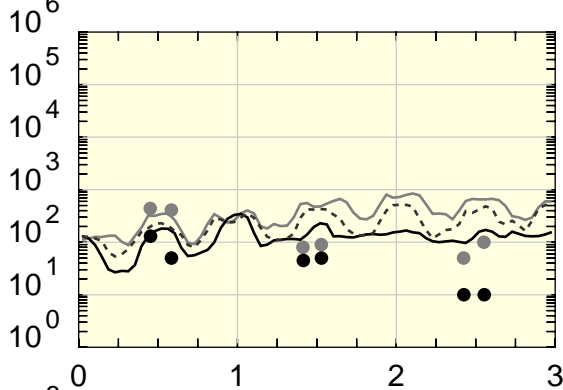
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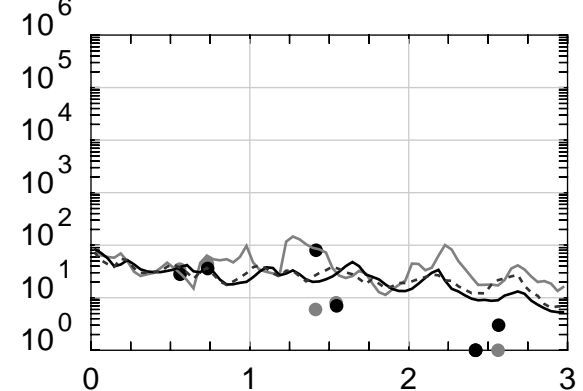
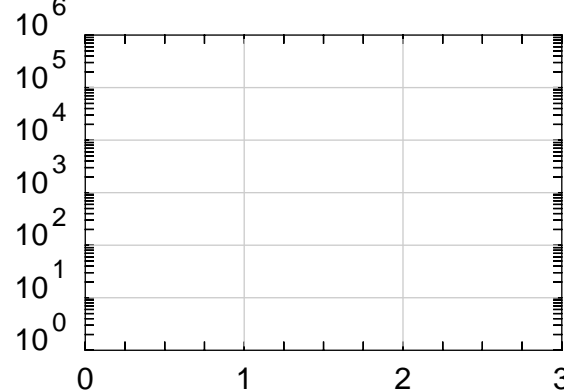
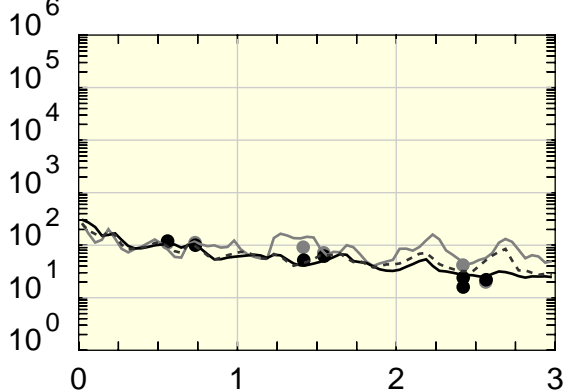
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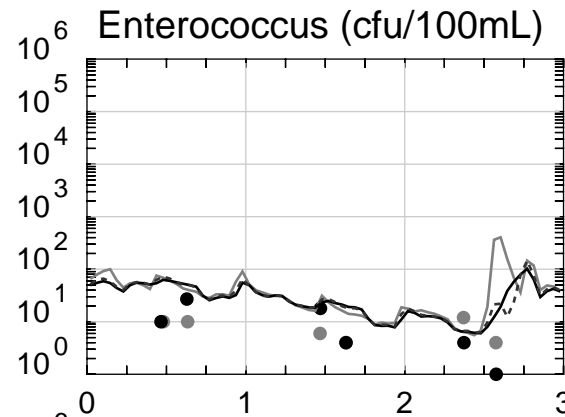
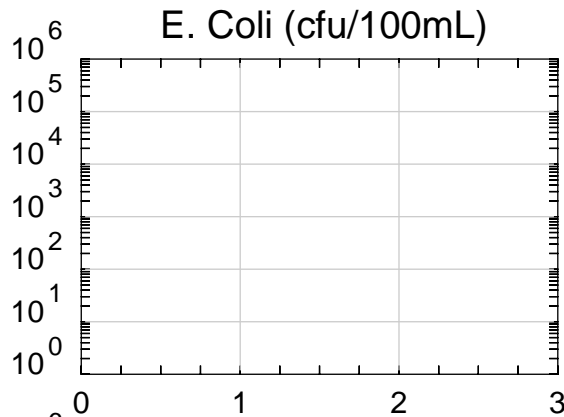
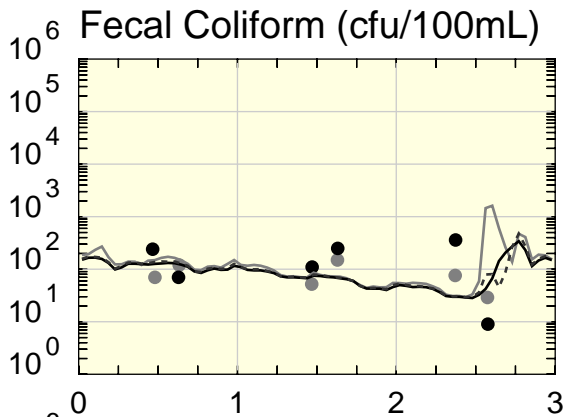


# Hudson River, Upper Bay Kill Van Kull

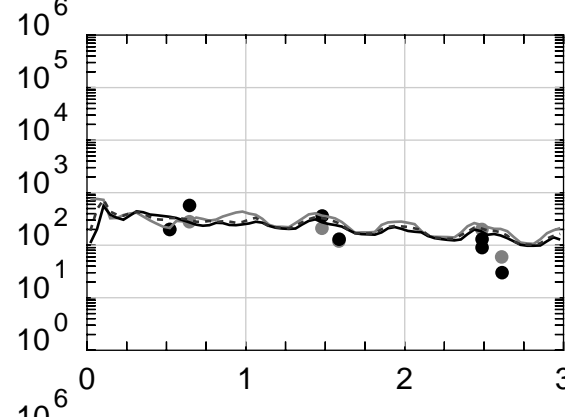
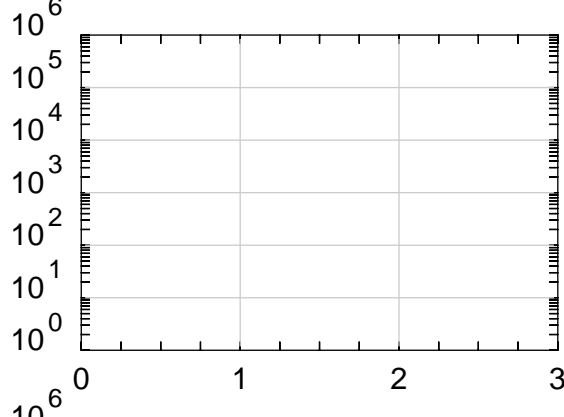
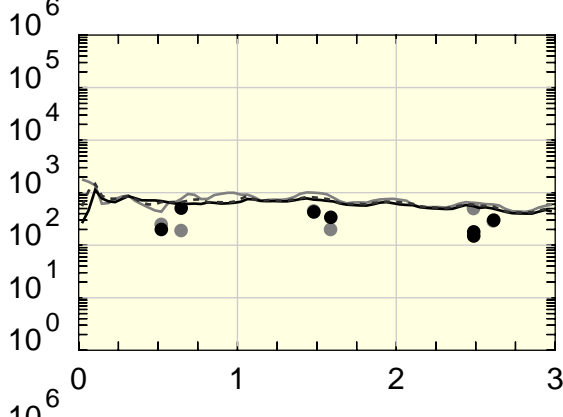
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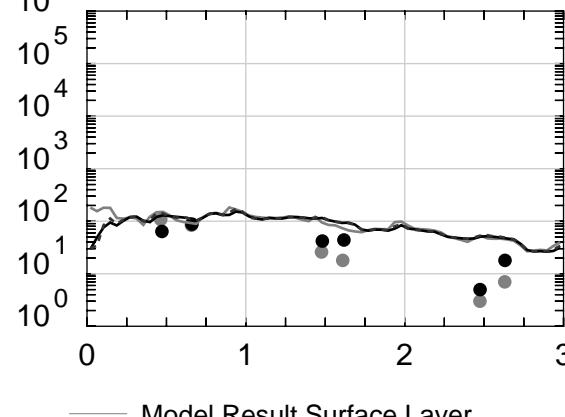
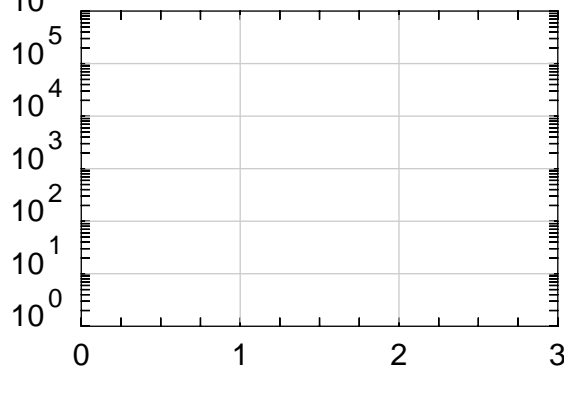
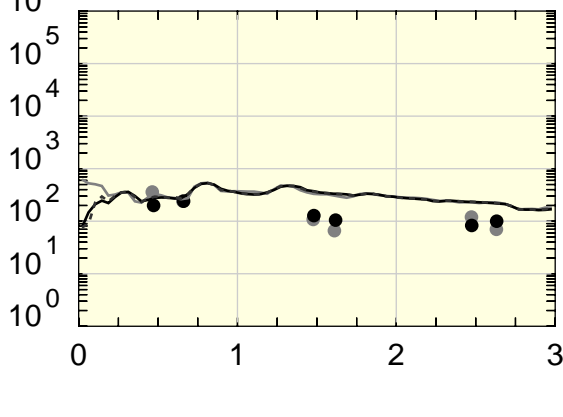
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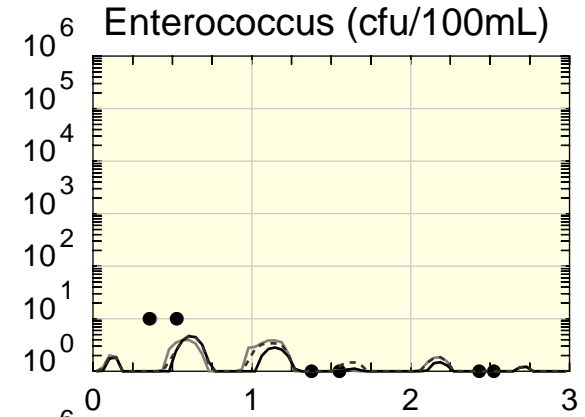
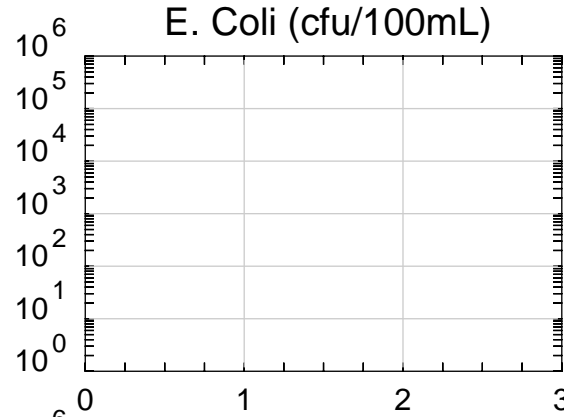
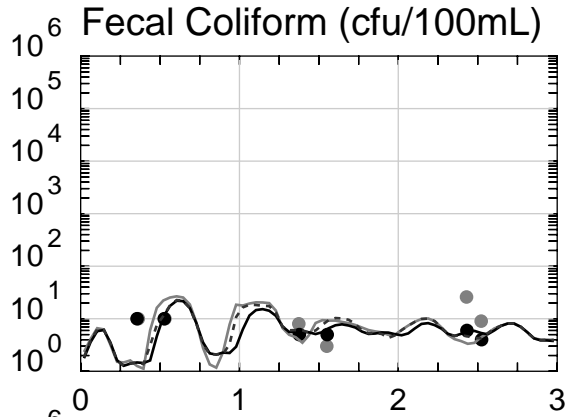
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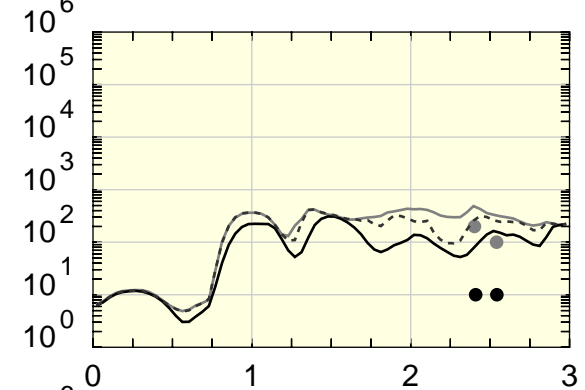
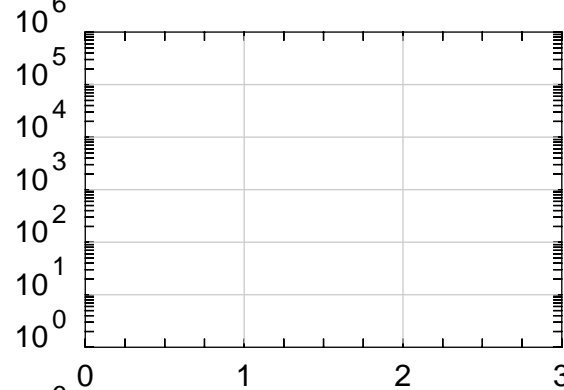
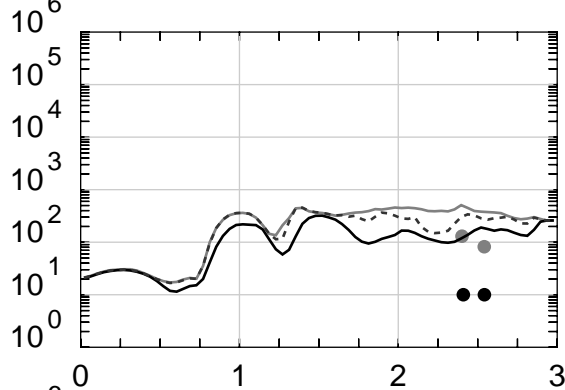
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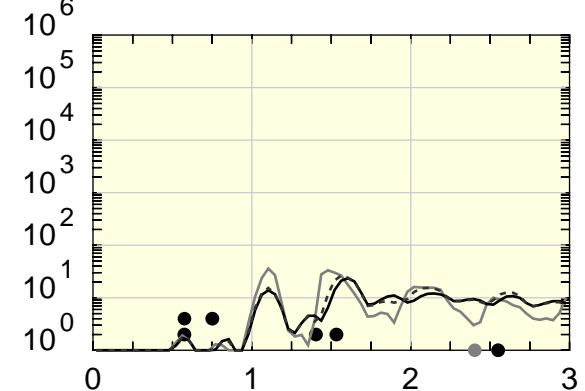
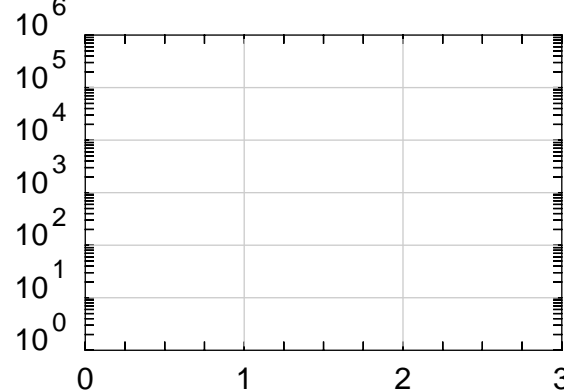
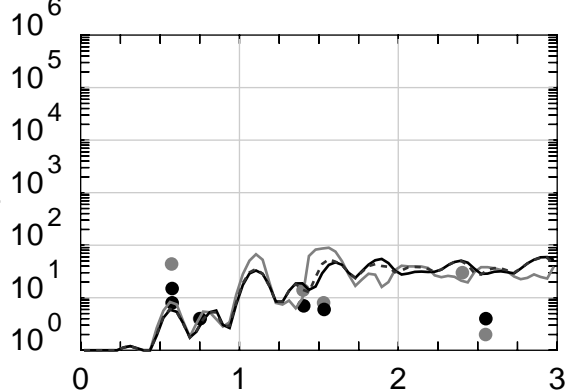
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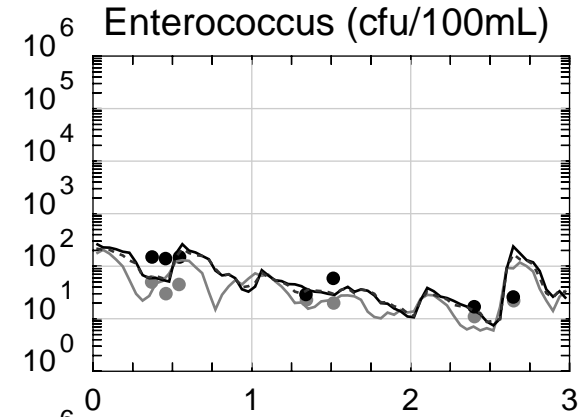
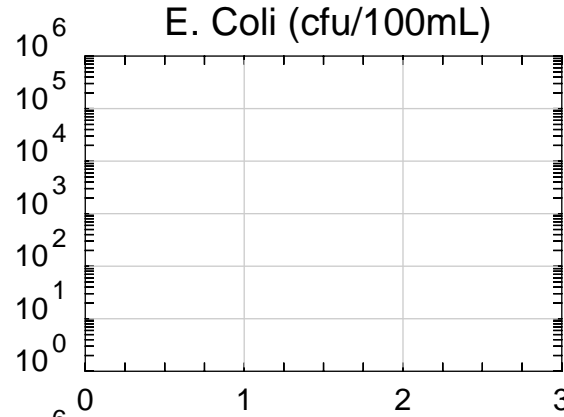
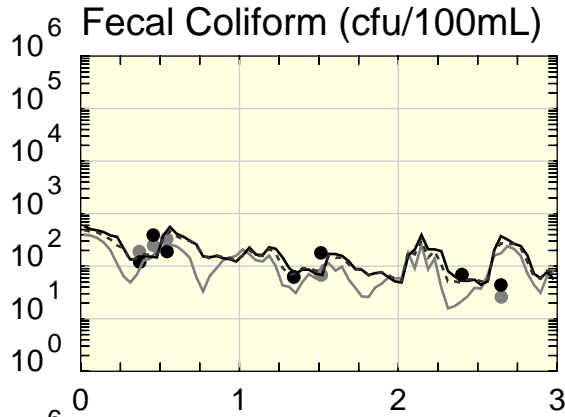
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# Hudson River, Upper Bay Hudson River

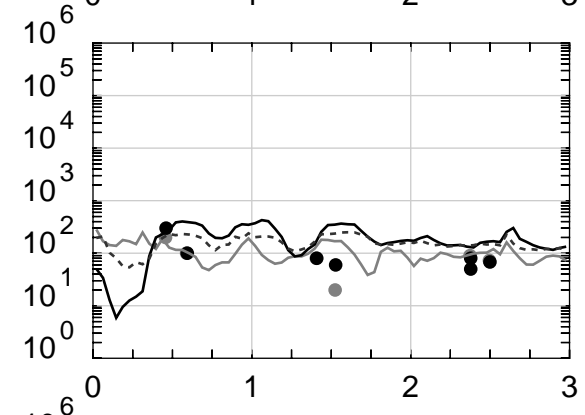
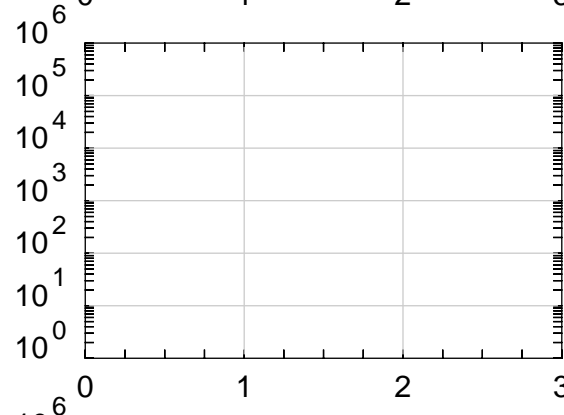
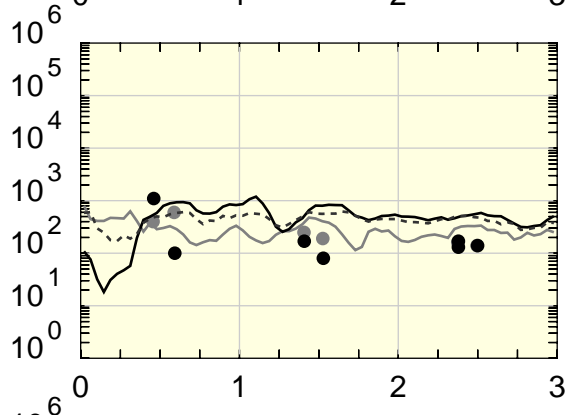
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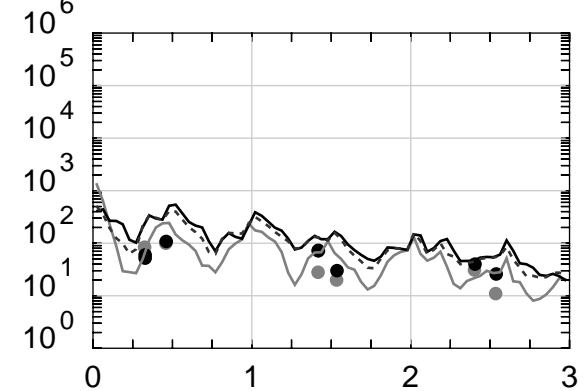
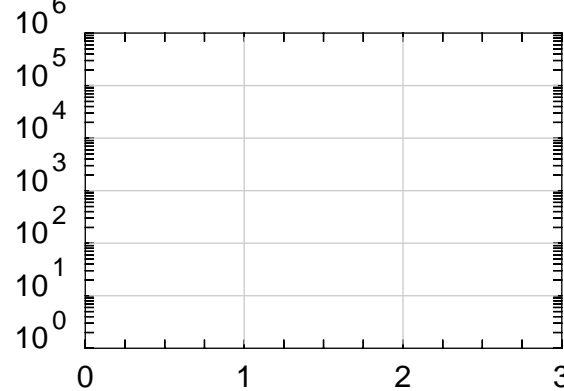
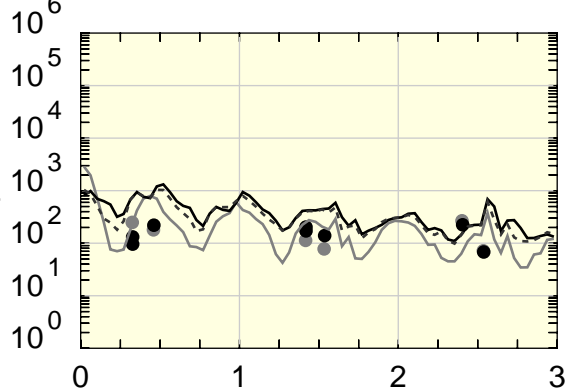
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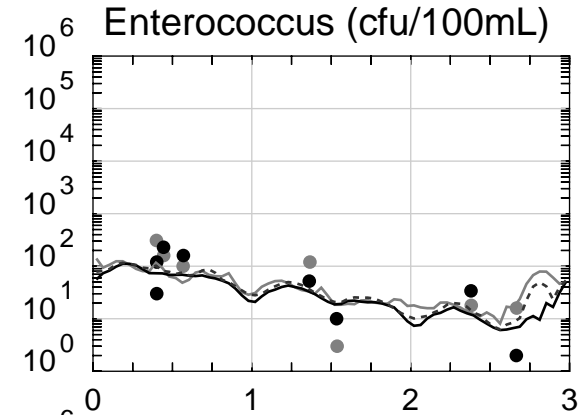
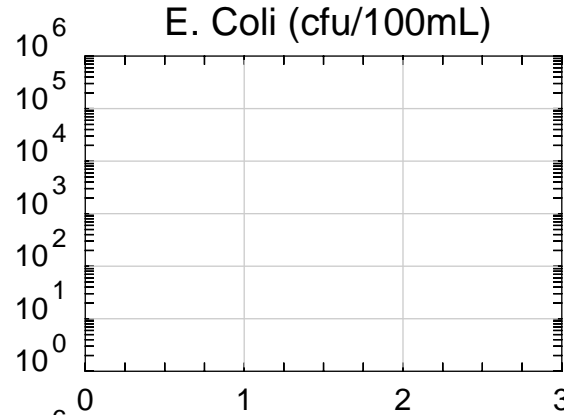
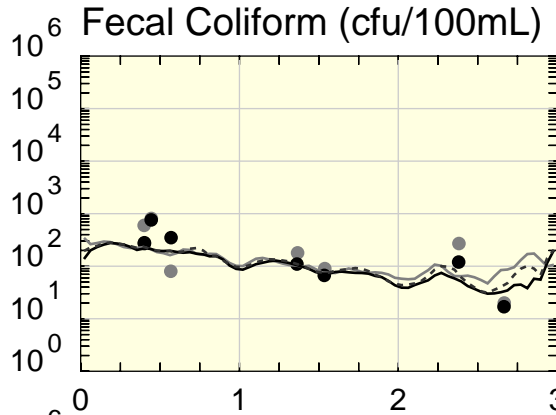
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# Hudson River, Upper Bay Hudson River

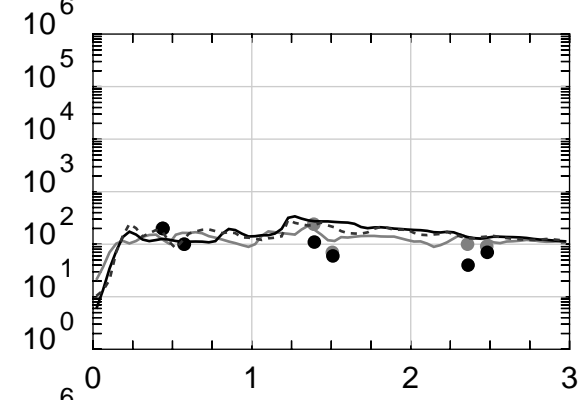
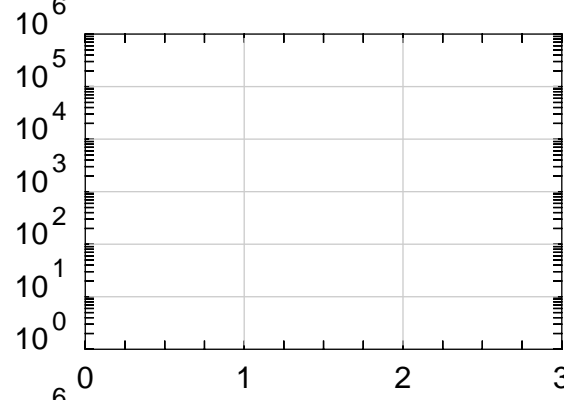
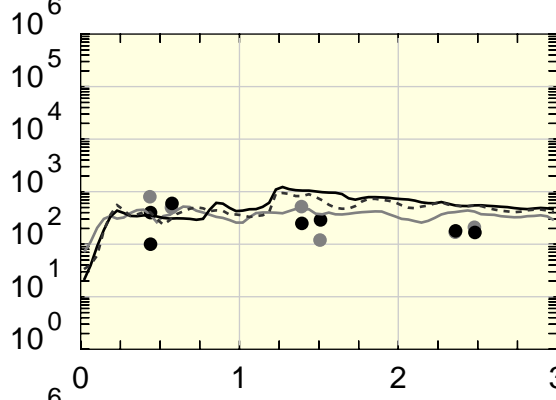
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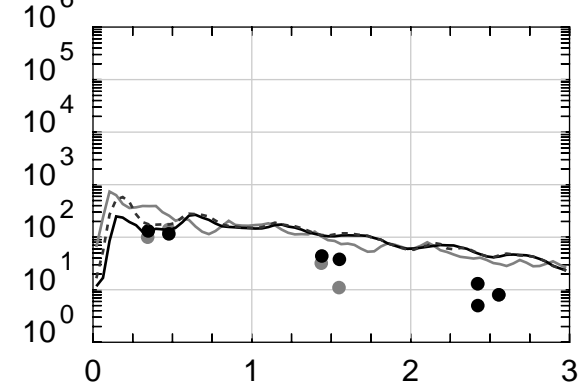
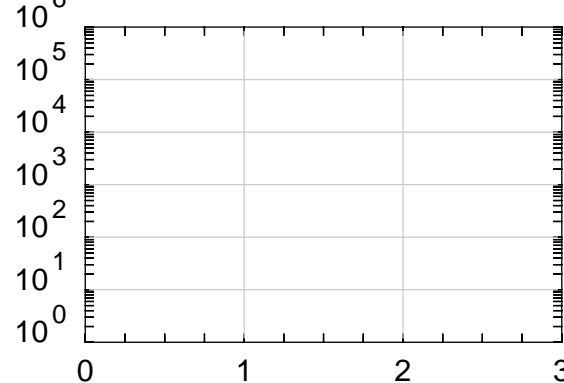
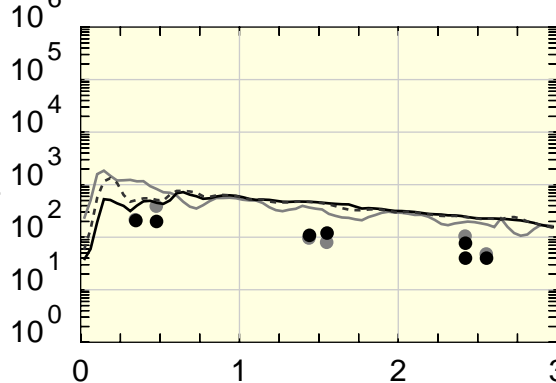
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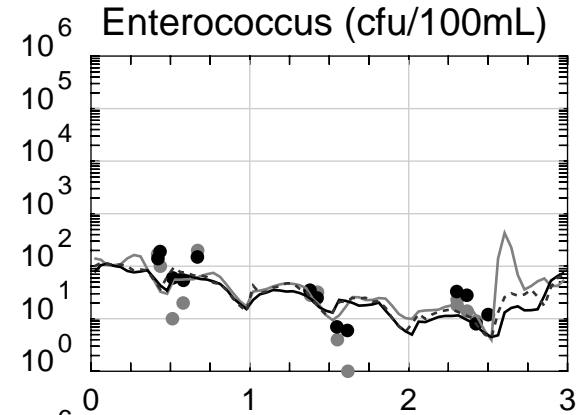
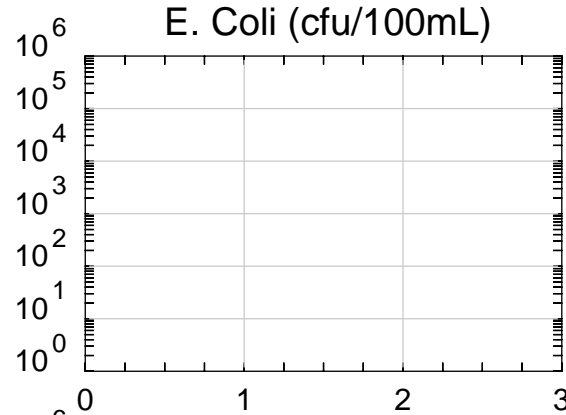
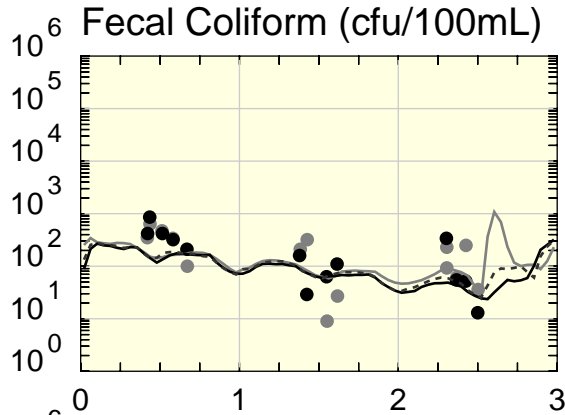
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# Hudson River, Upper Bay Hudson River

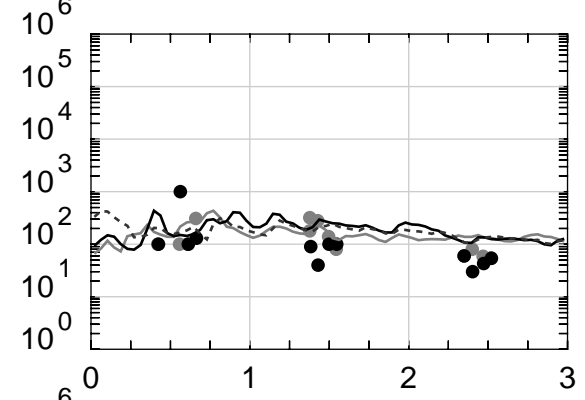
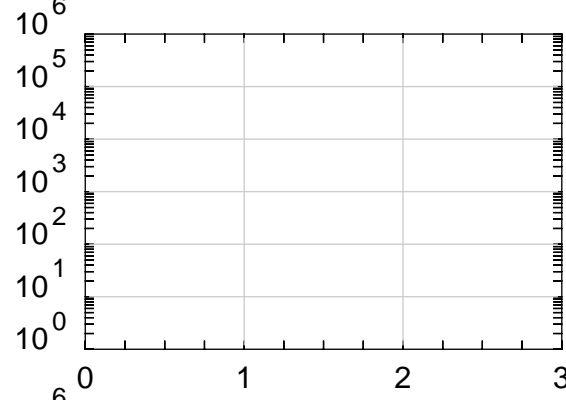
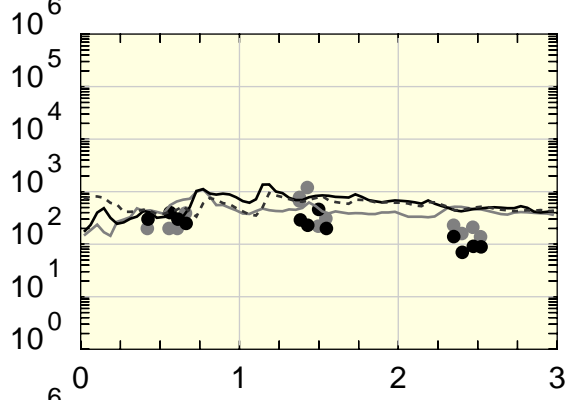
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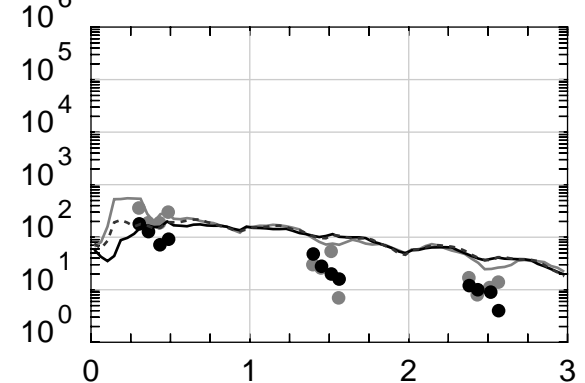
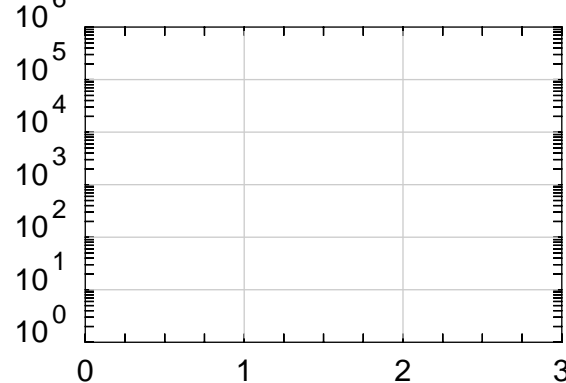
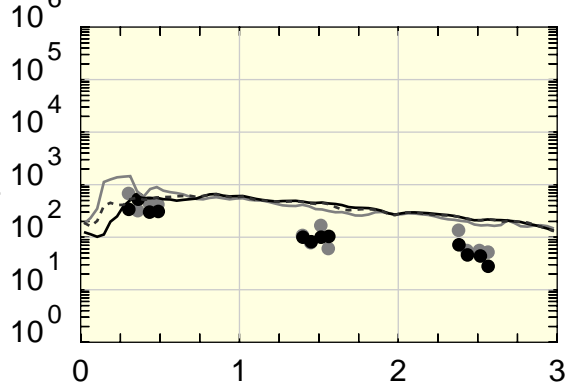
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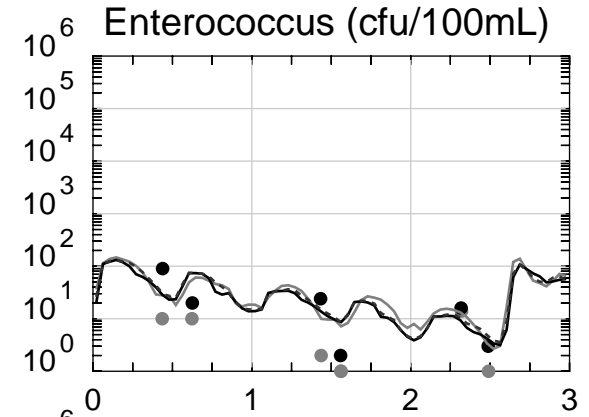
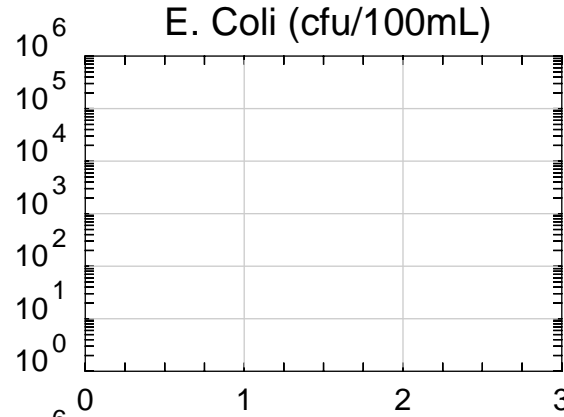
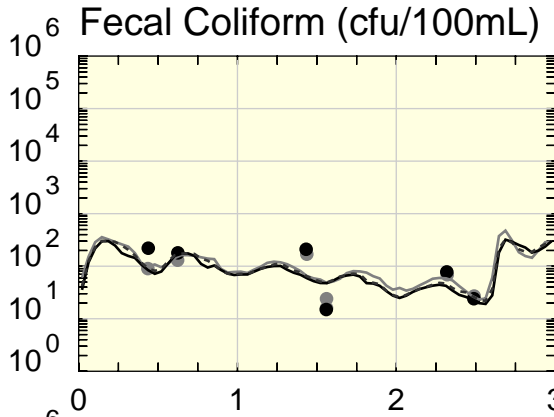
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# Hudson River, Upper Bay Upper Bay

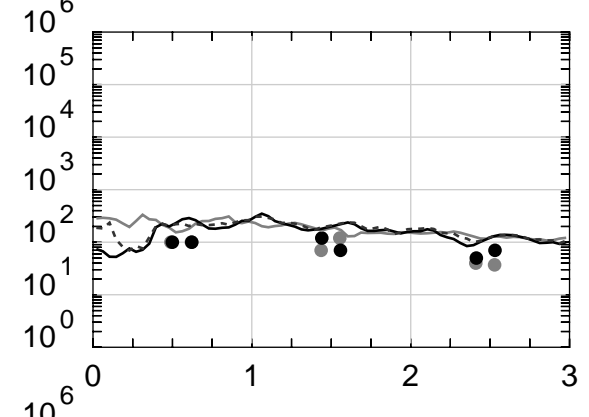
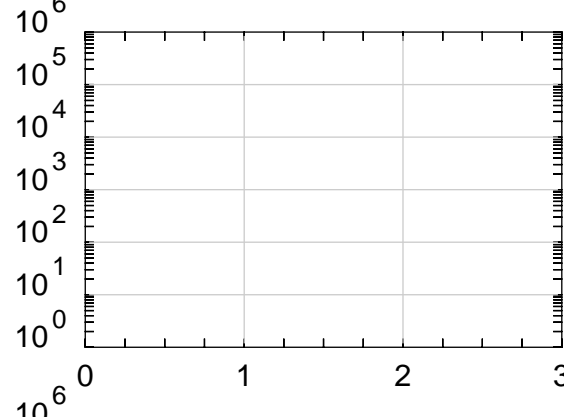
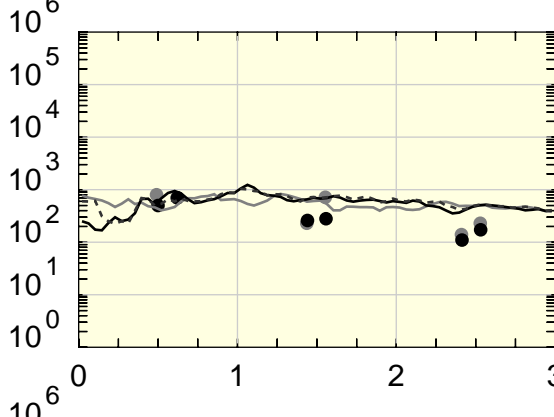
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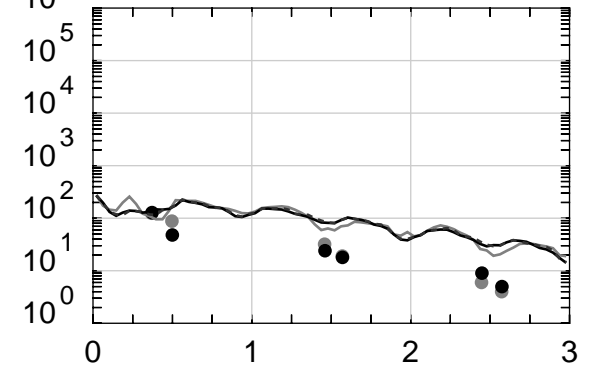
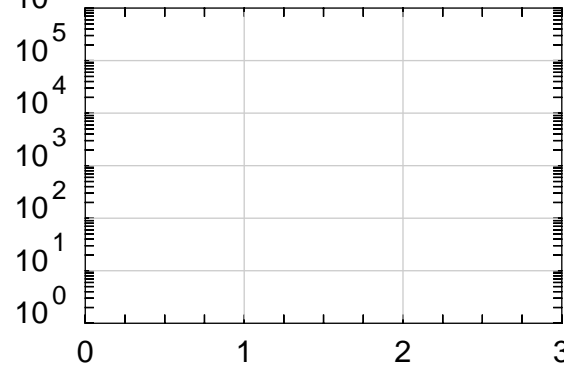
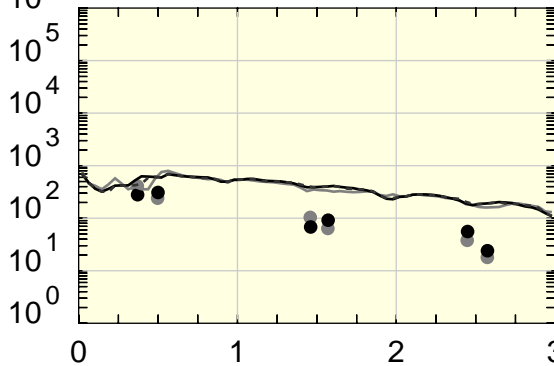
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April 26-28, 2017



Days since beginning of event

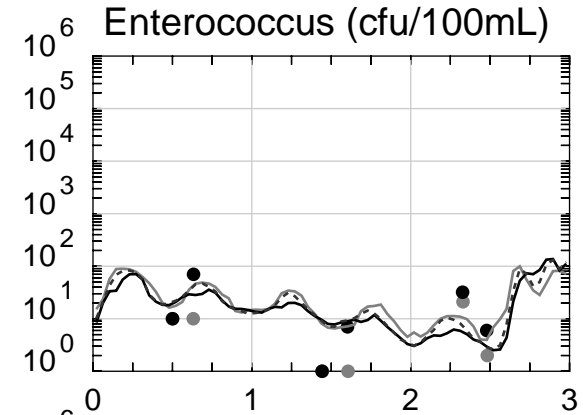
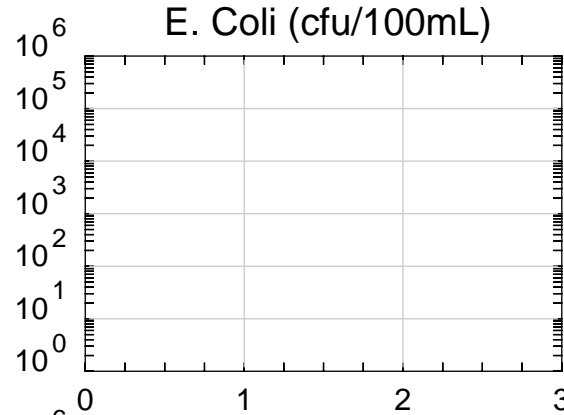
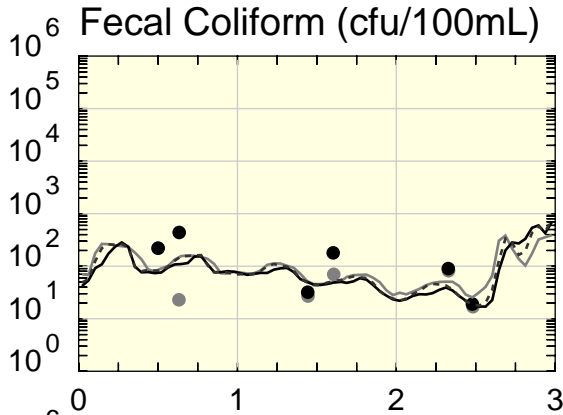
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- Model Result Bottom Layer
- Surface Data
- Mid-depth/Bottom Data

# Hudson River, Upper Bay Upper Bay

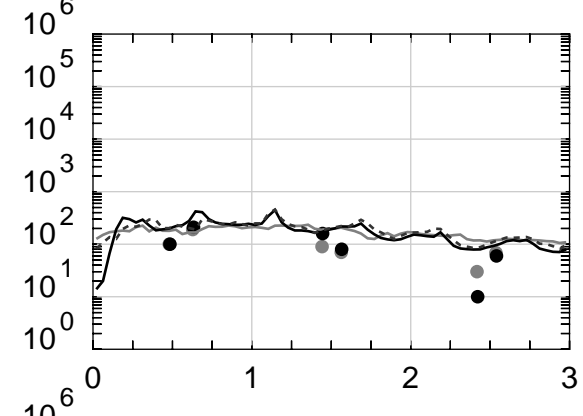
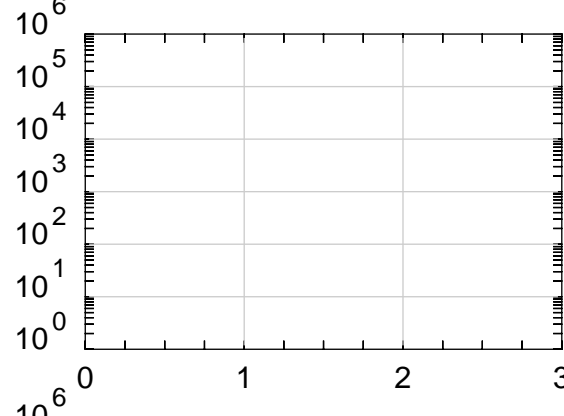
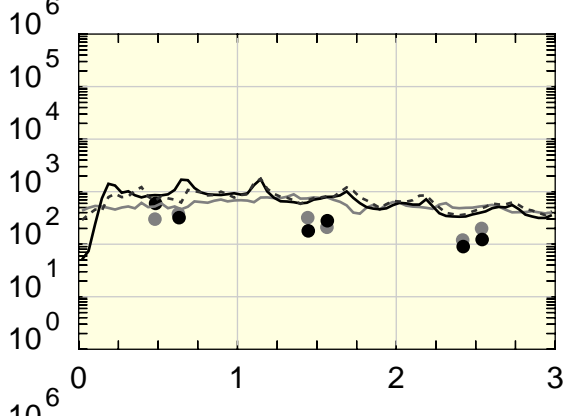
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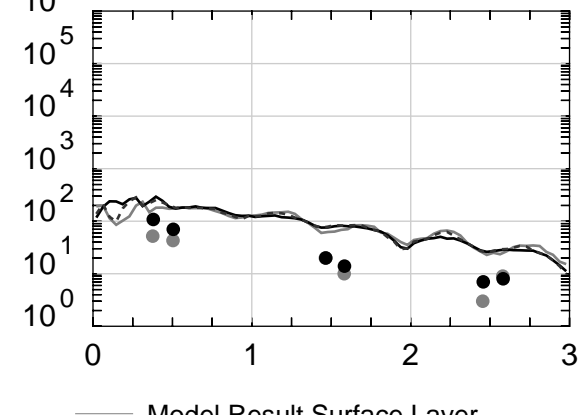
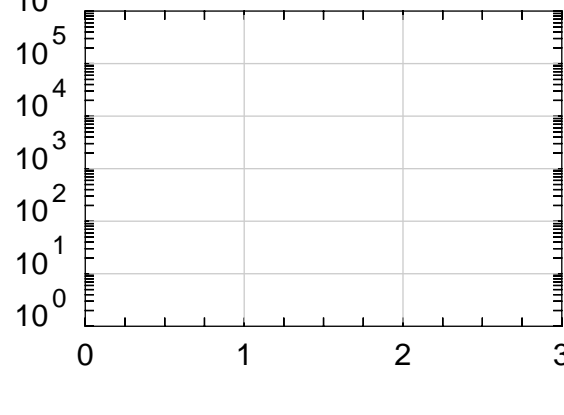
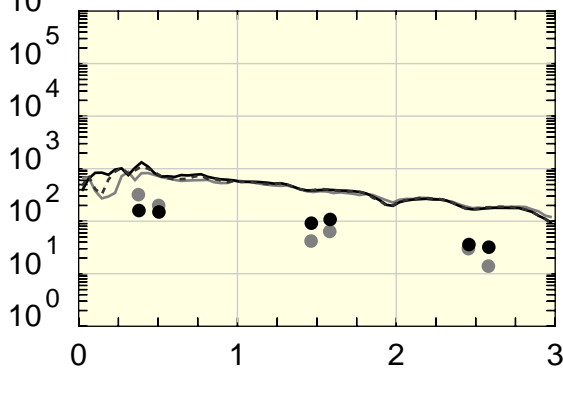
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June 6-8, 2016



Event #3  
Jan 24-26, 2017



Event #4  
April 26-28, 2017



Days since beginning of event

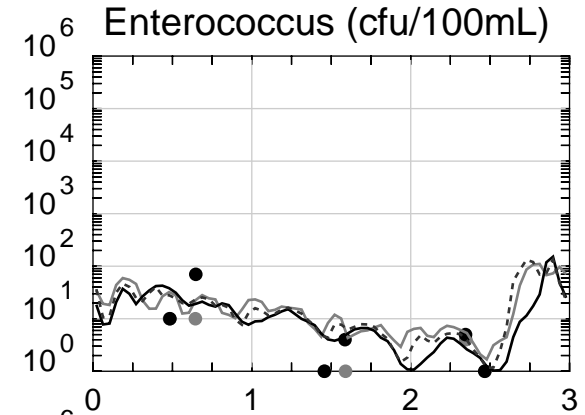
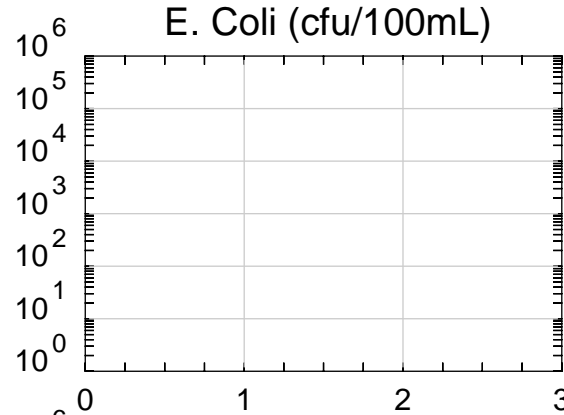
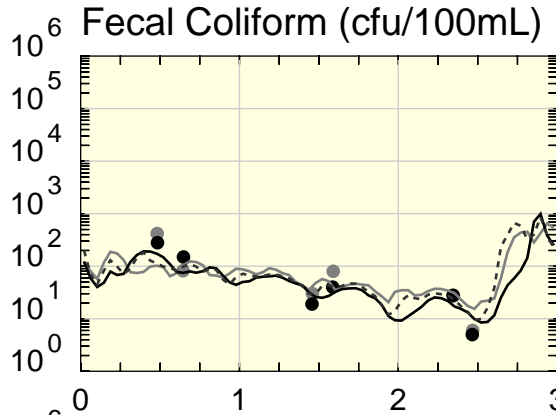
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- Model Result Bottom Layer
- Surface Data
- Mid-depth/Bottom Data

# Hudson River, Upper Bay Upper Bay

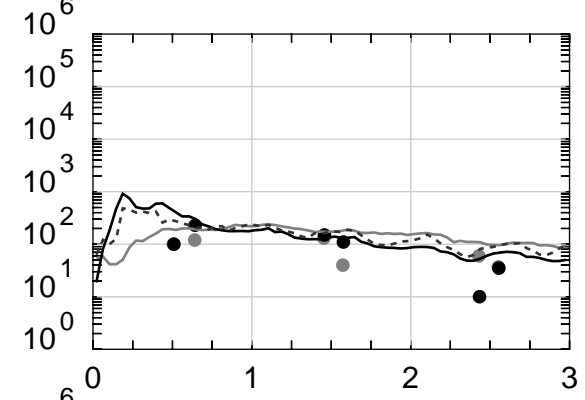
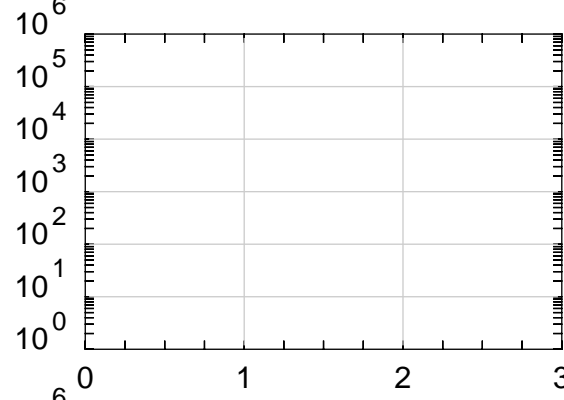
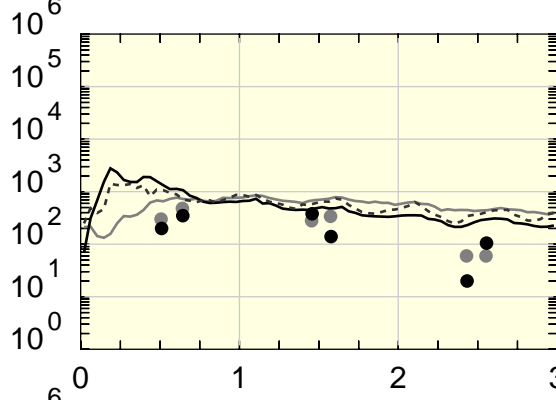
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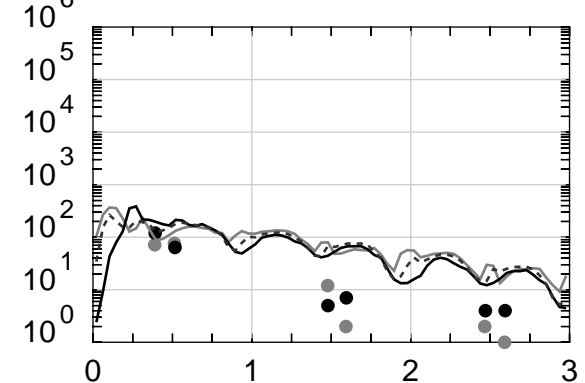
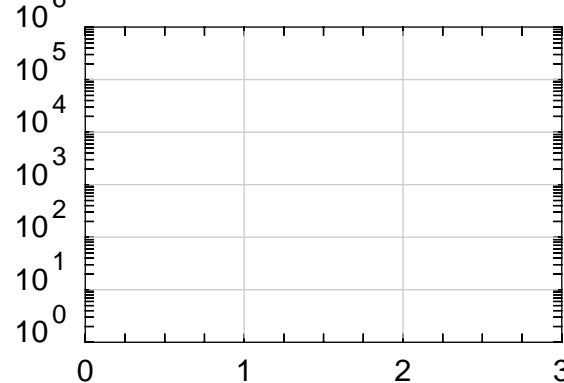
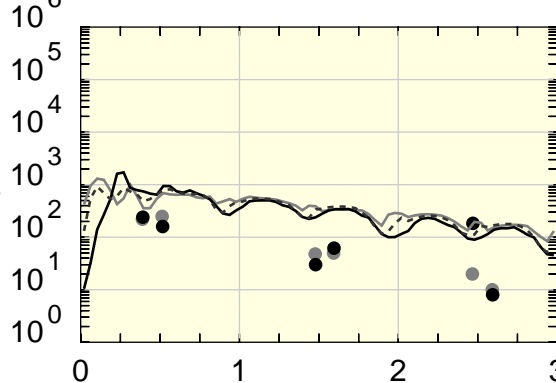
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June 6-8, 2016



Event #3  
Jan 24-26, 2017



Event #4  
April 26-28, 2017



Days since beginning of event

- Model Result Surface Layer
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- Surface Data
- Mid-depth/Bottom Data



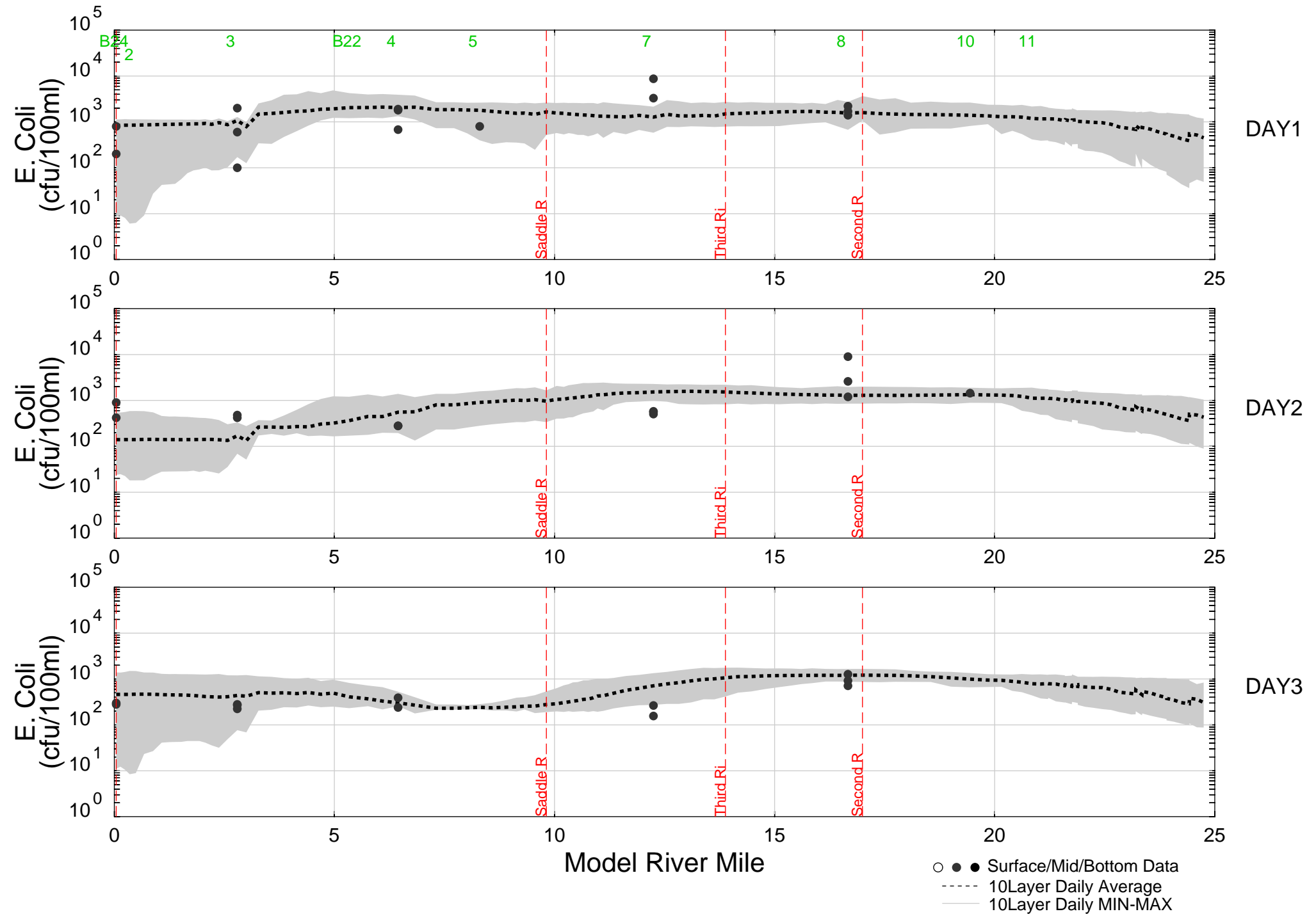


## Appendix F-4

### Additional Validation E. Coli Transect Figures

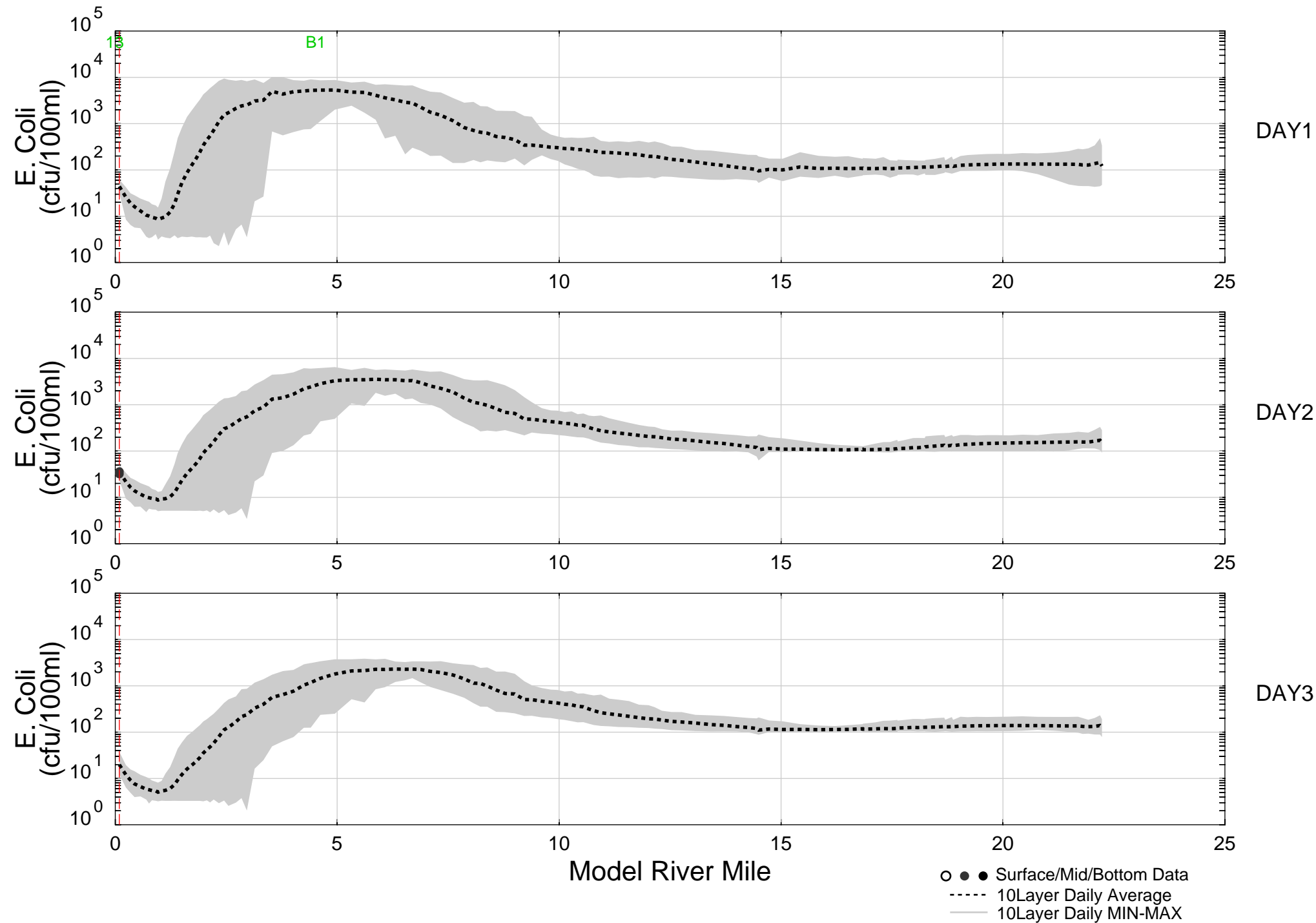
# WW Event : Jan 4-6, 2017

## Passaic River Transect



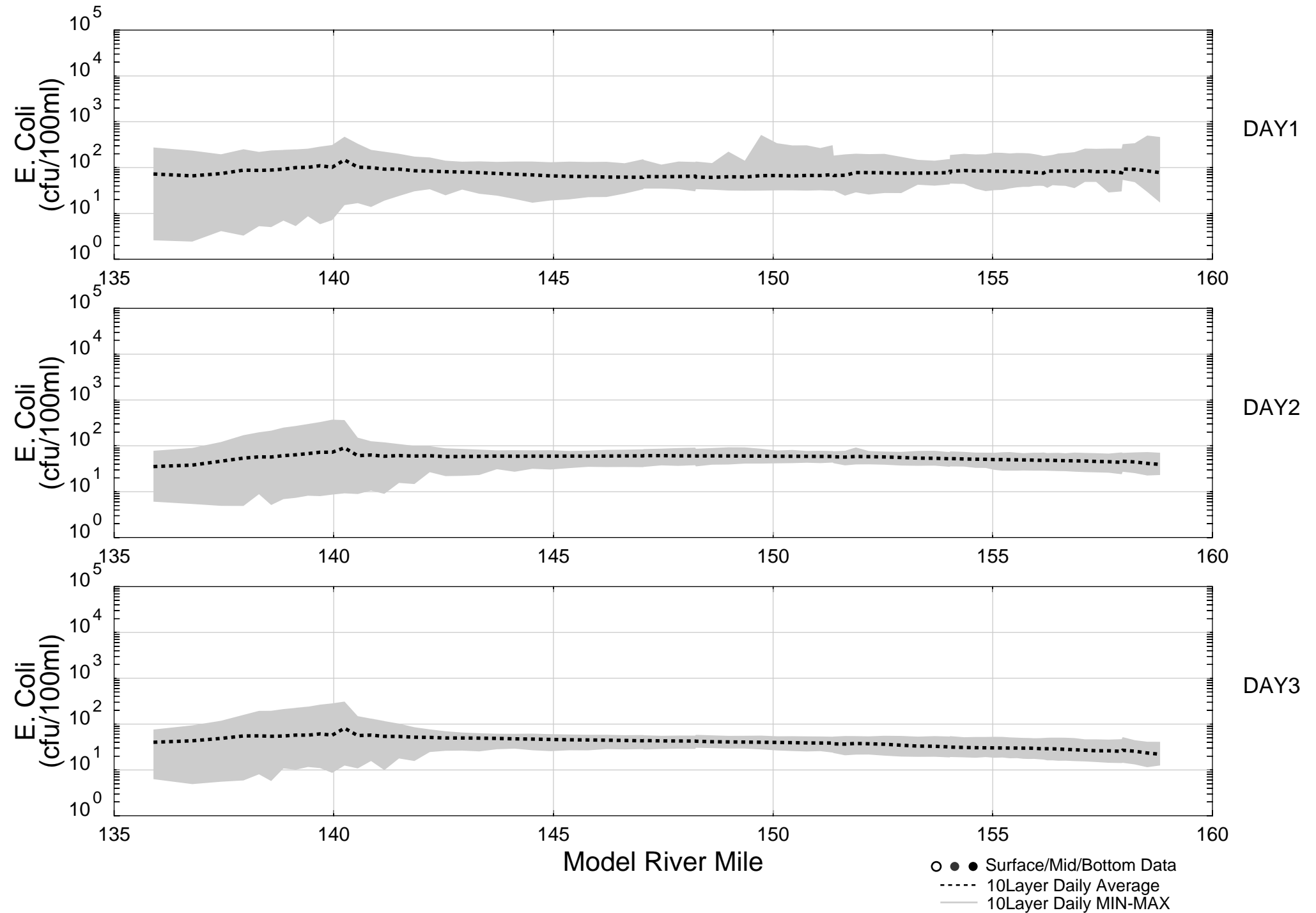
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## Hackensack River Transect



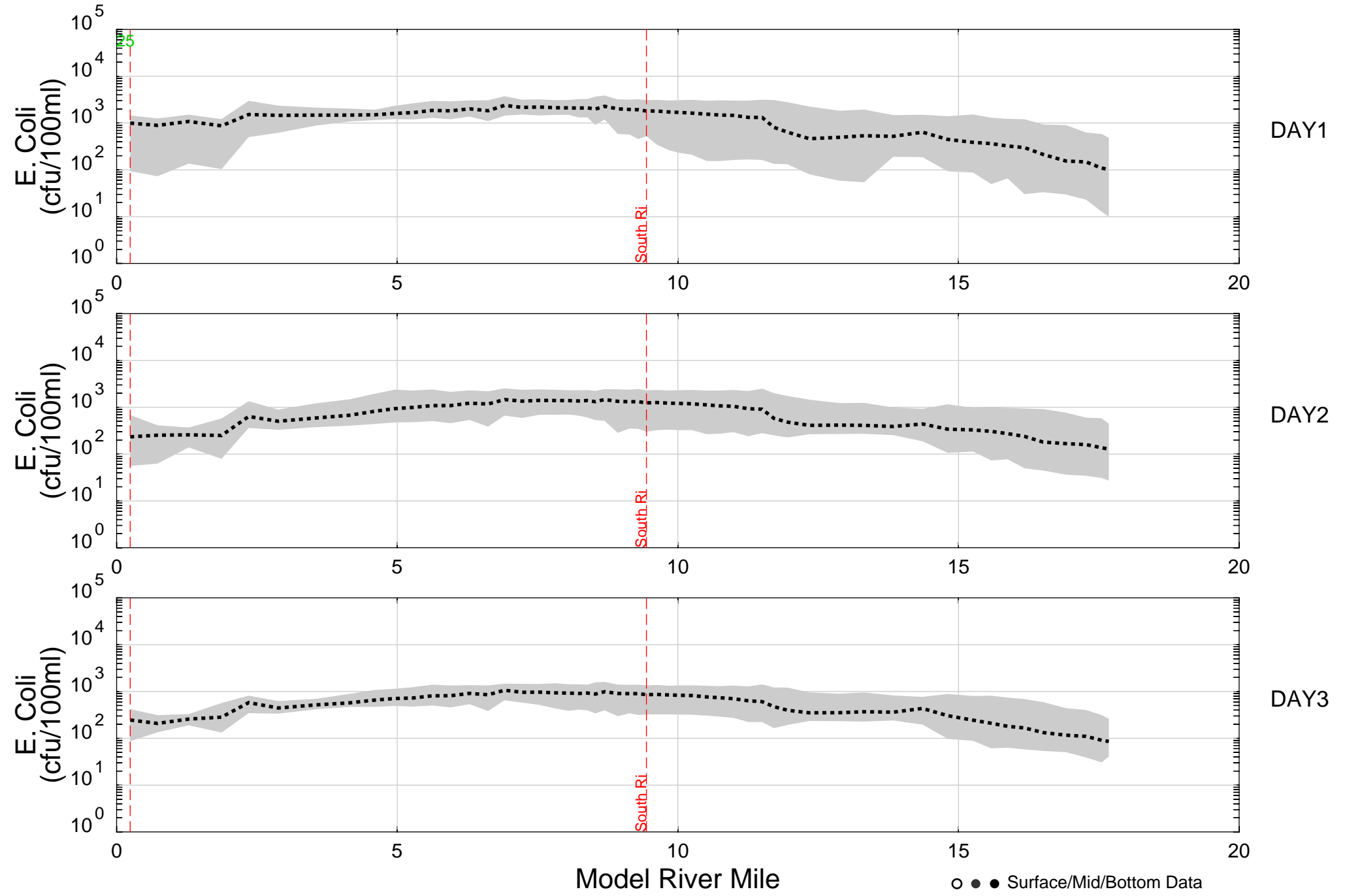
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## Hudson River Transect



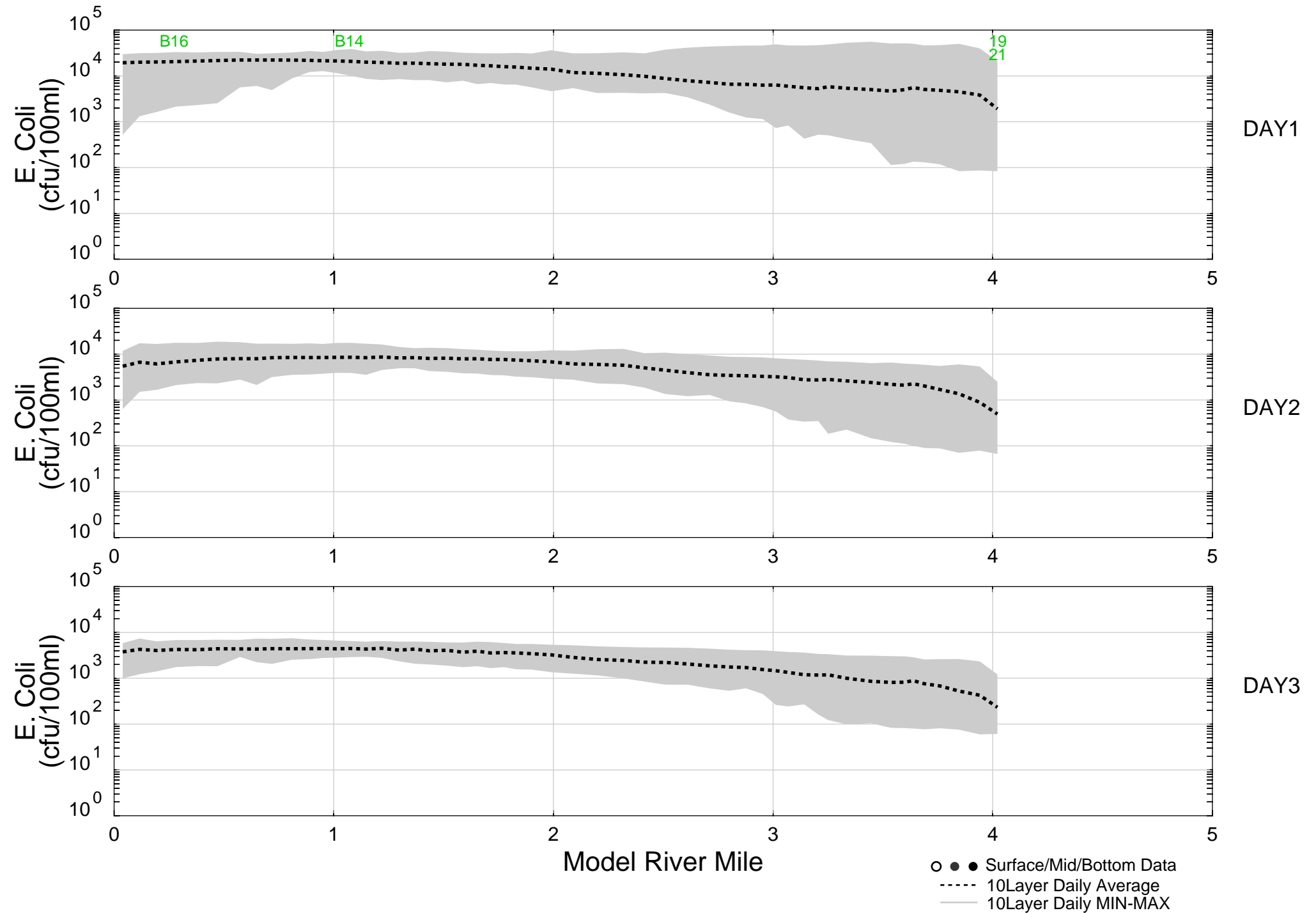
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## Raritan River Transect



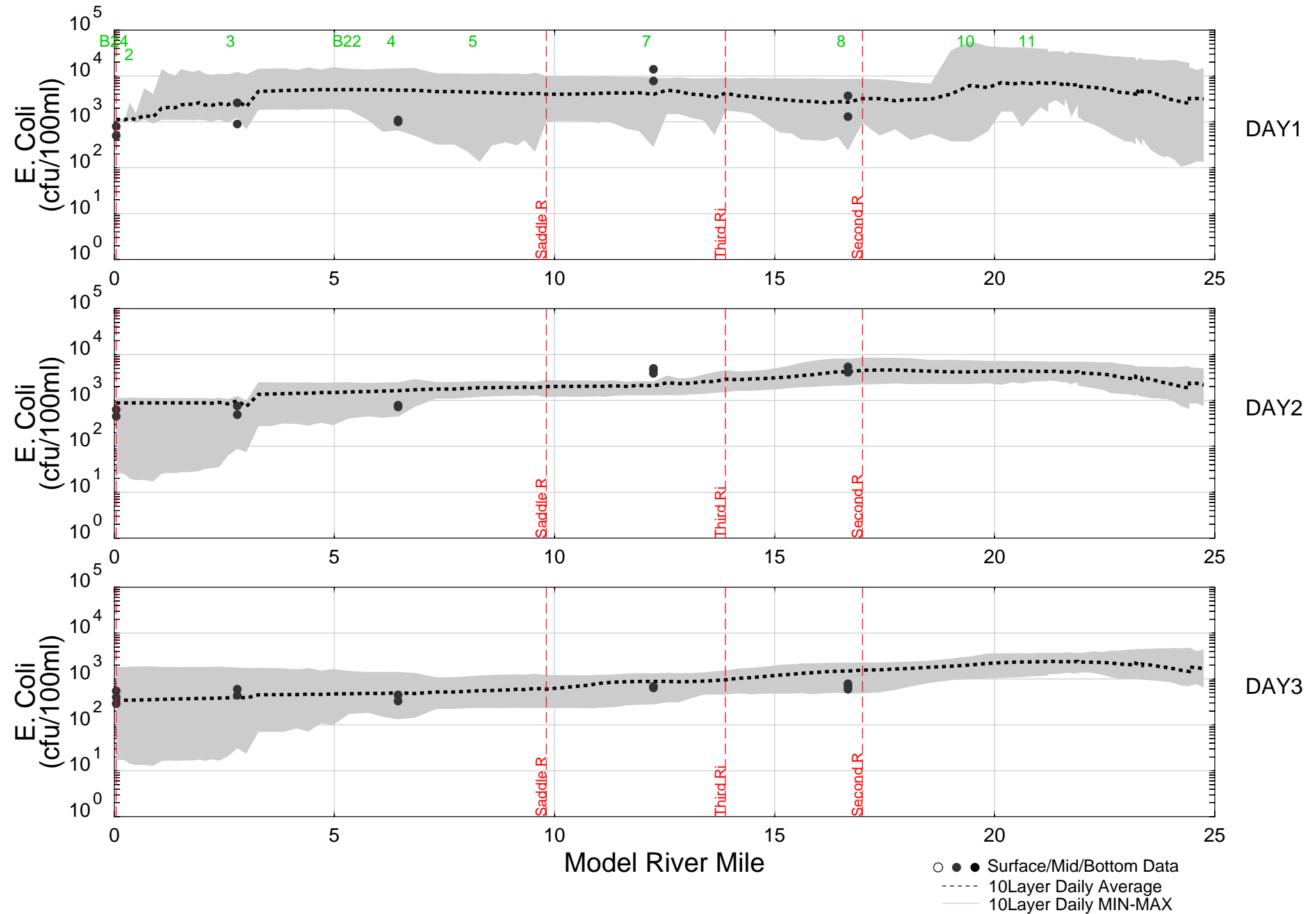
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## Elizabeth River Transect



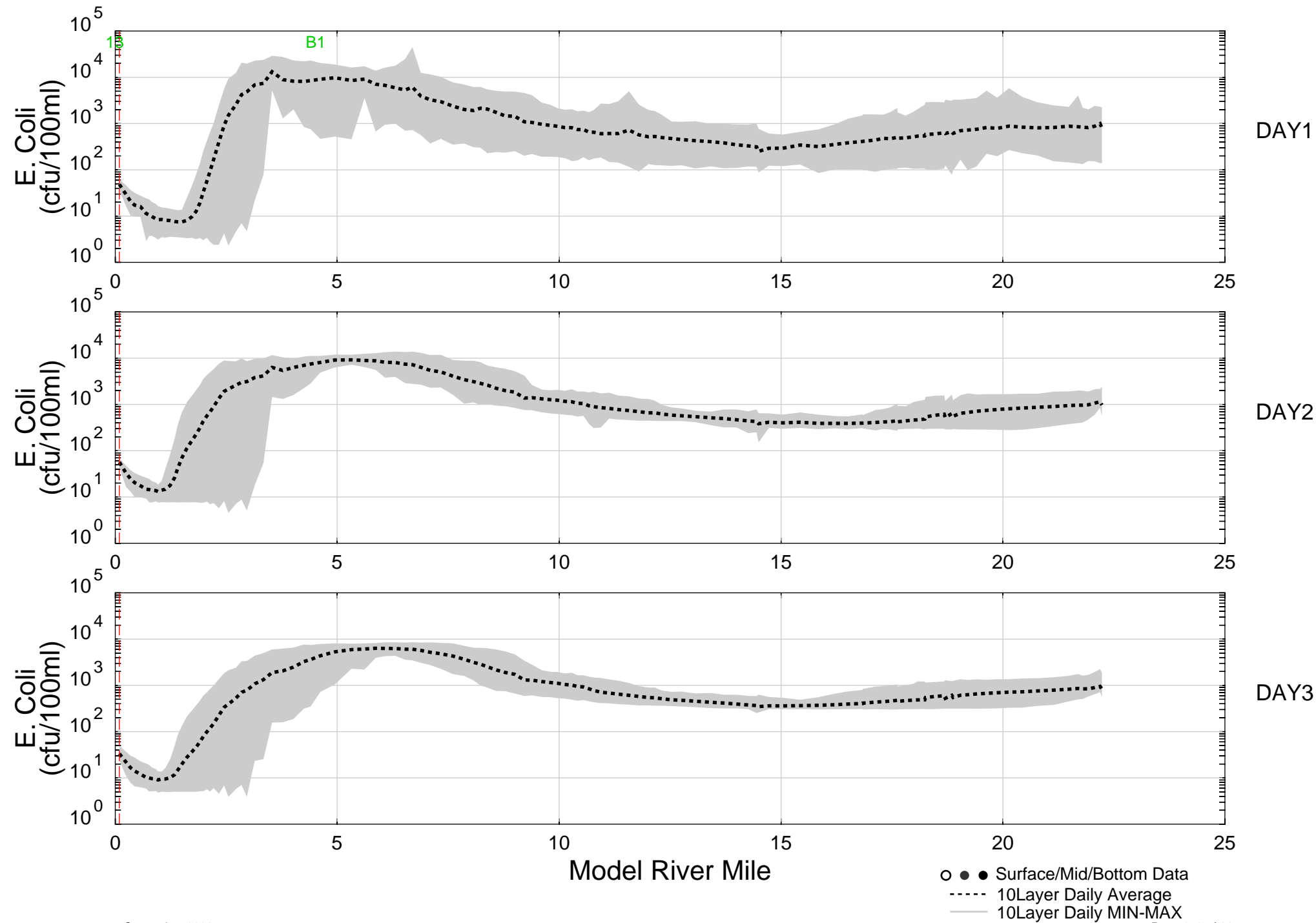
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## Passaic River Transect



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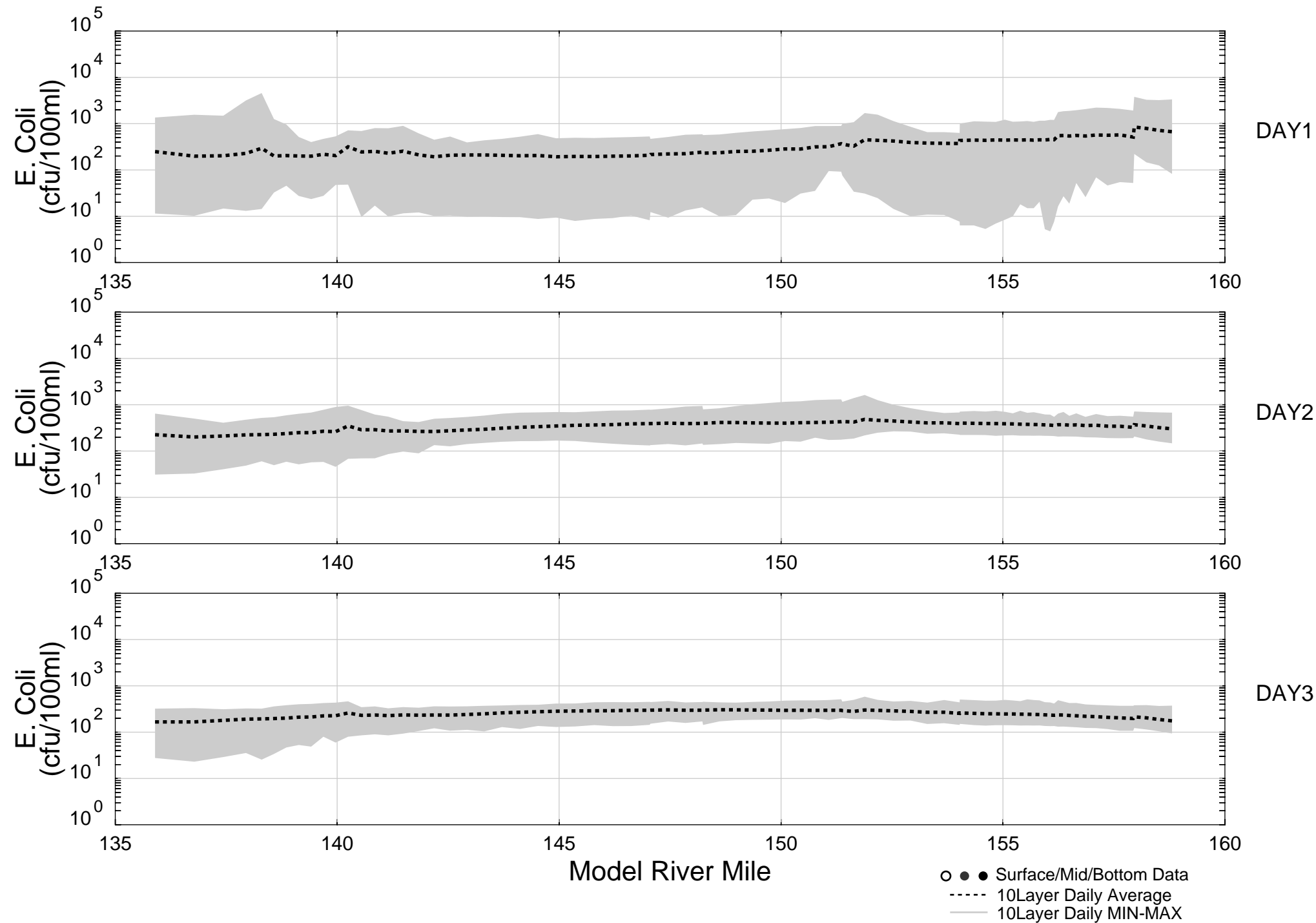
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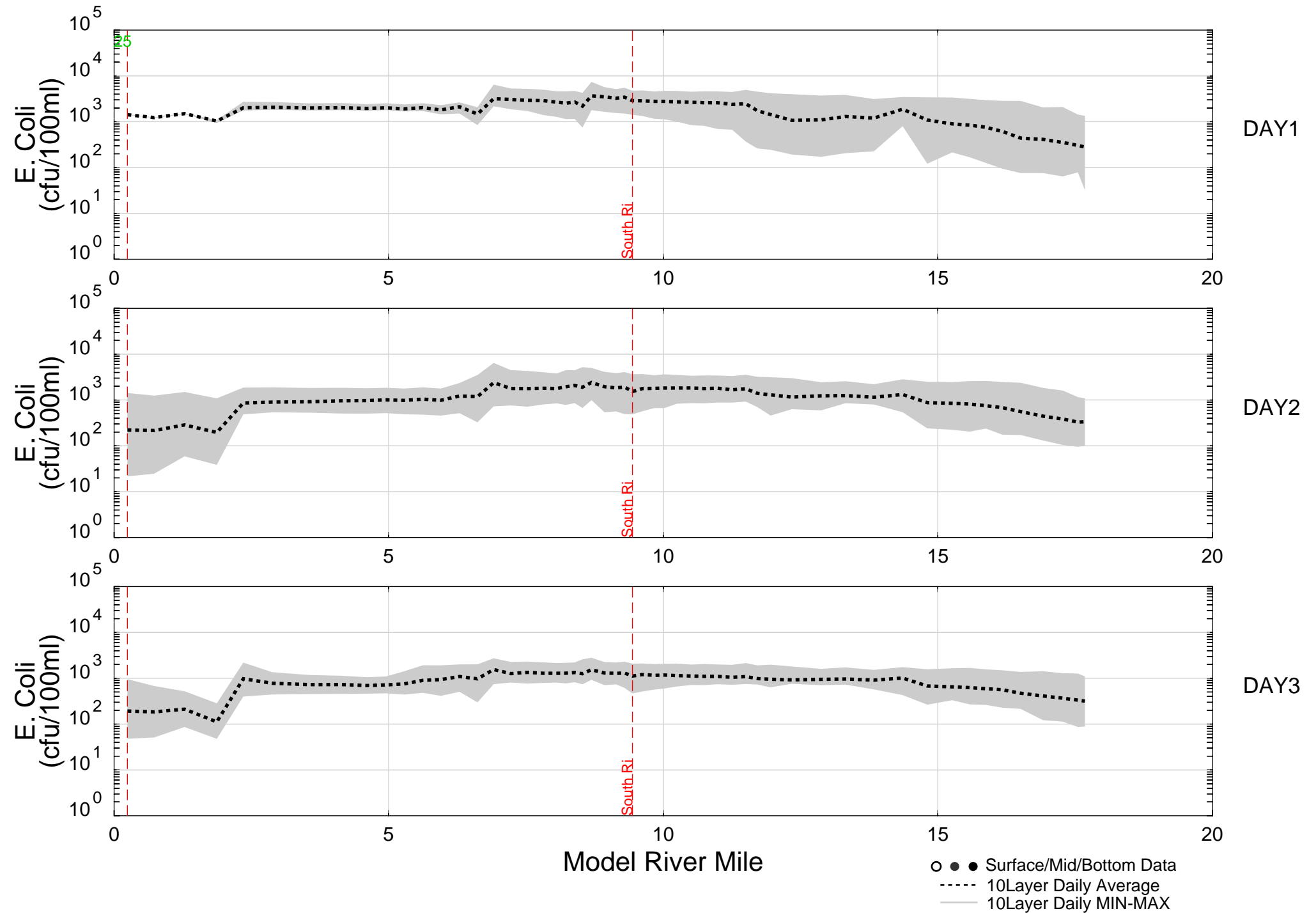
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## Hudson River Transect



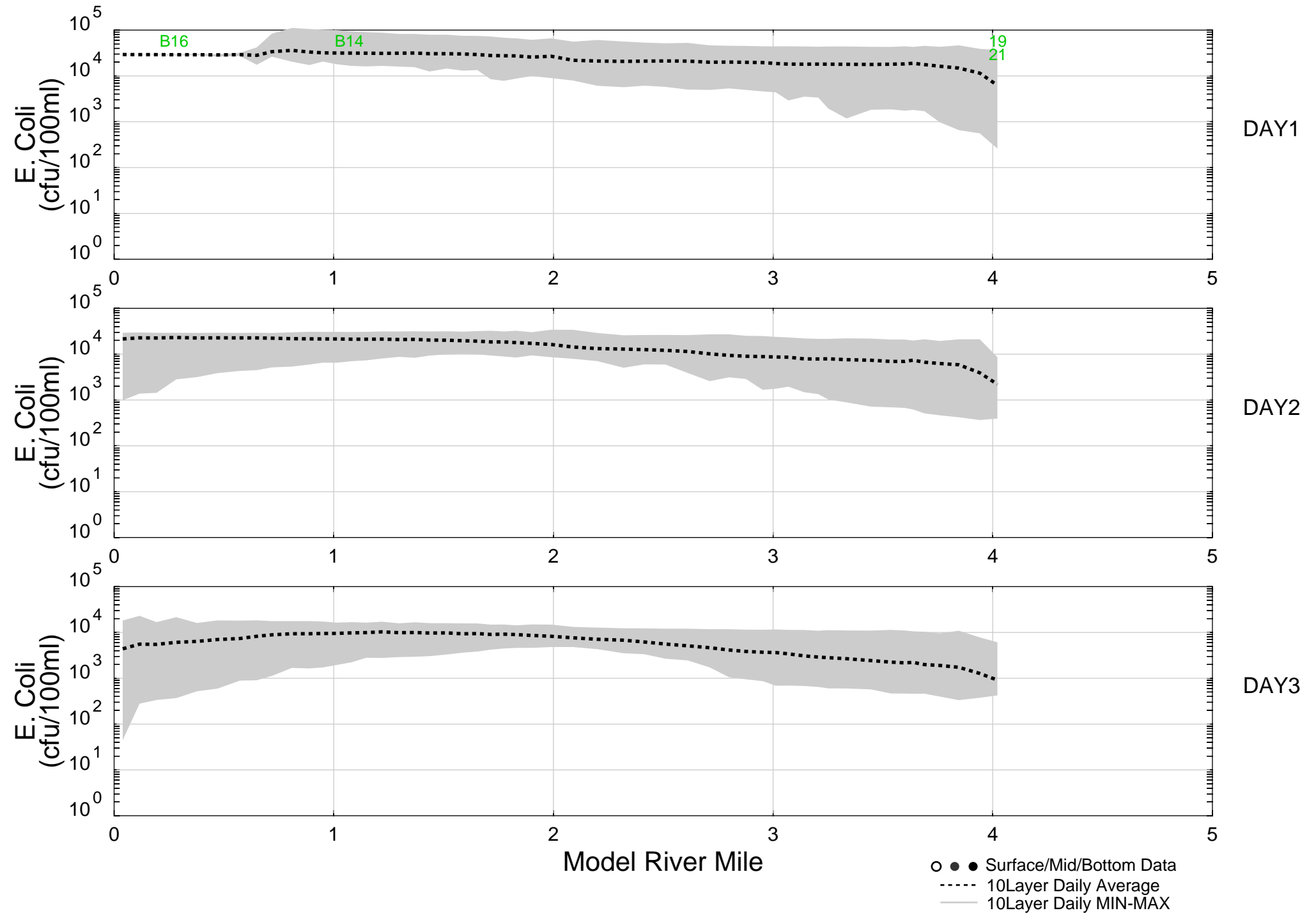
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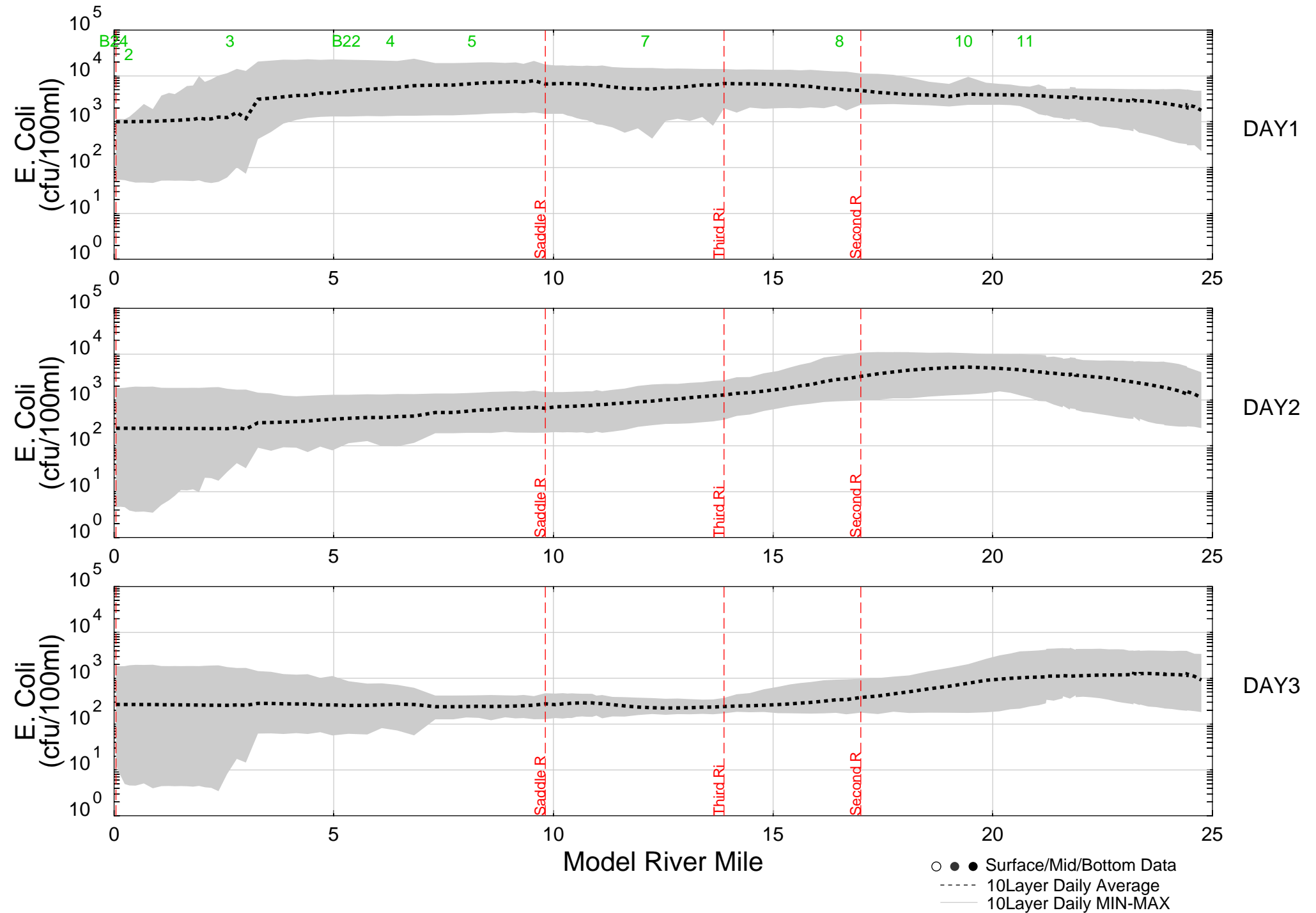
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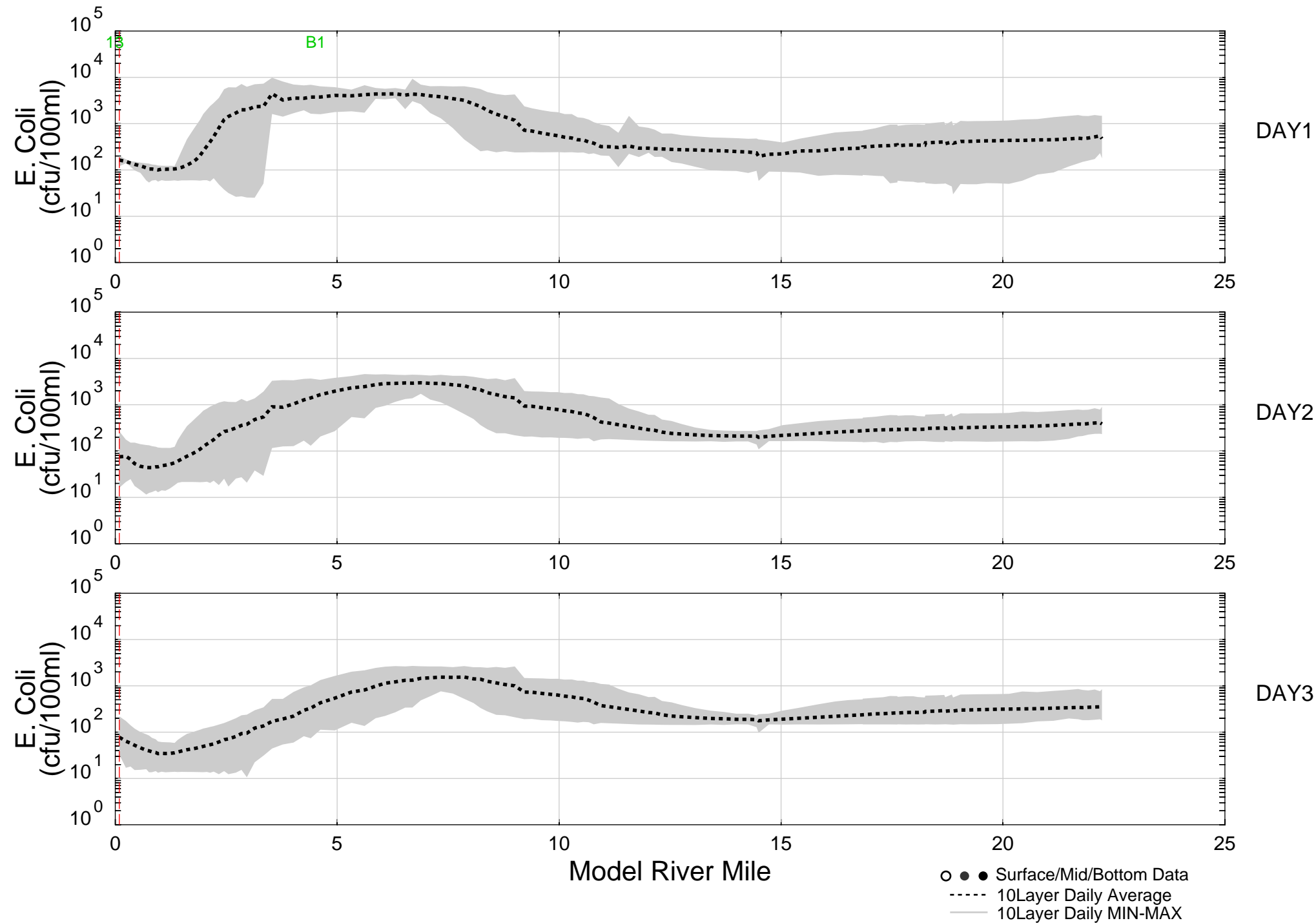
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## Passaic River Transect



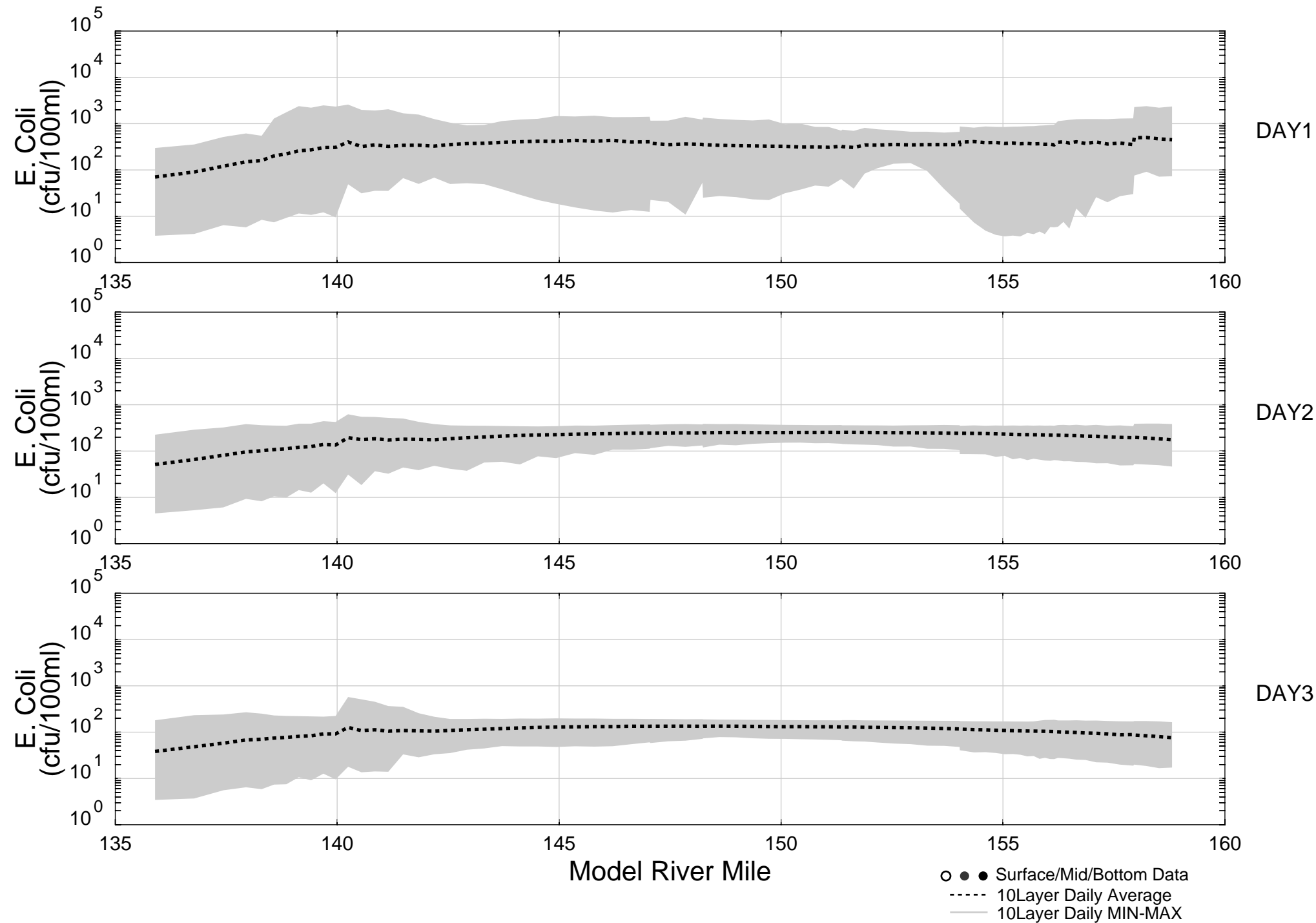
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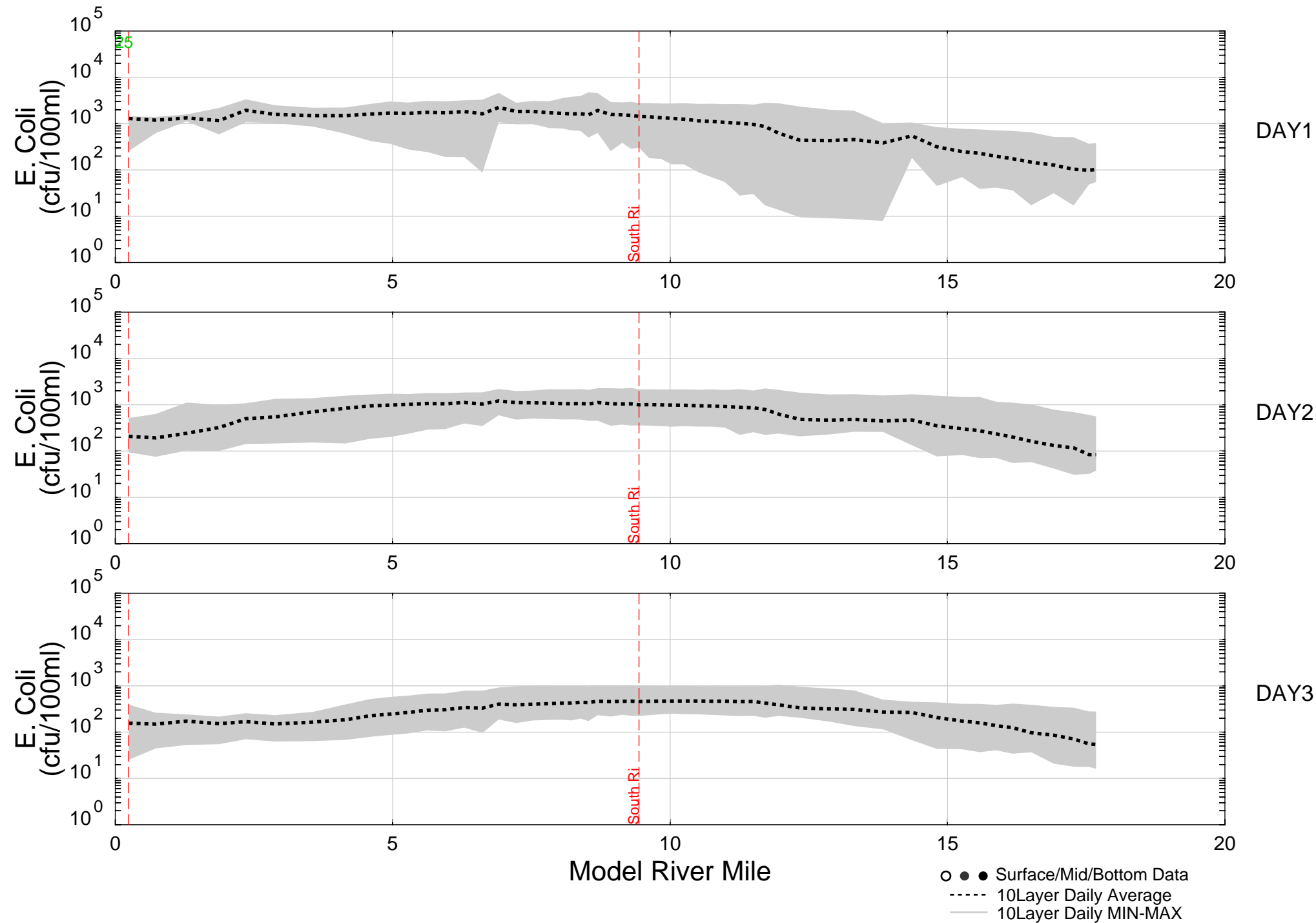
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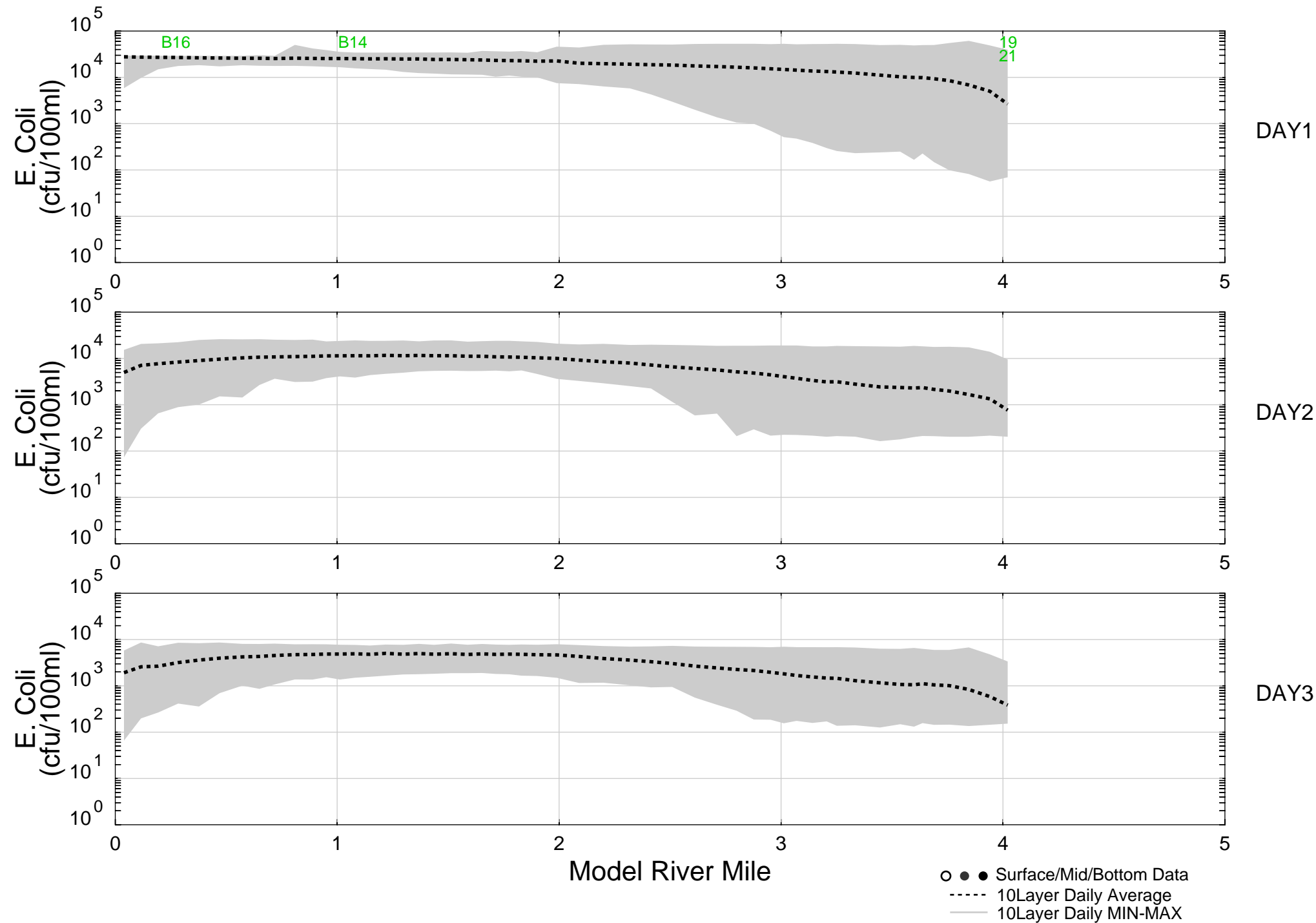
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## Raritan River Transect



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## Elizabeth River Transect



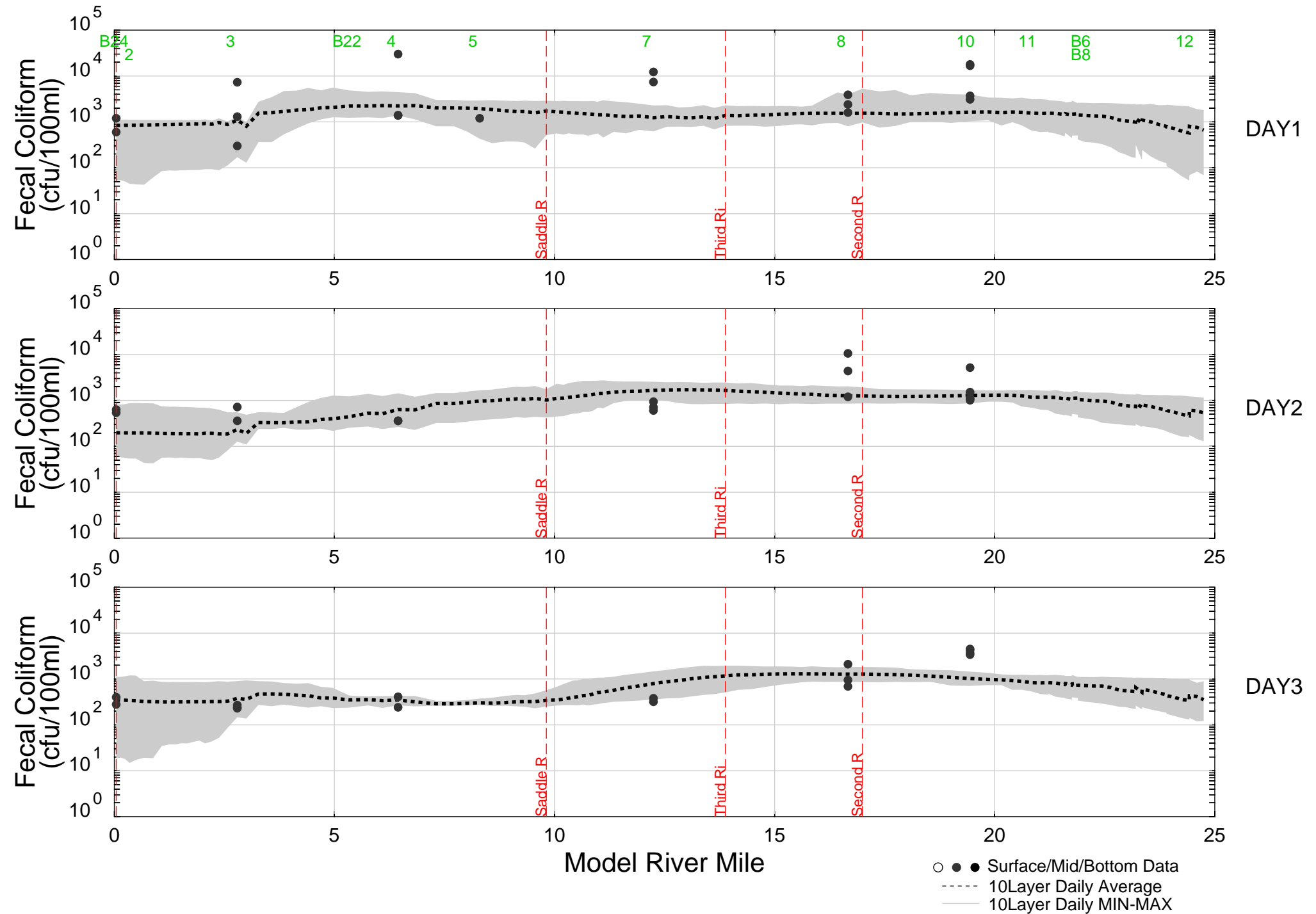


## Appendix F-5

### Additional Validation Fecal Coliform Transect Figures

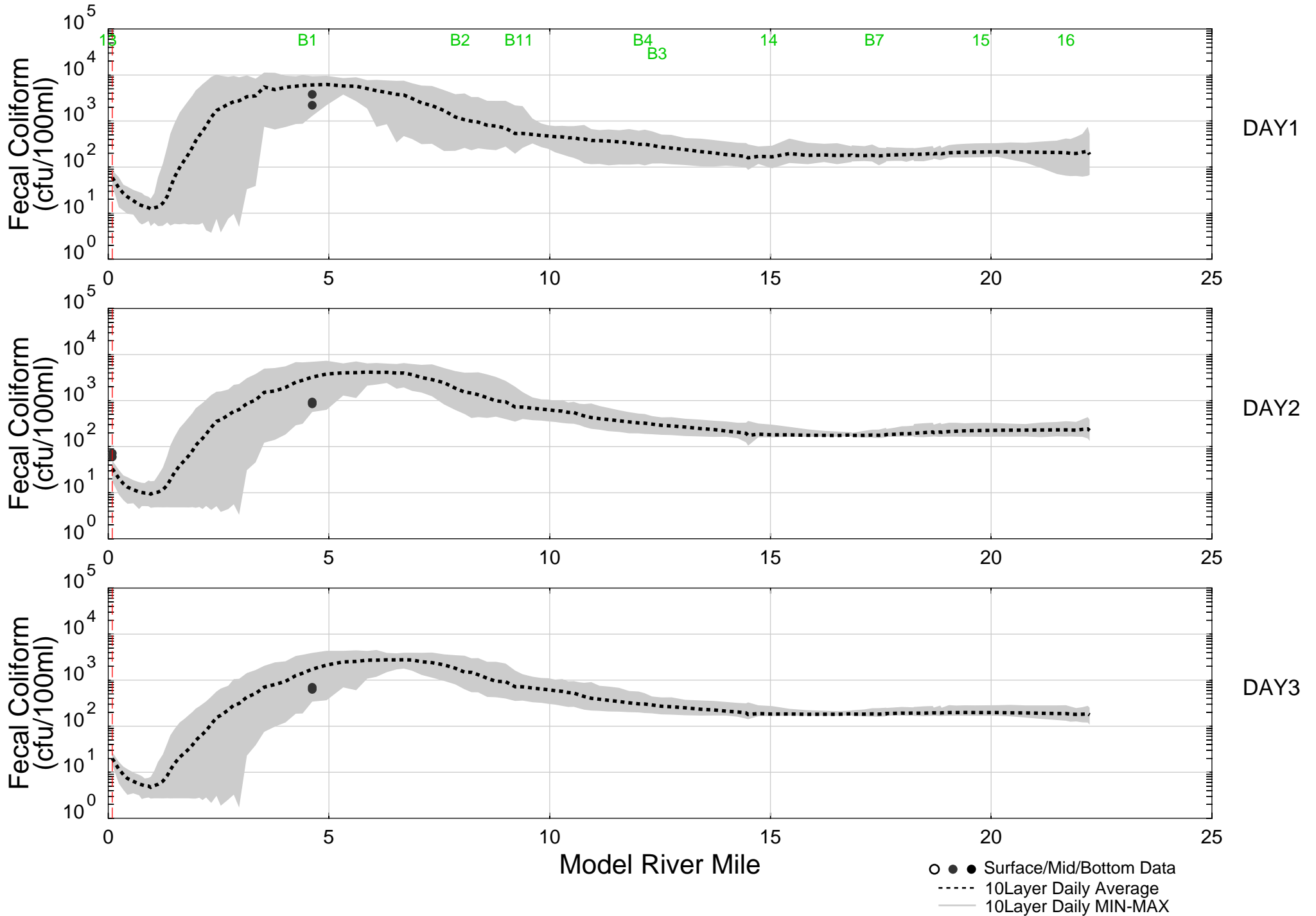
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## Passaic River Transect



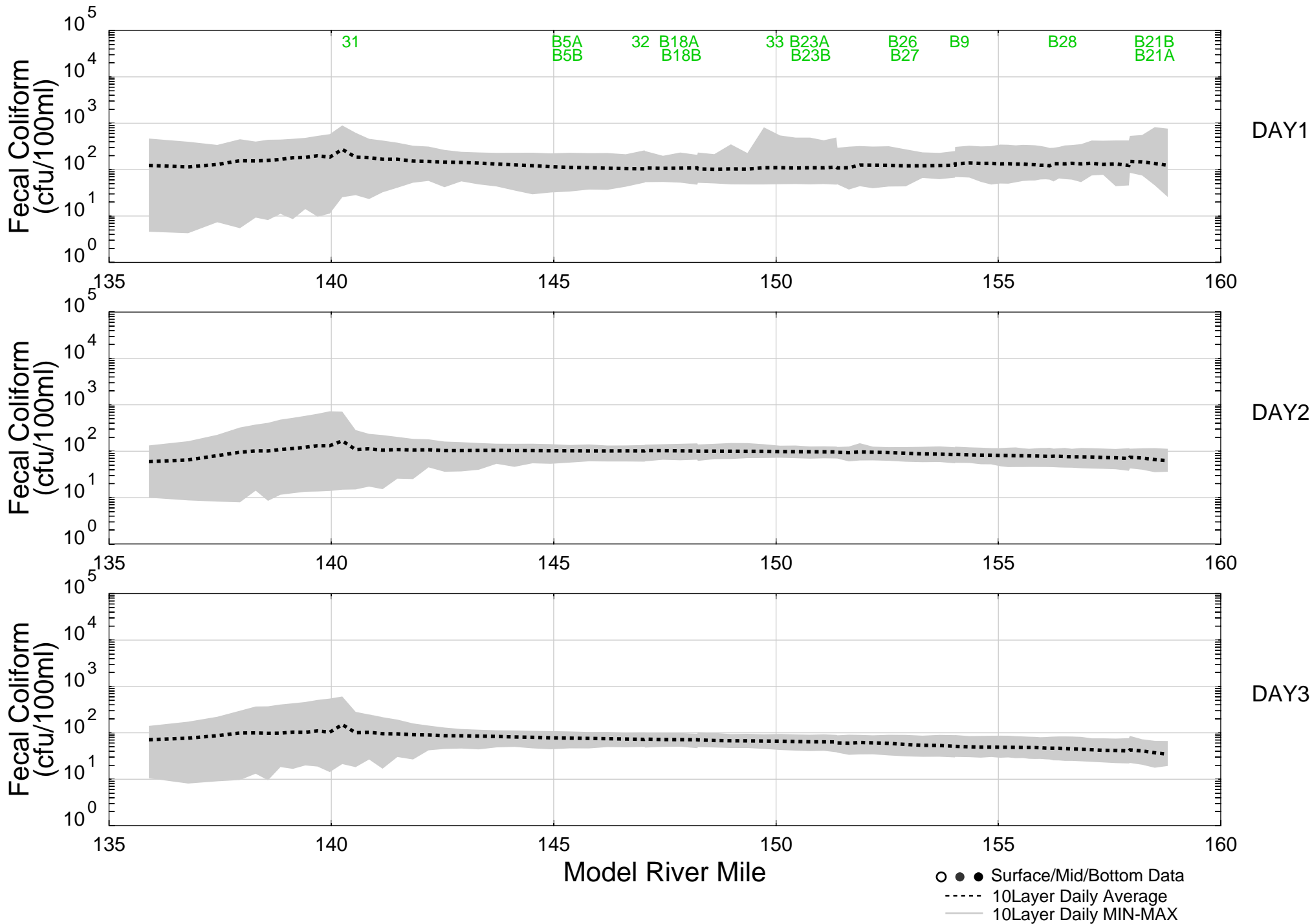
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## Hackensack River Transect



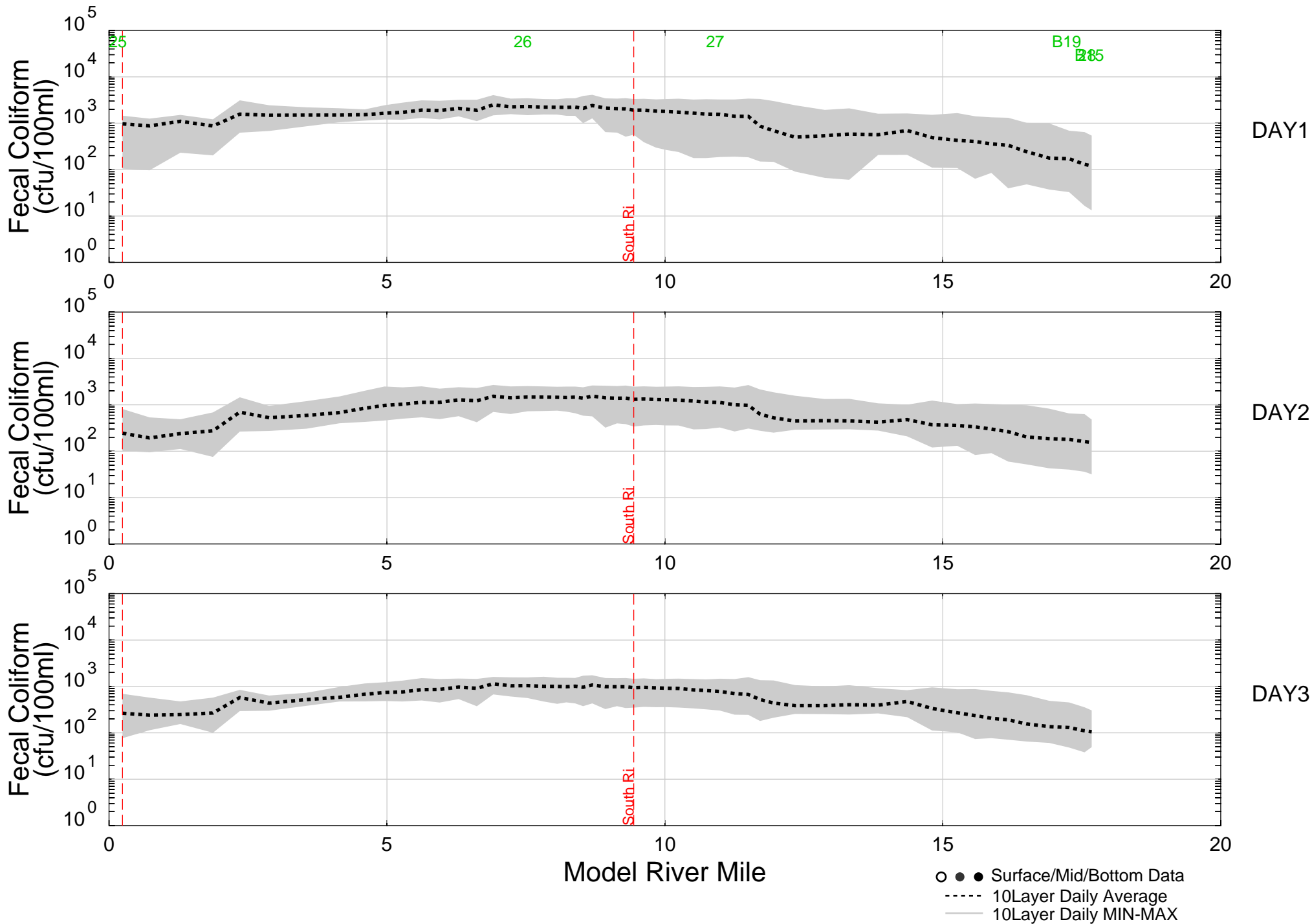
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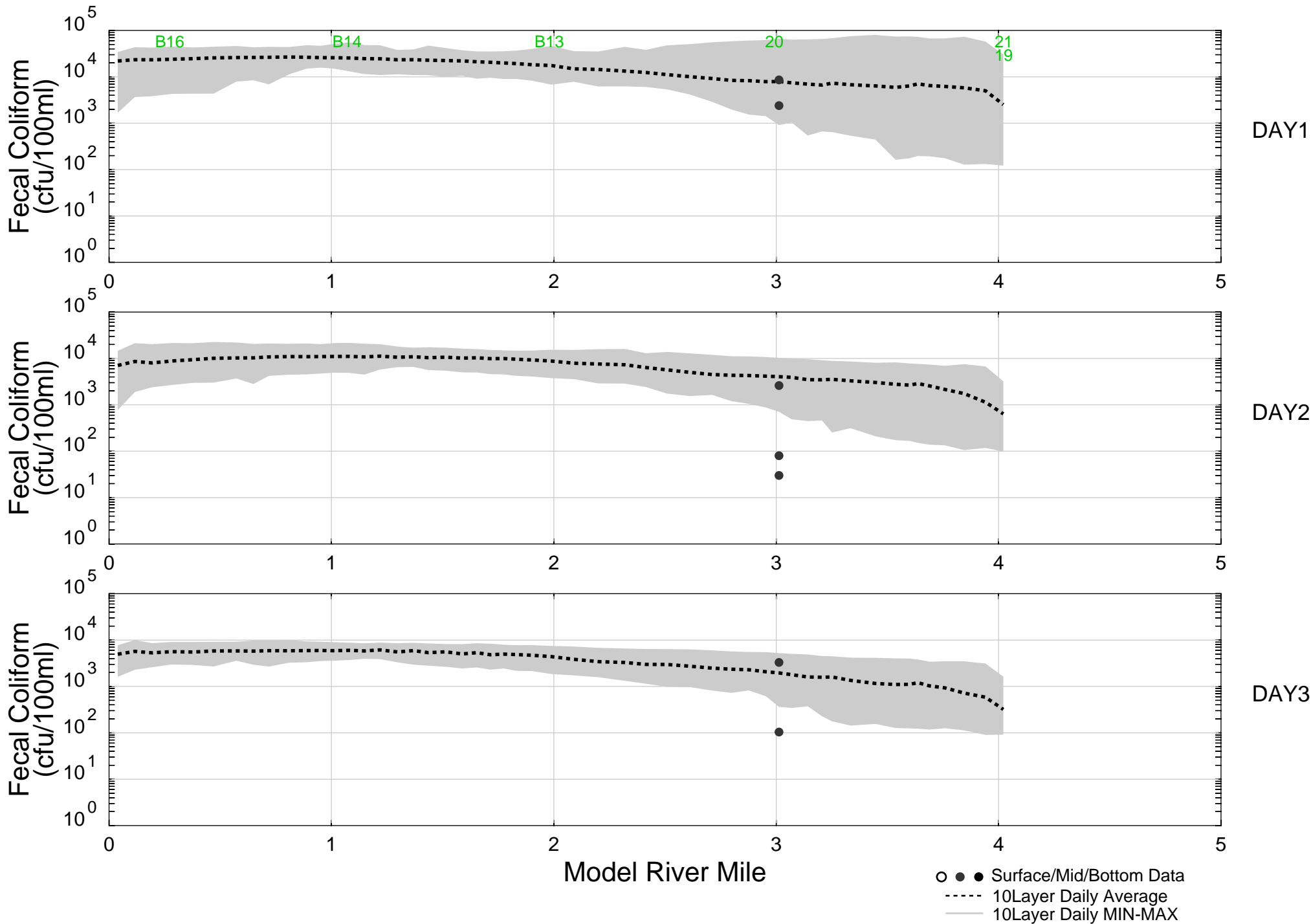
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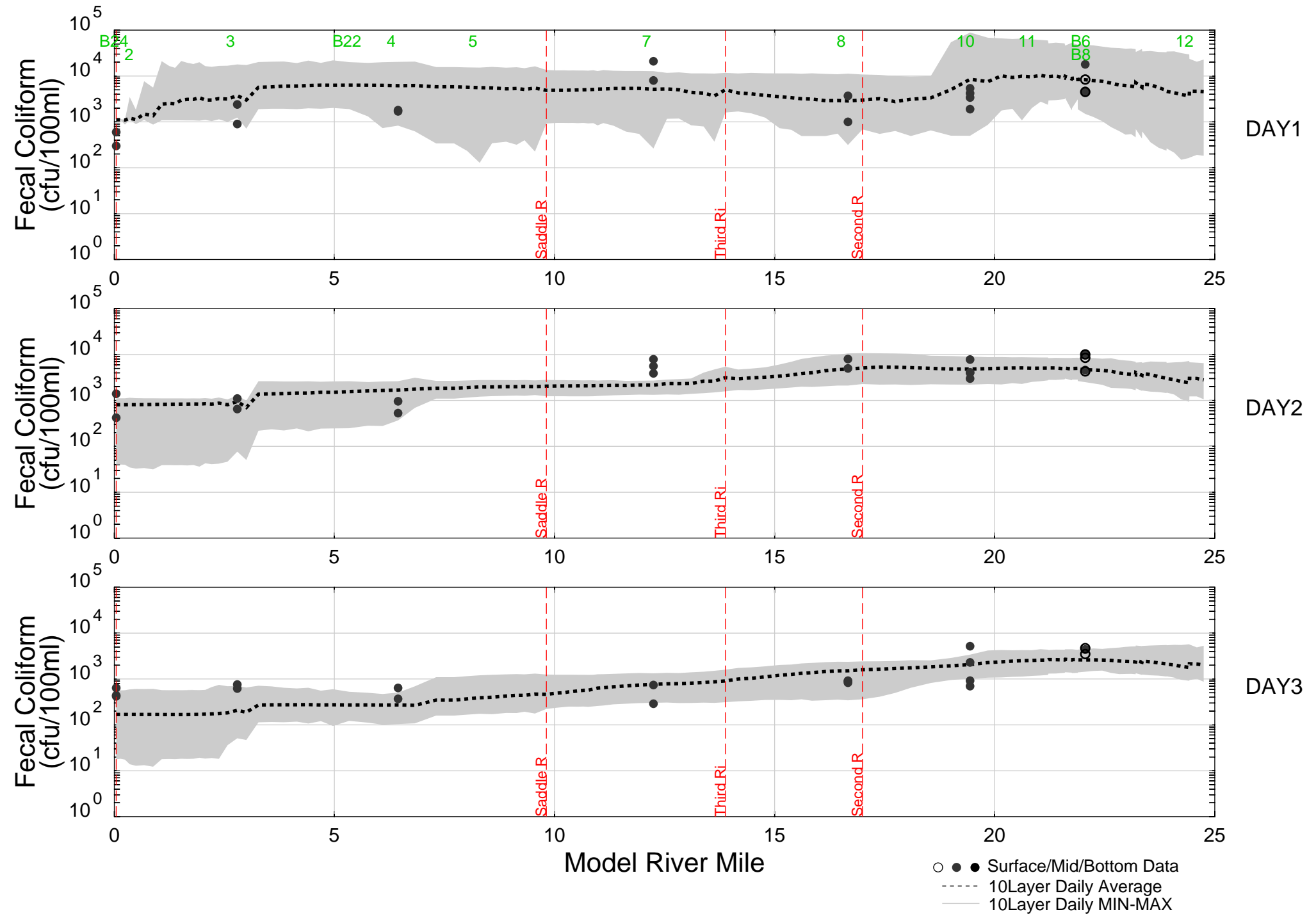
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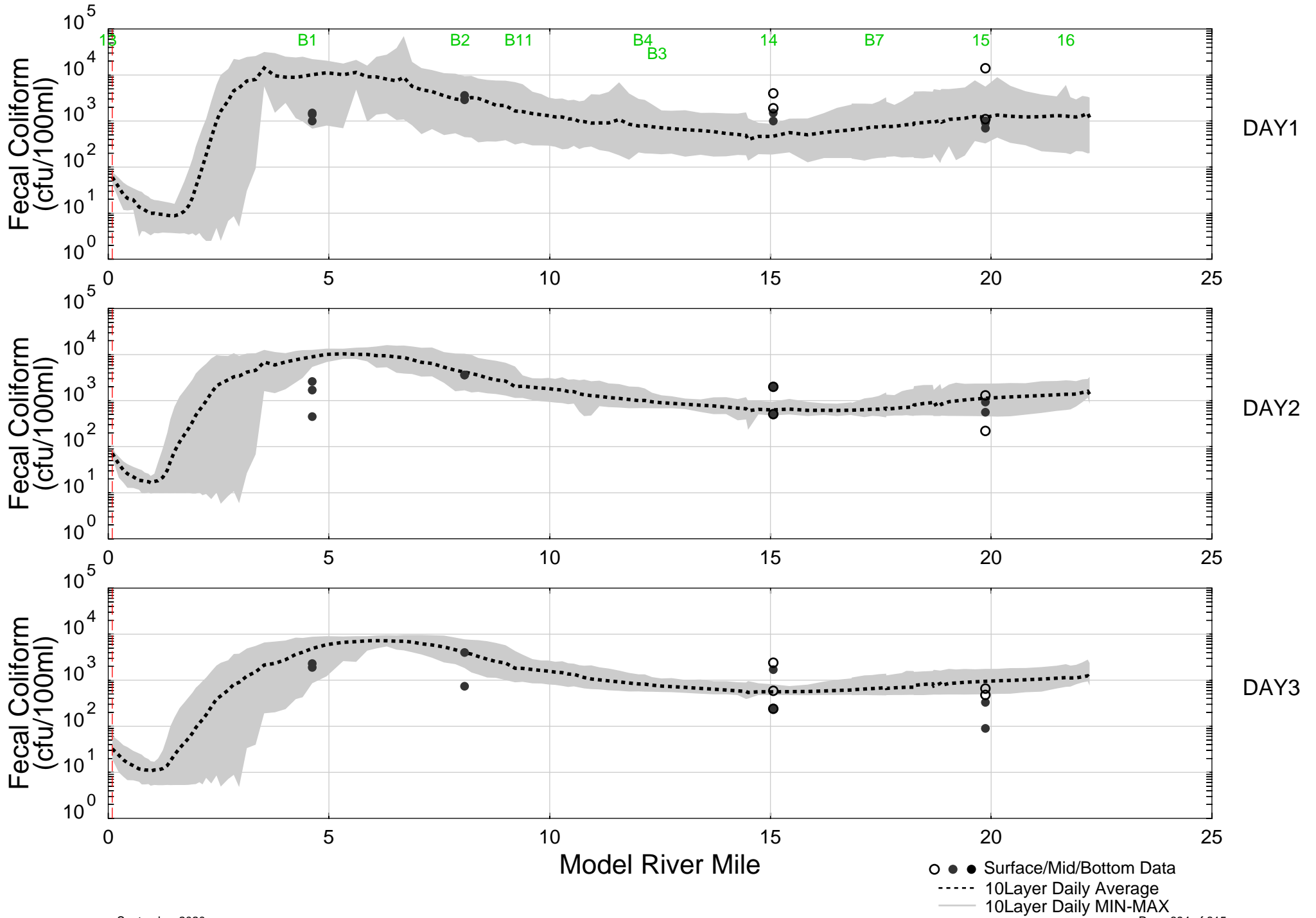
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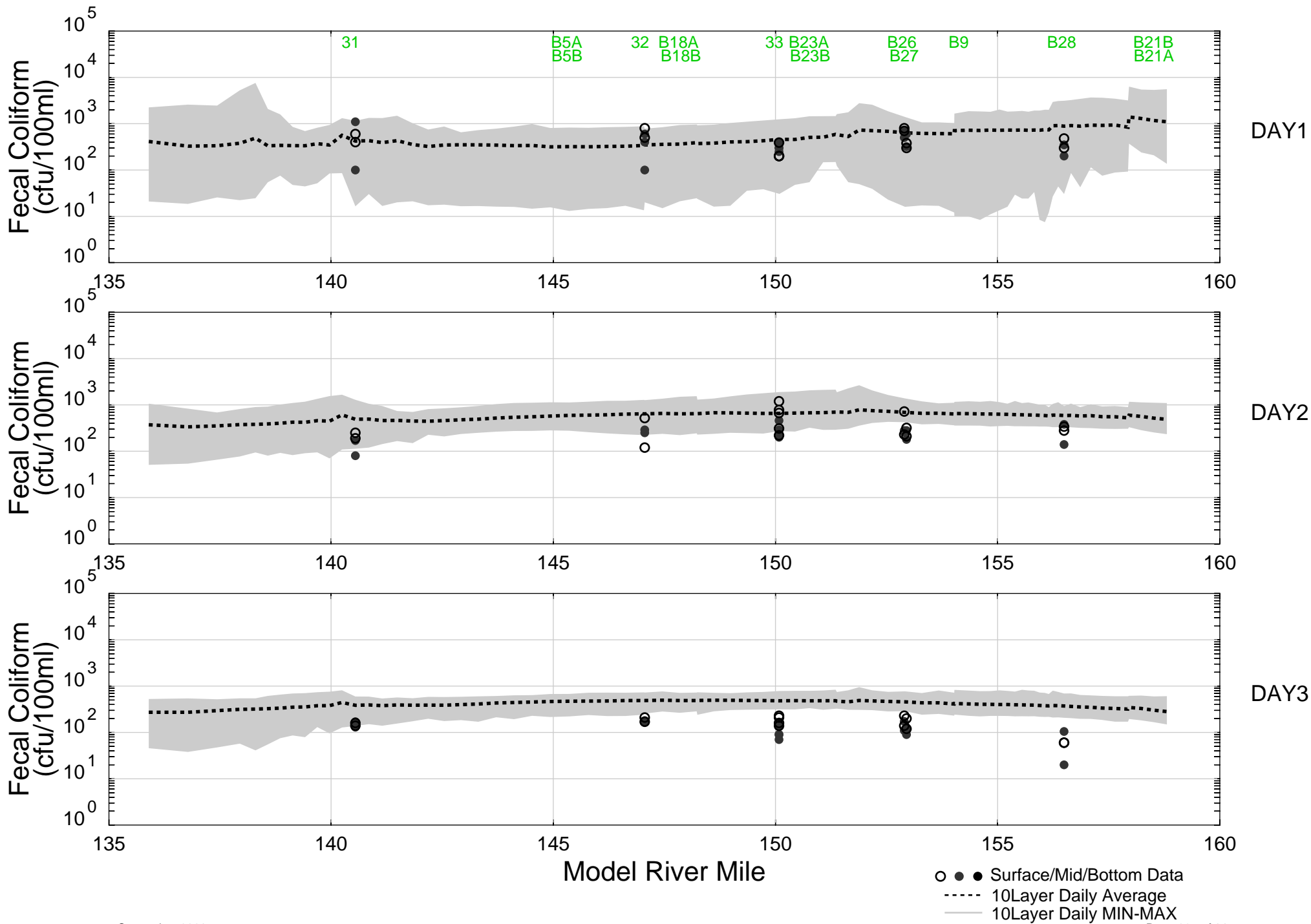
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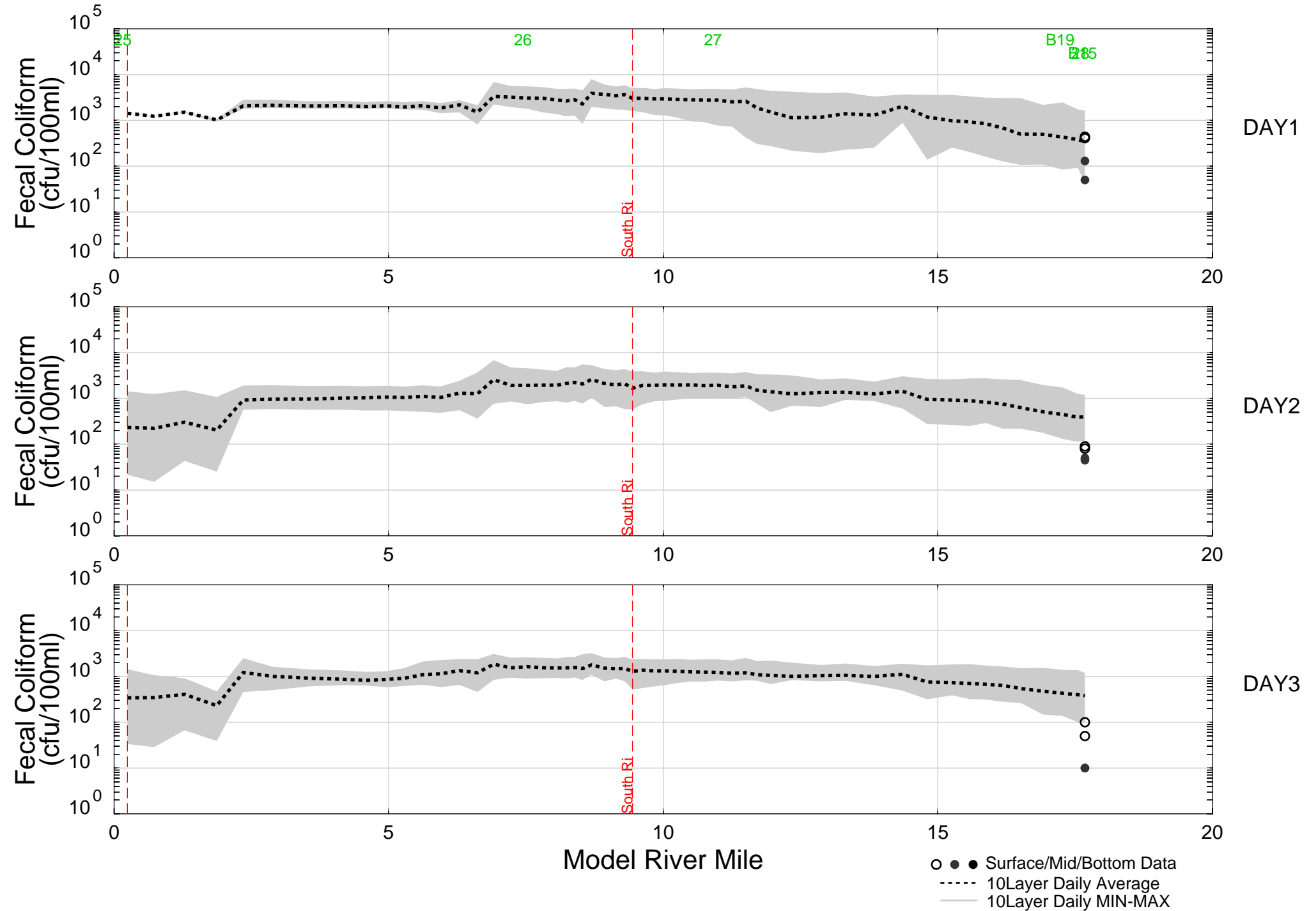
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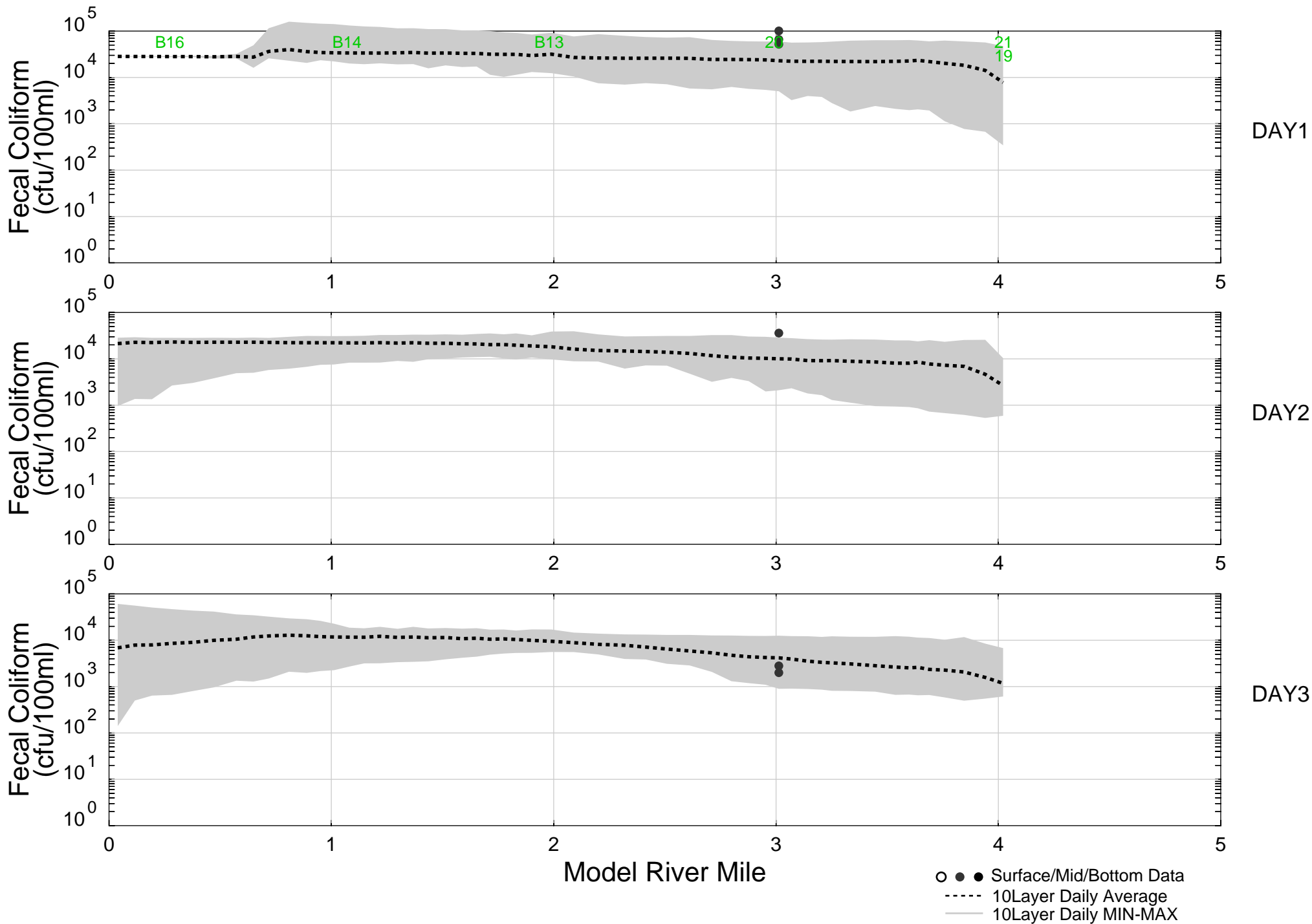
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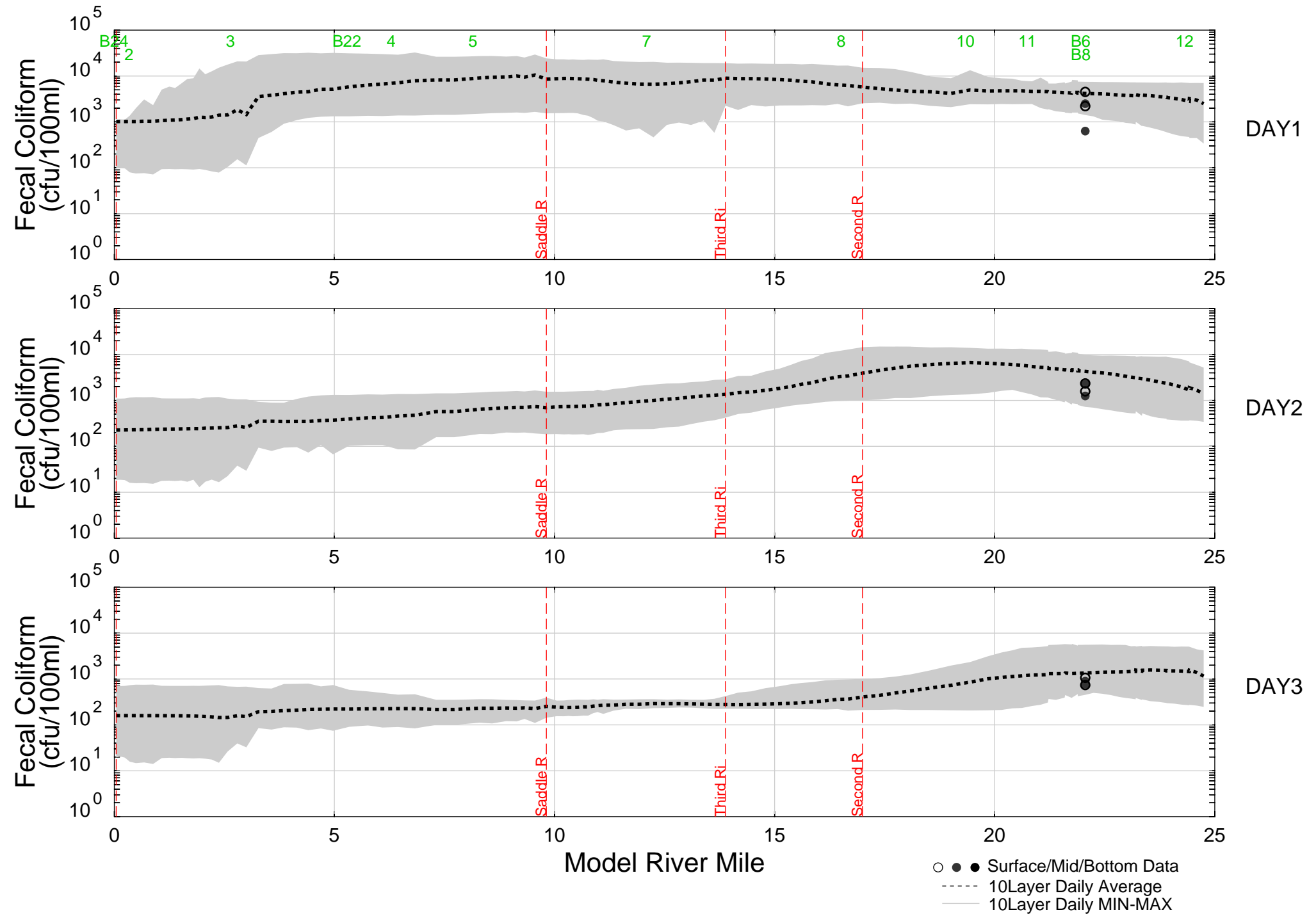
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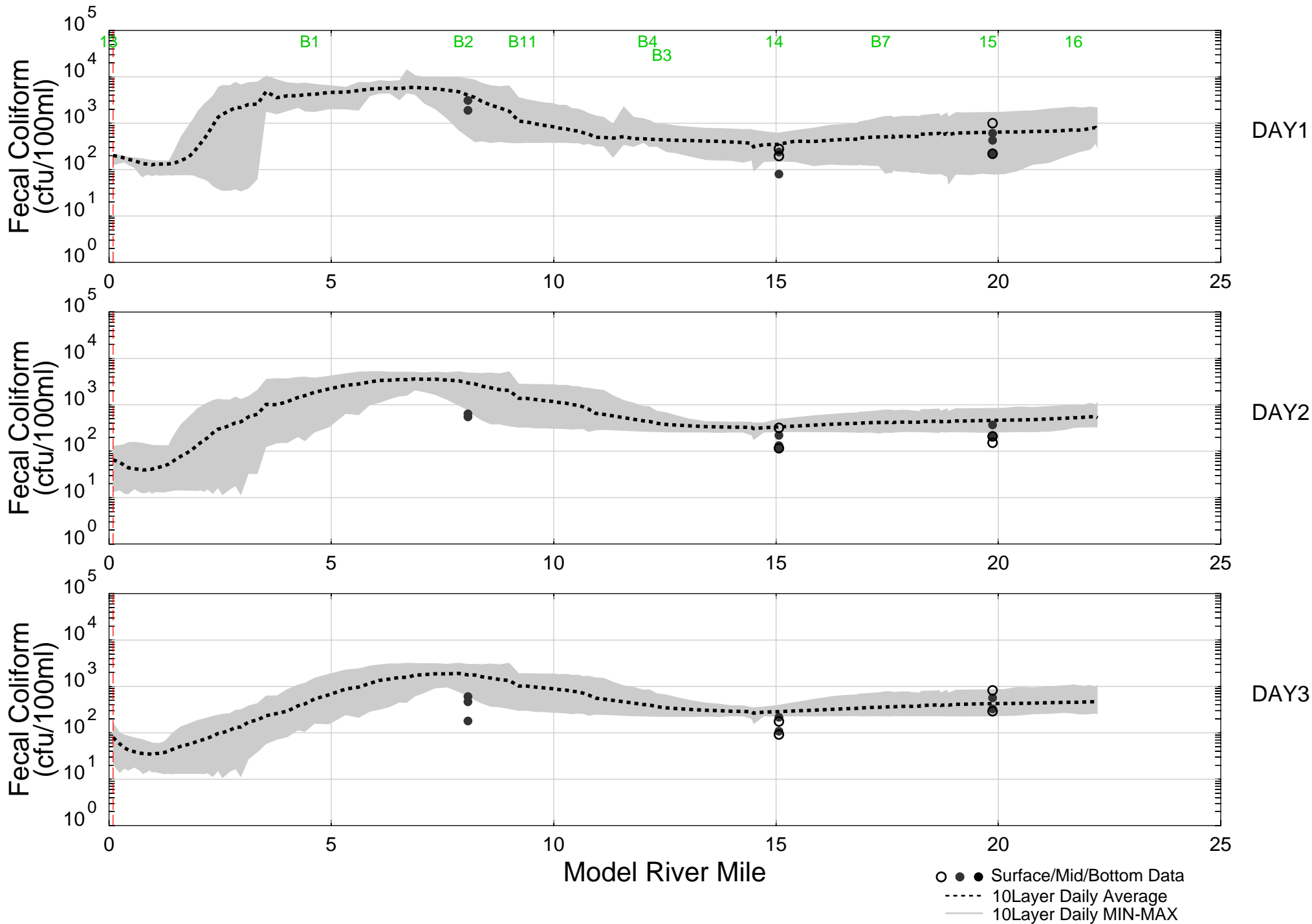
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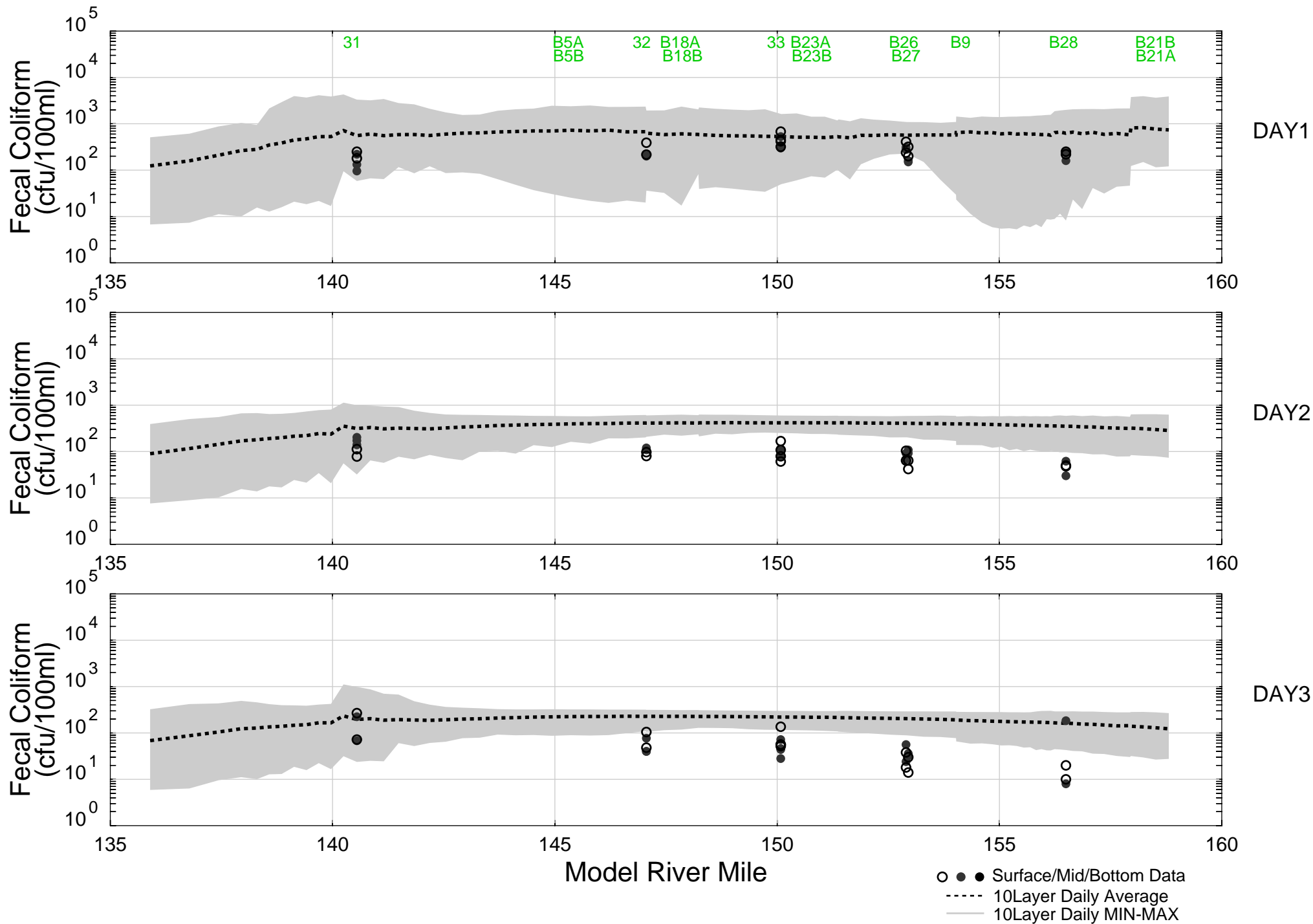
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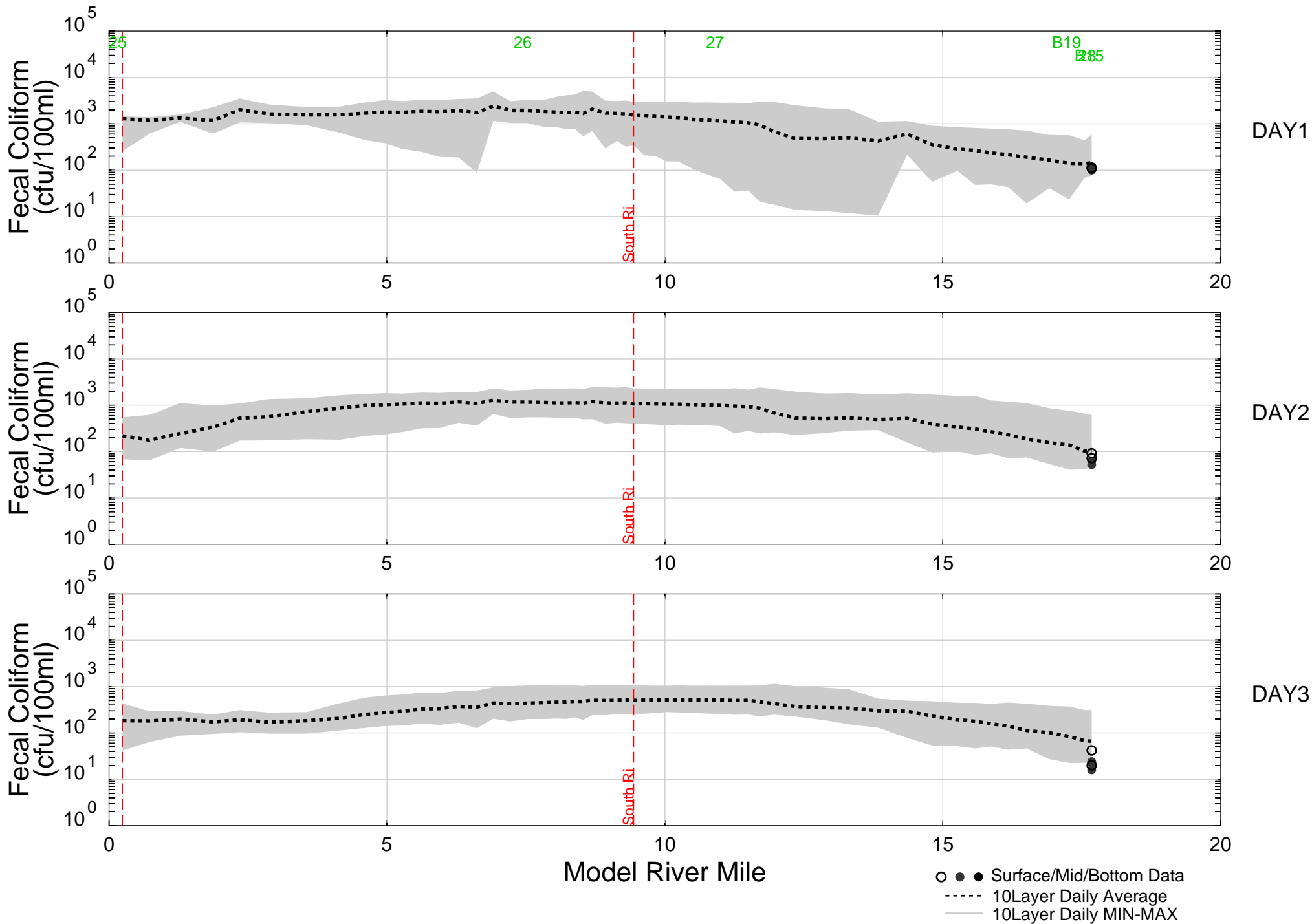
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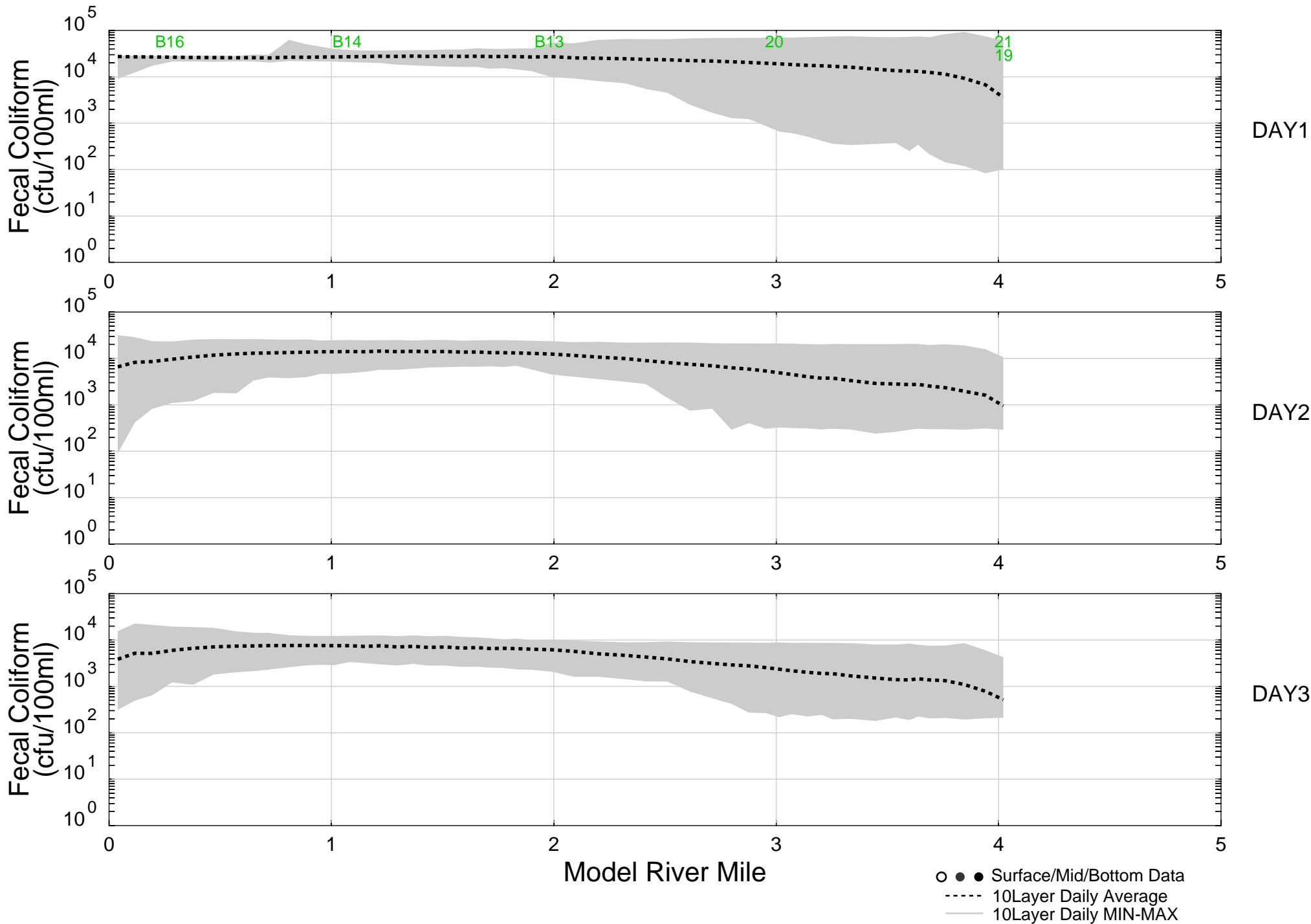
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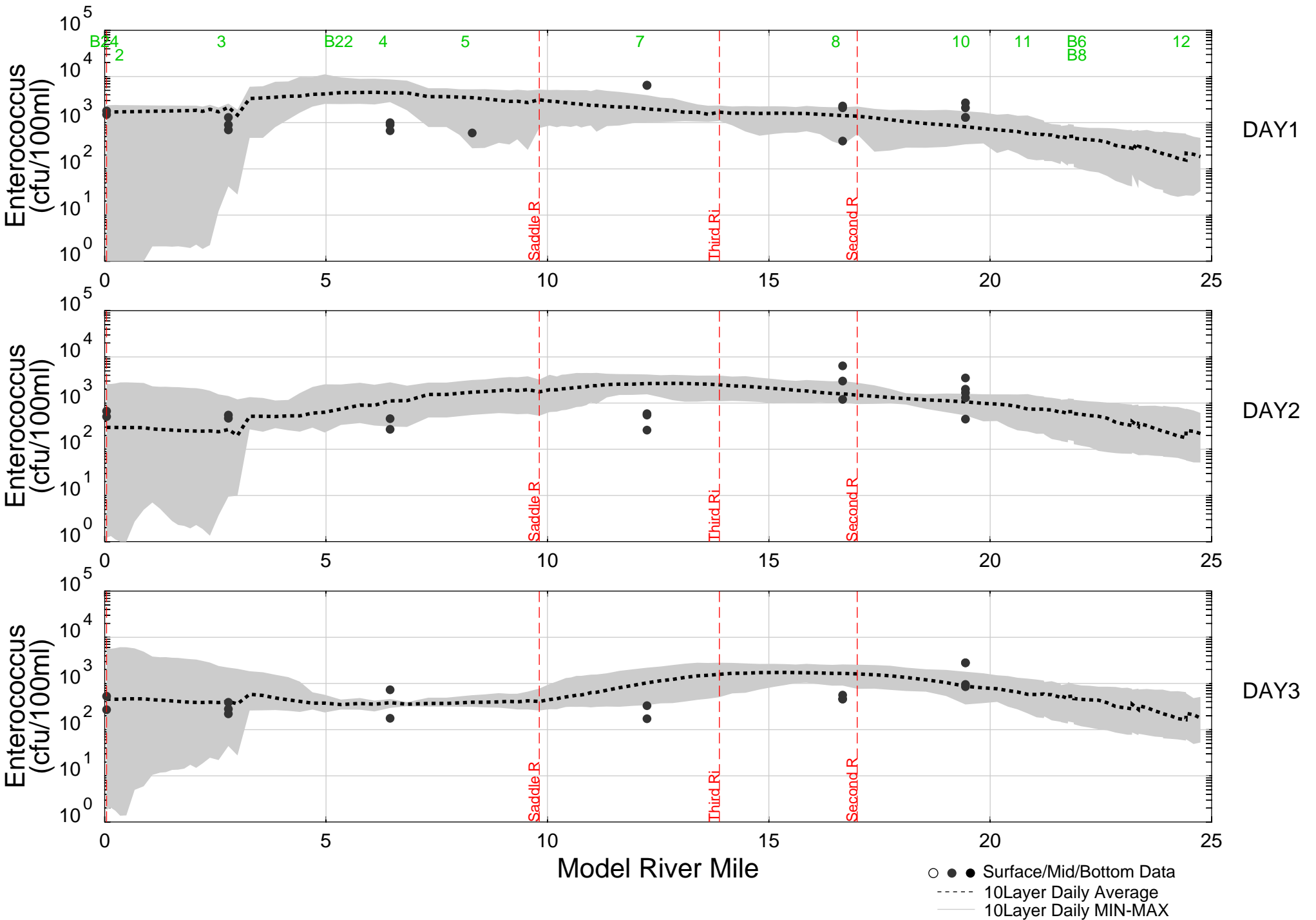


## Appendix F-6

### Additional Validation Enterococci Transect Figures

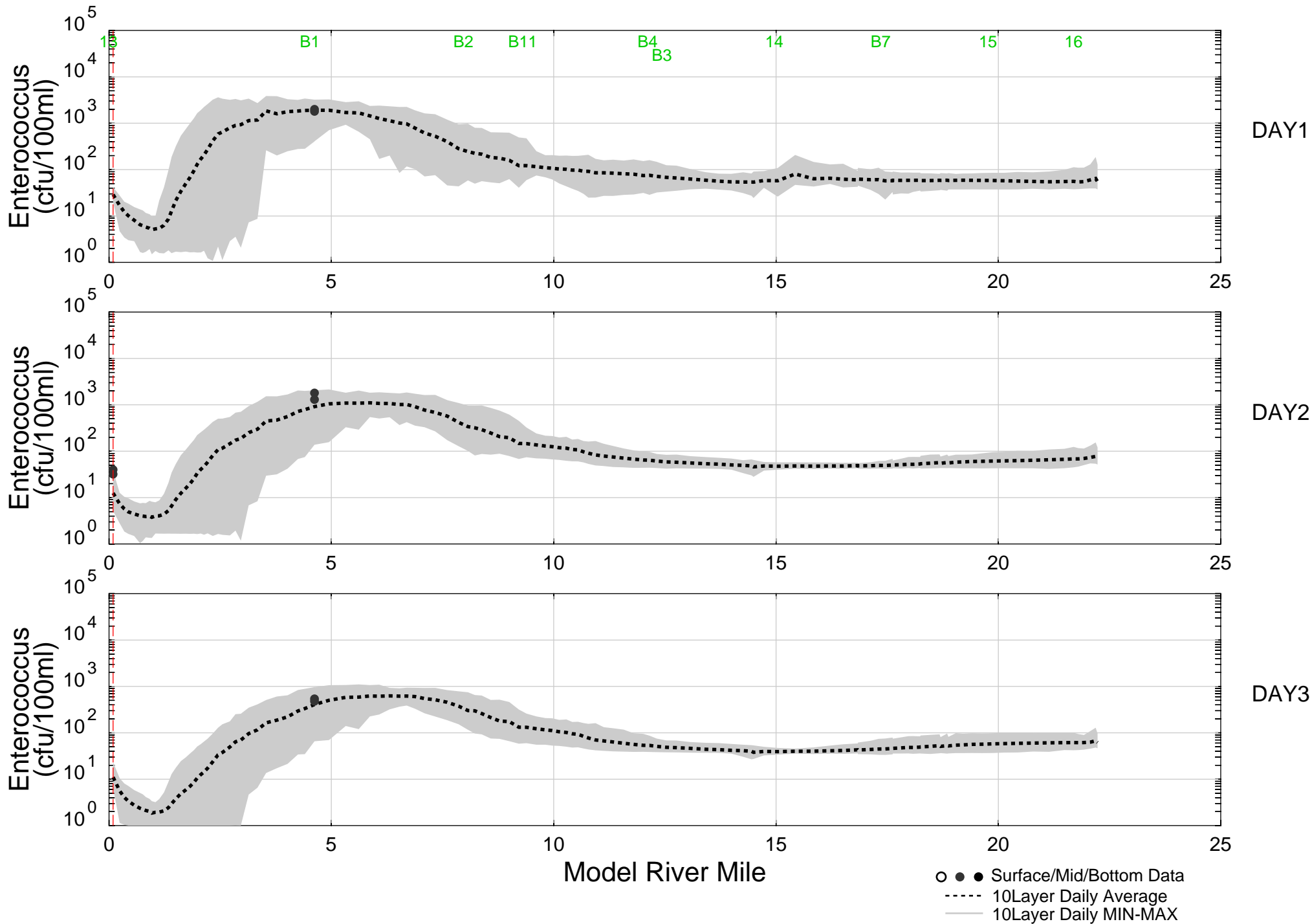
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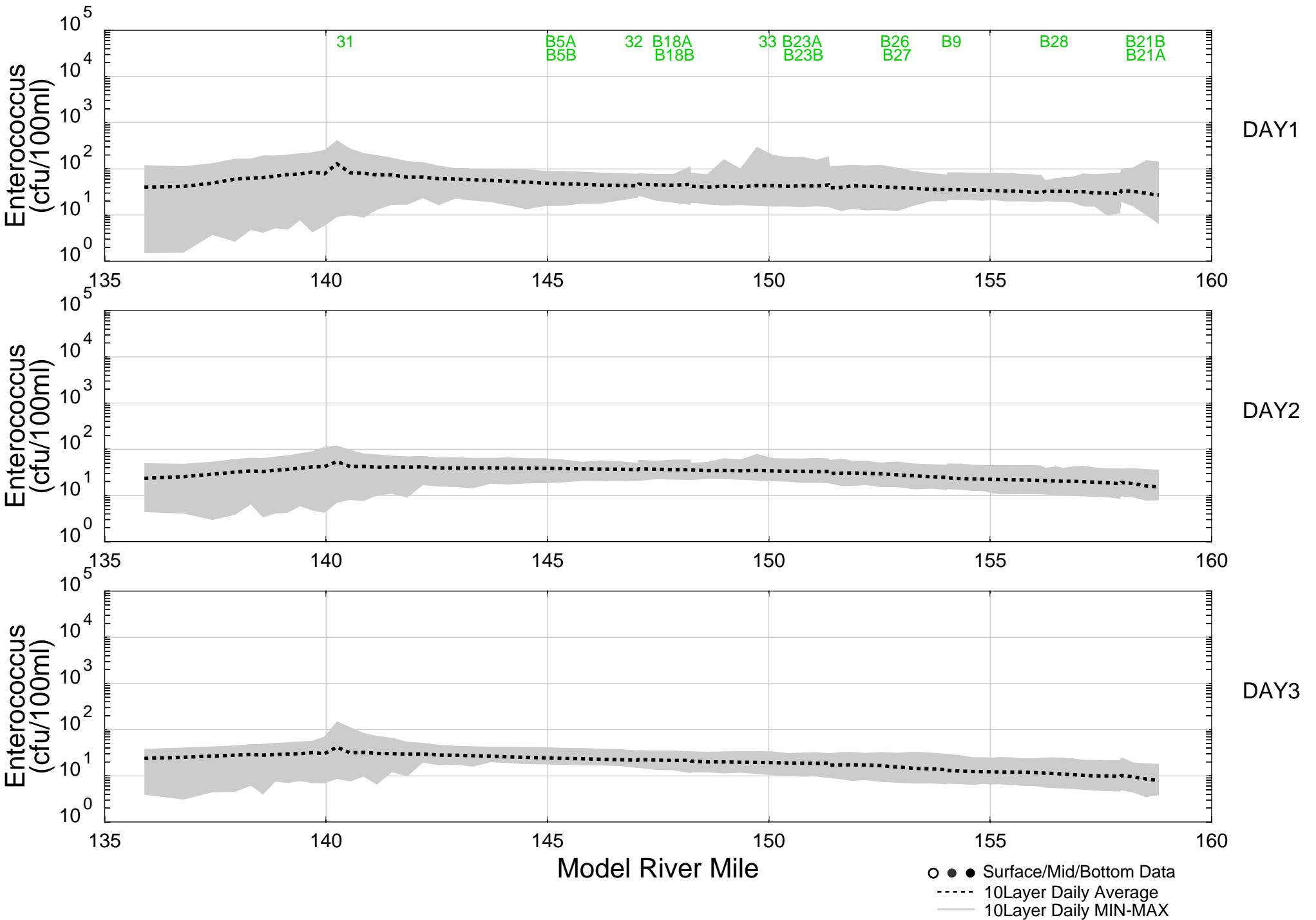
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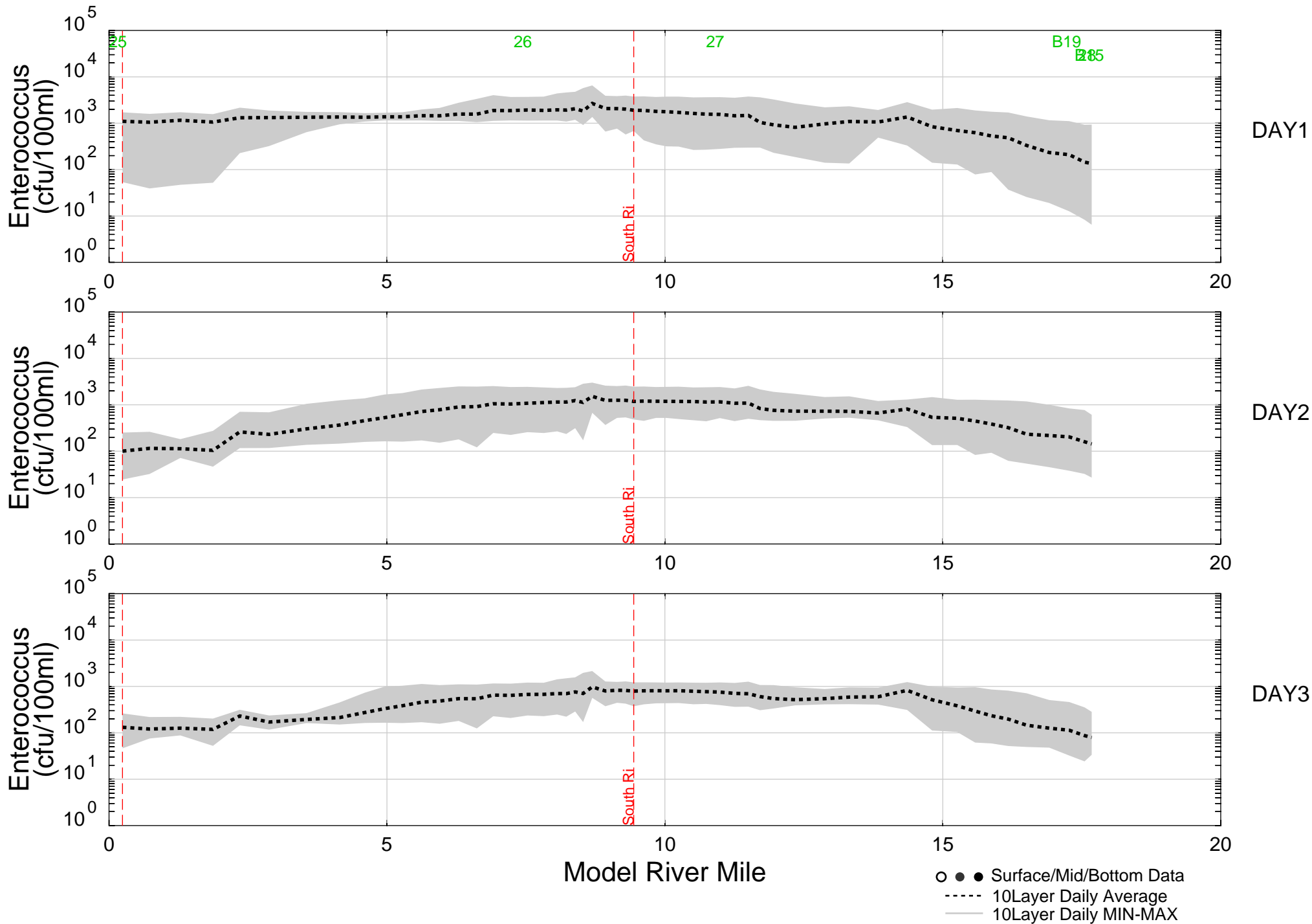
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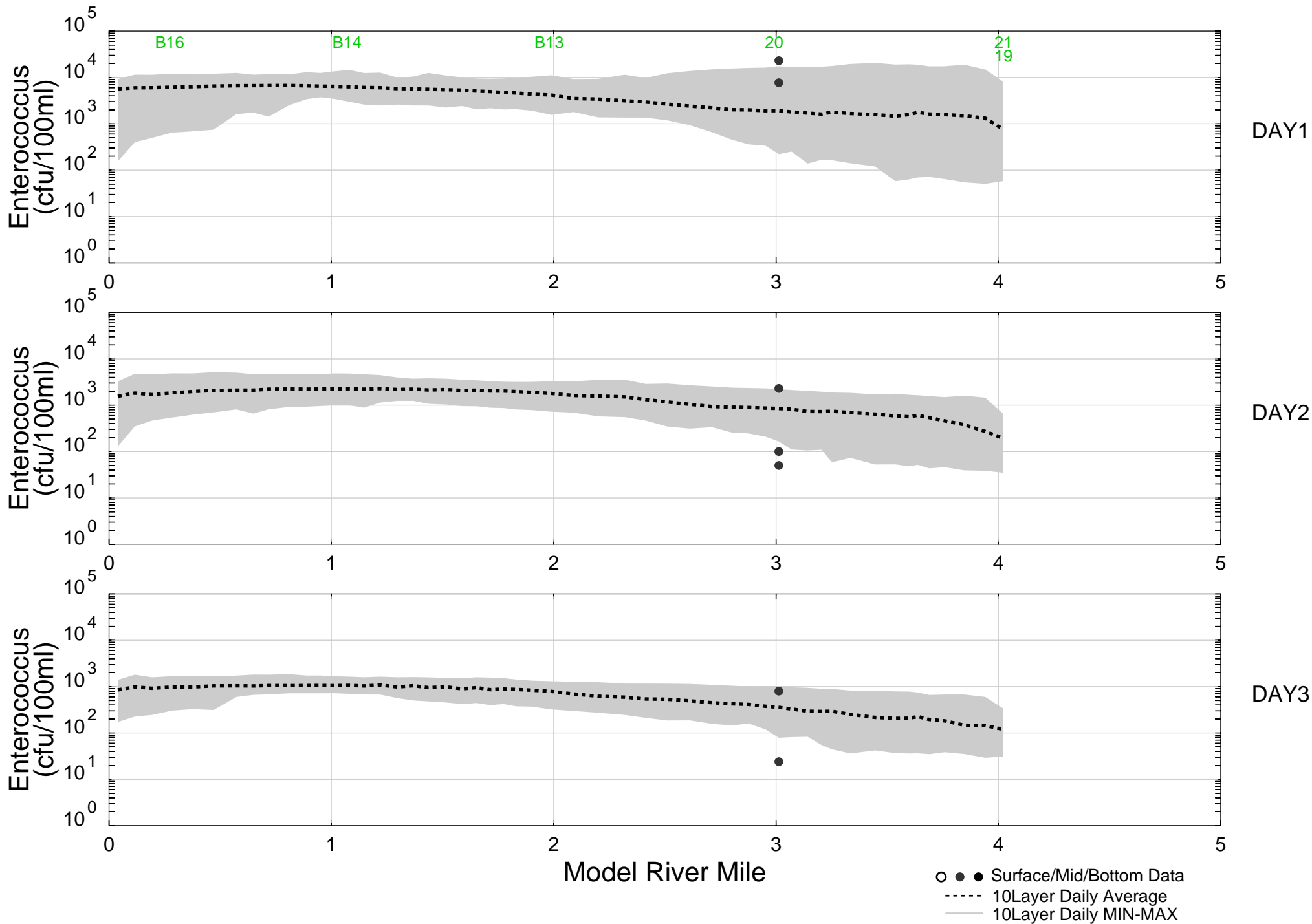
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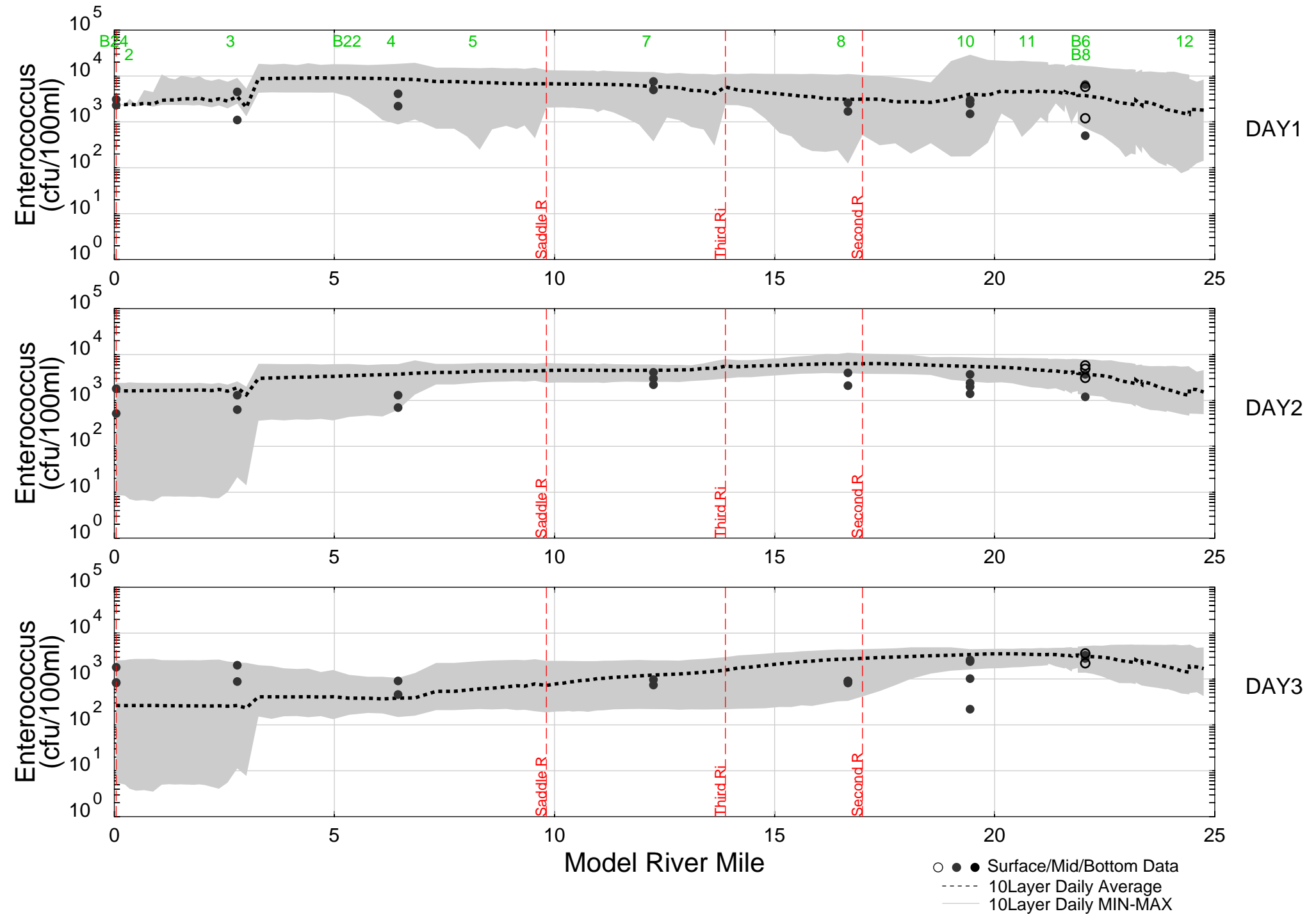
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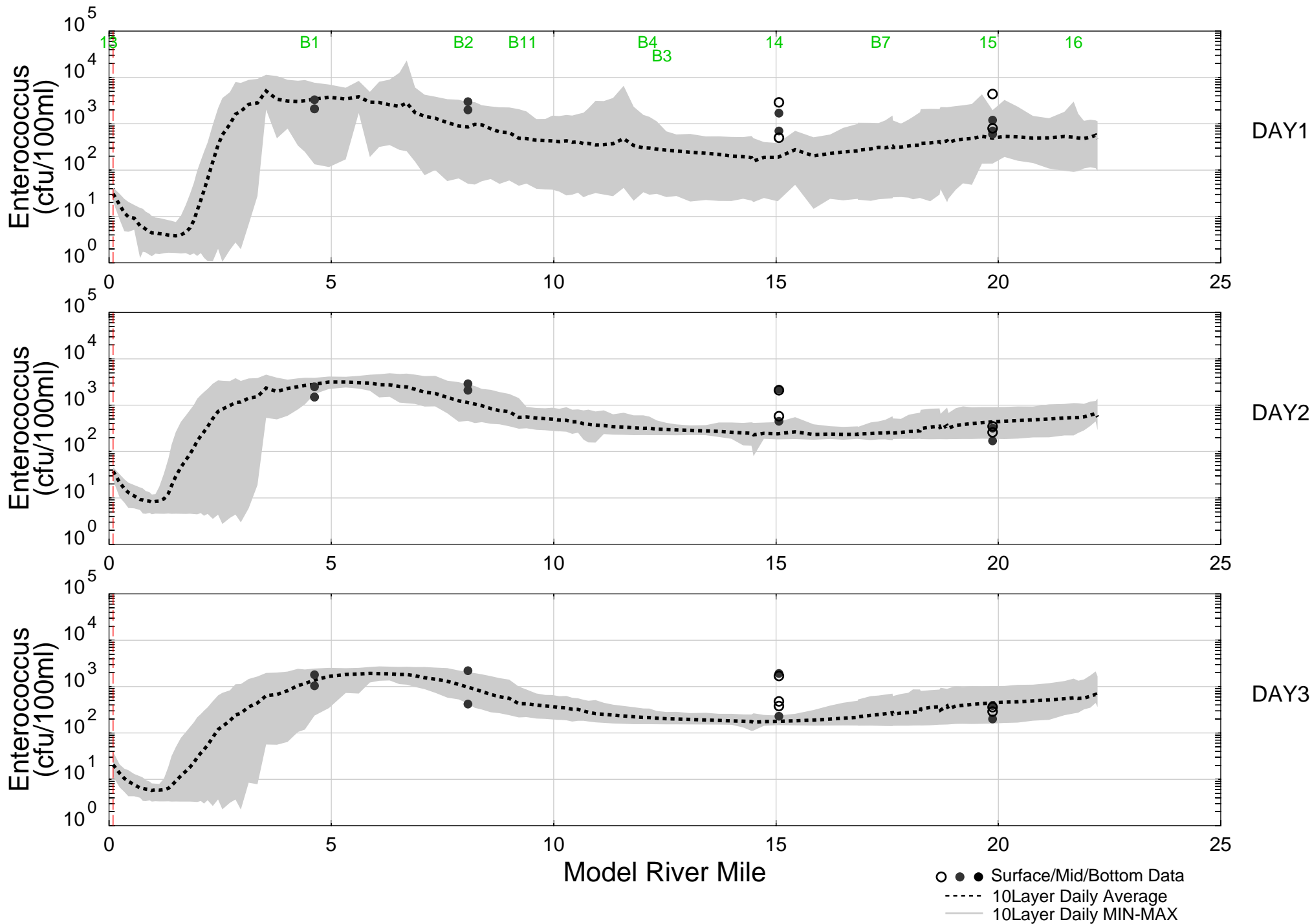
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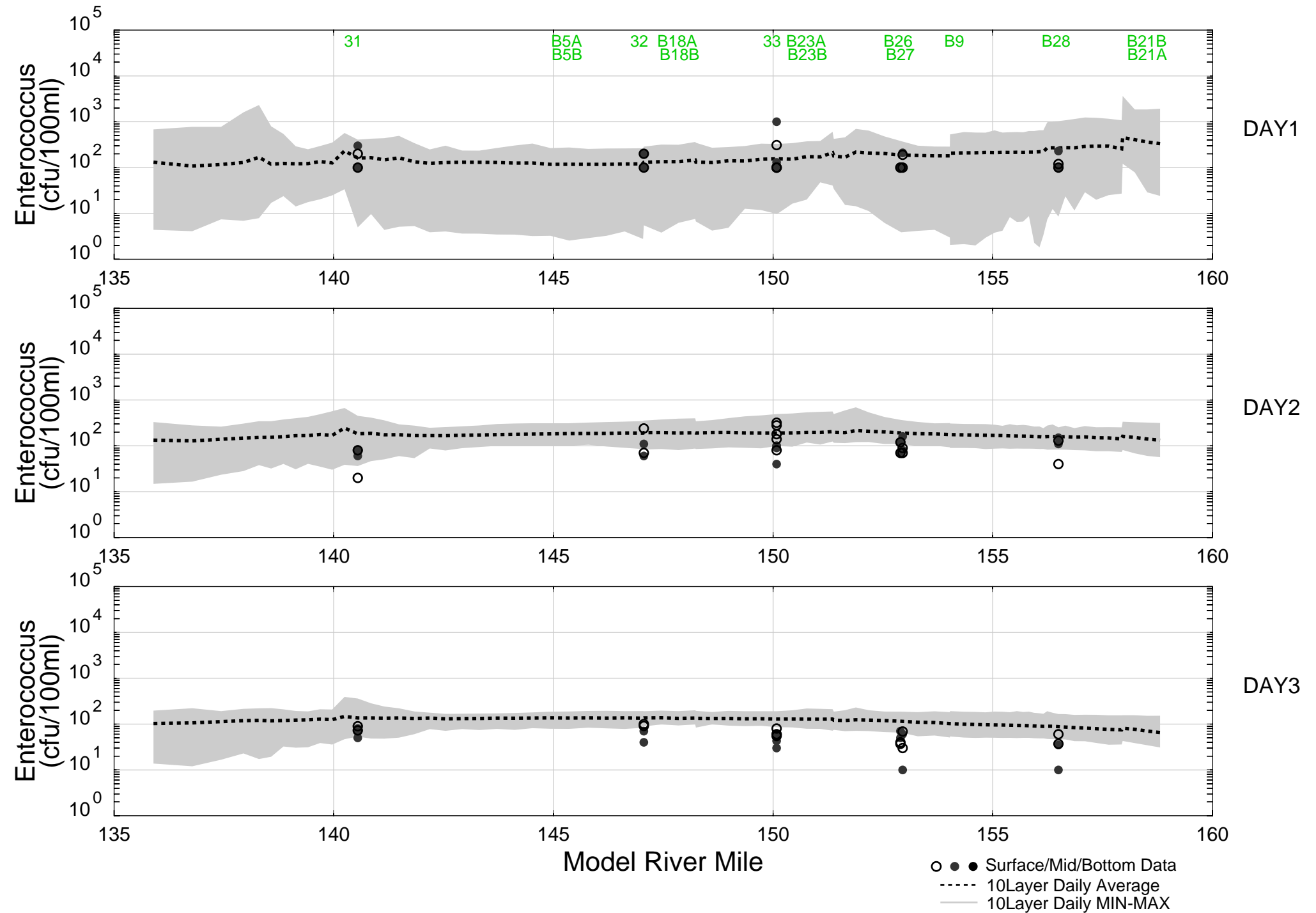
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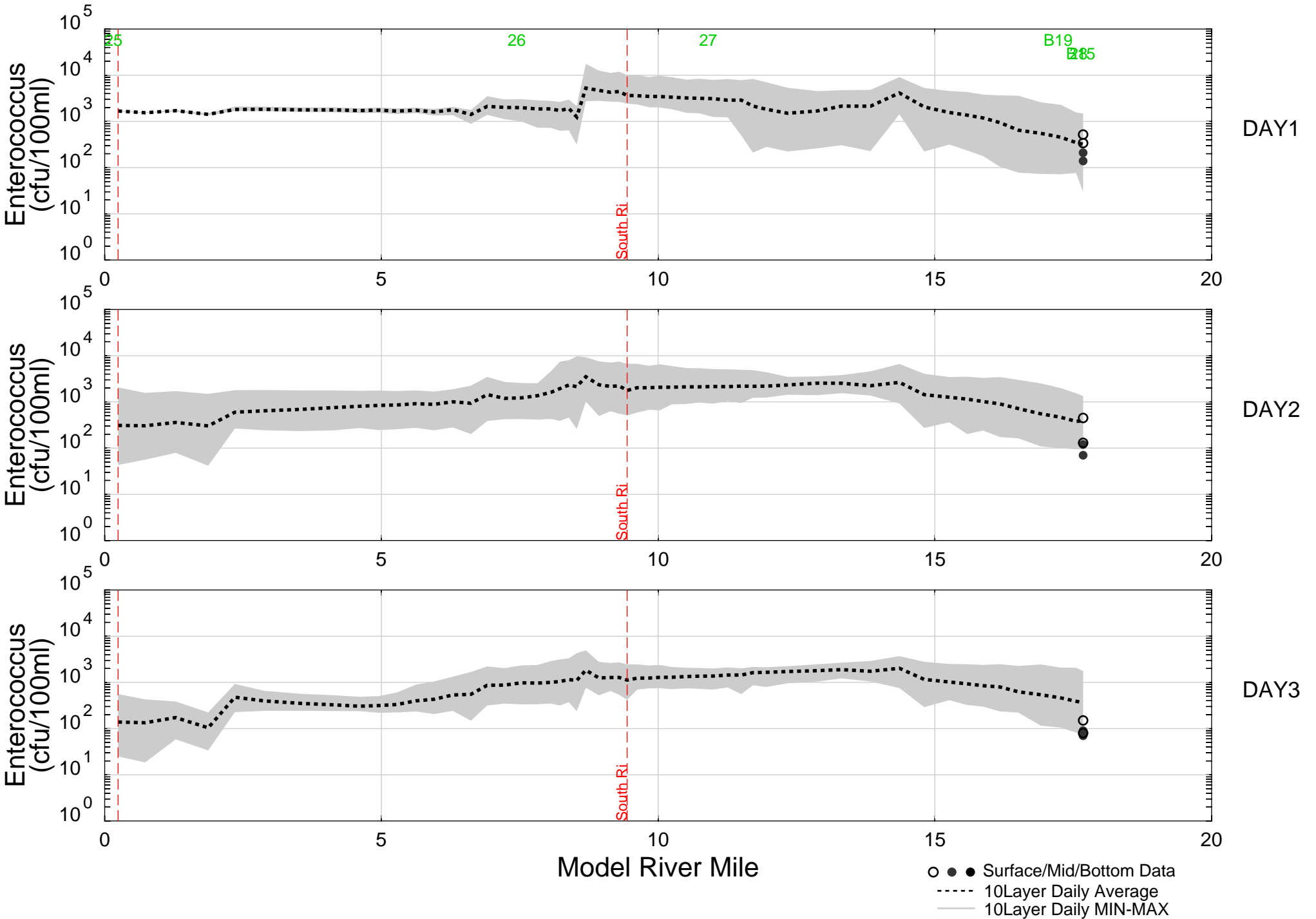
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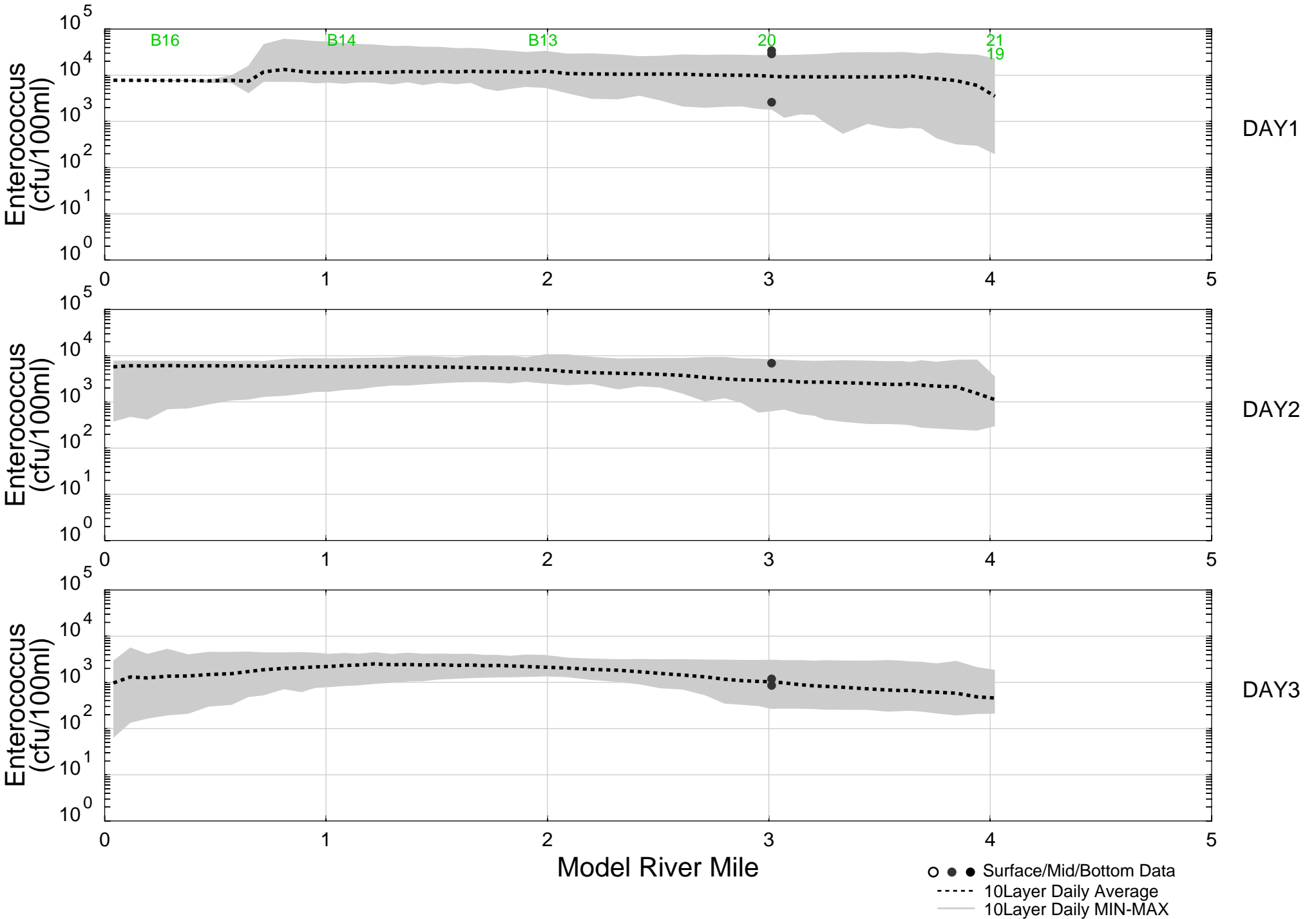
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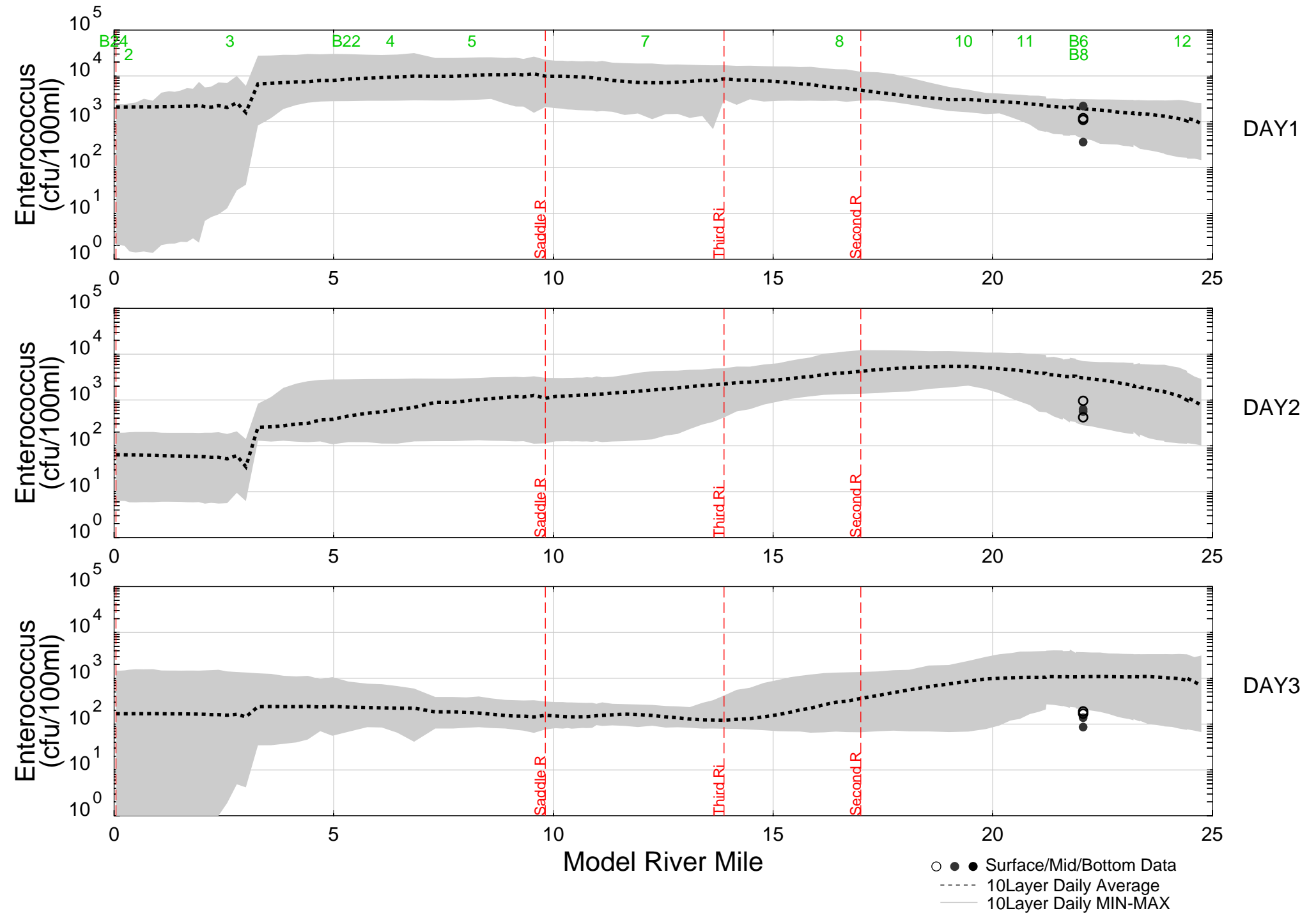
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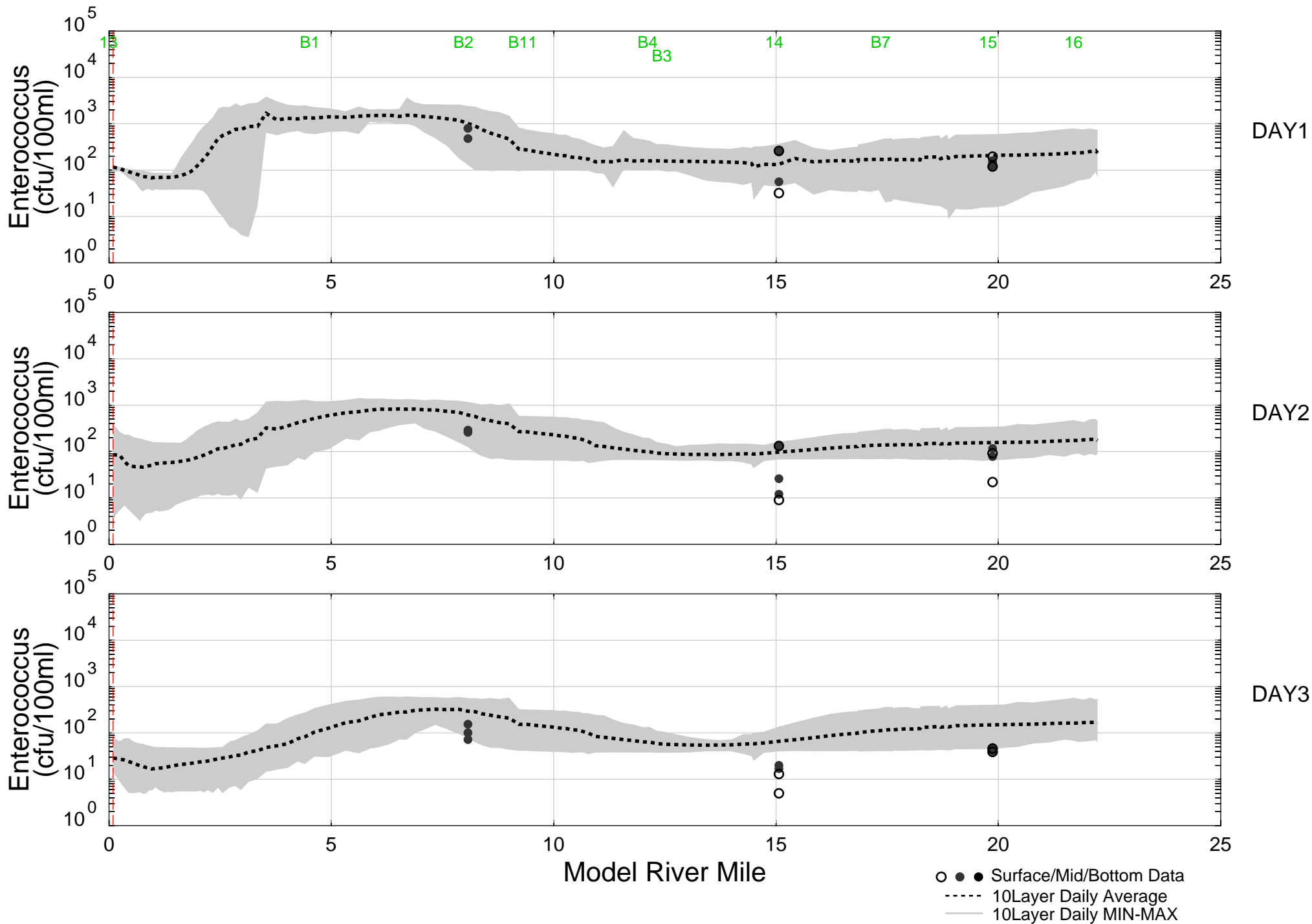
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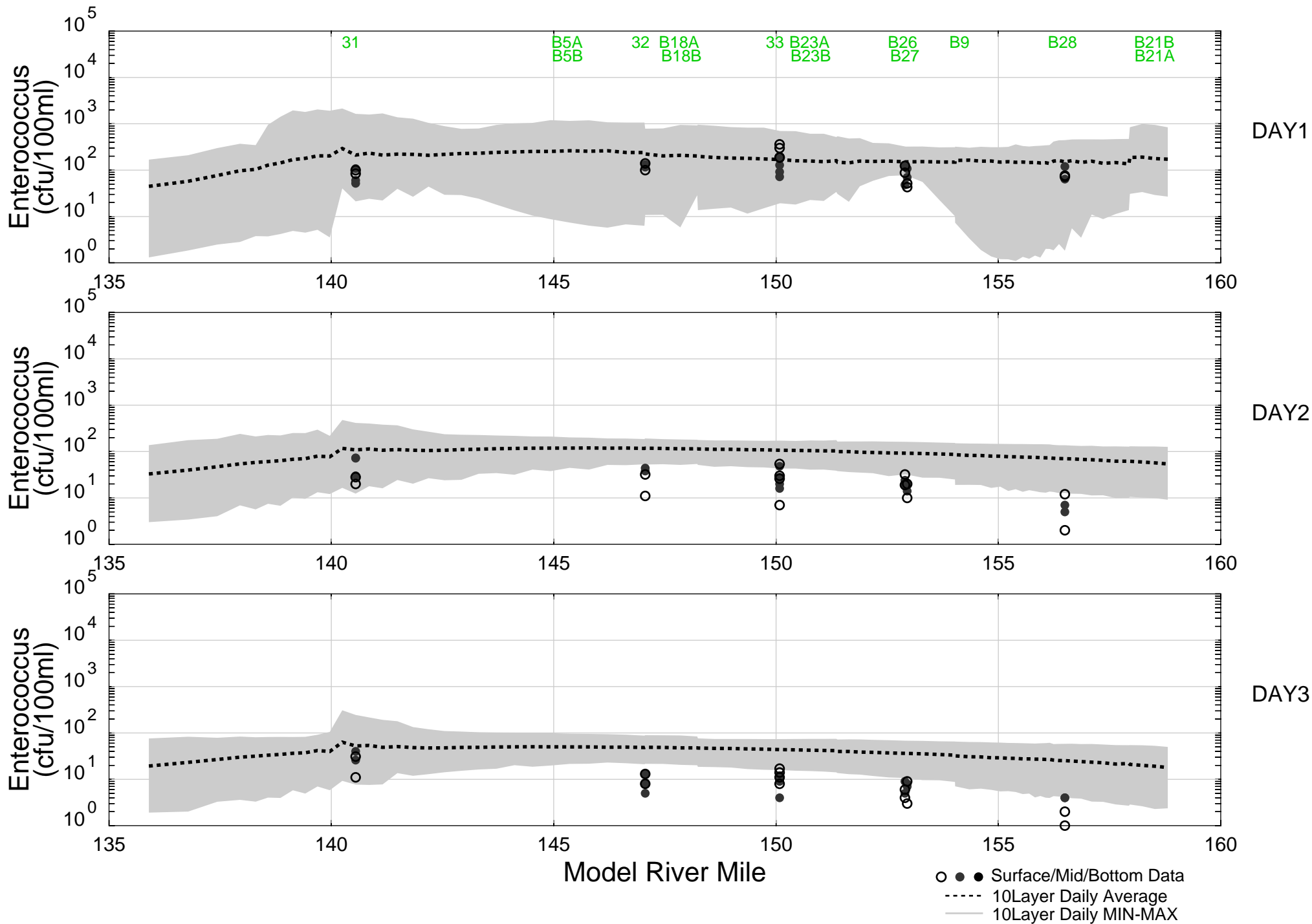
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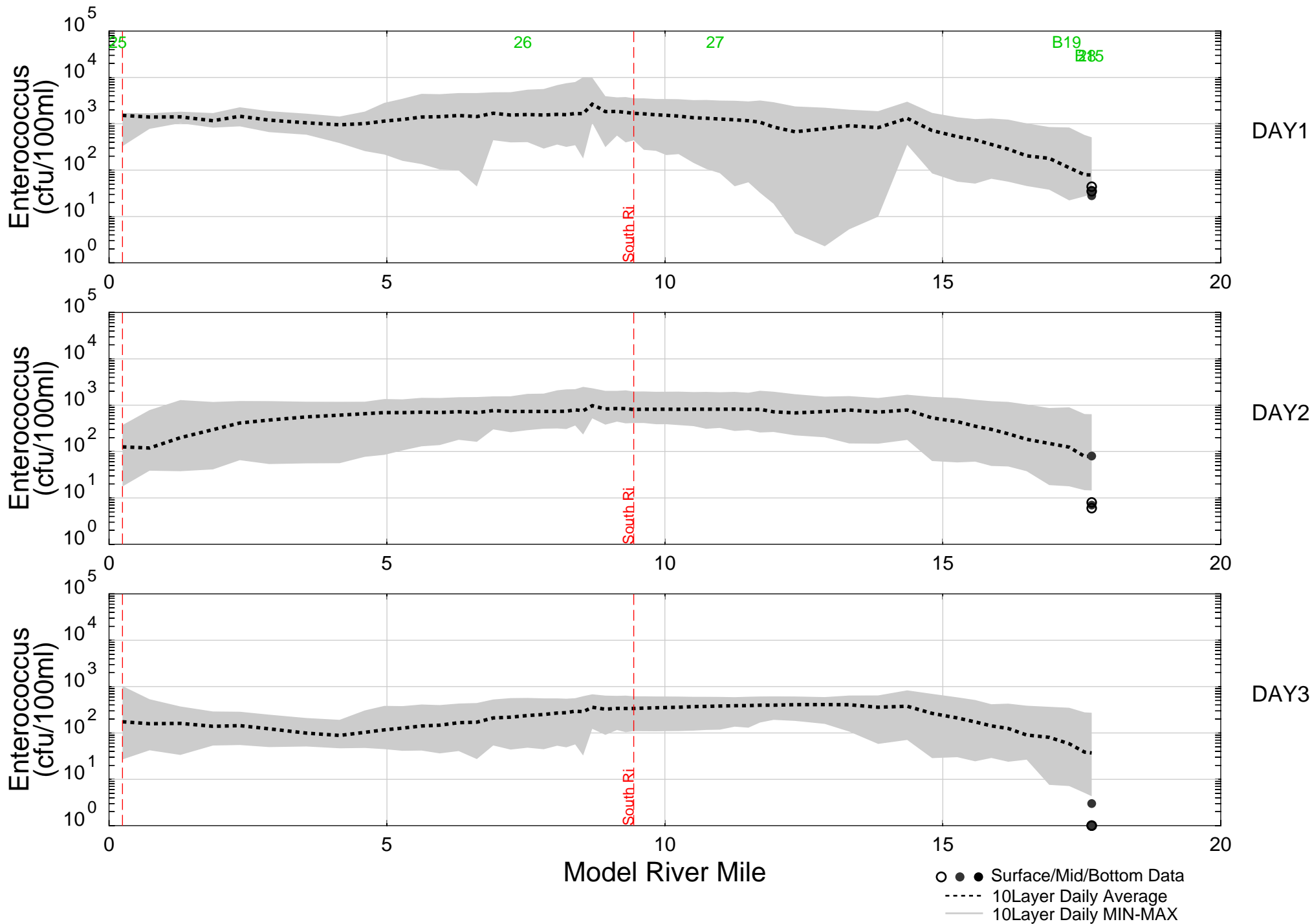
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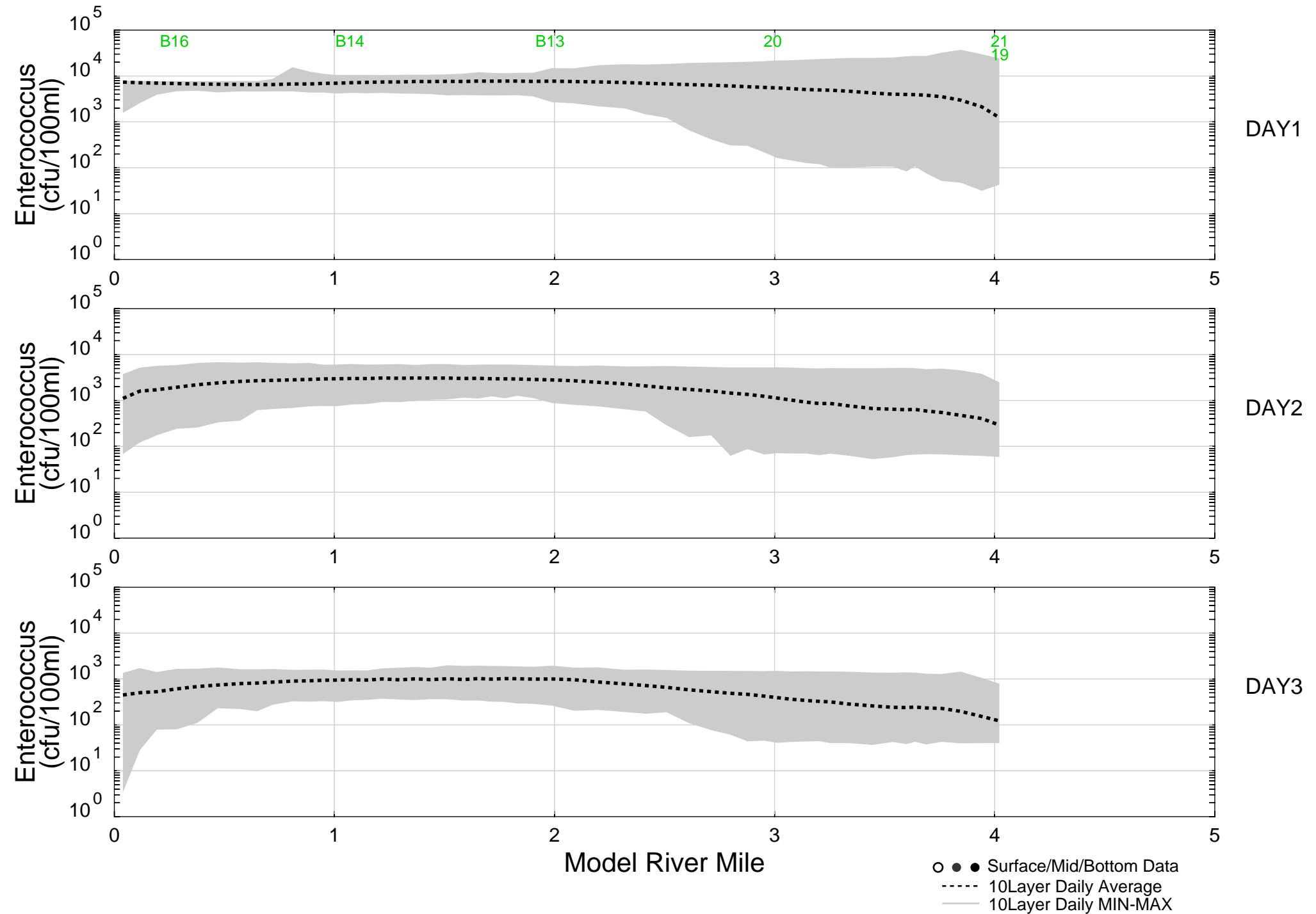
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## Raritan River Transect



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## Elizabeth River Transect







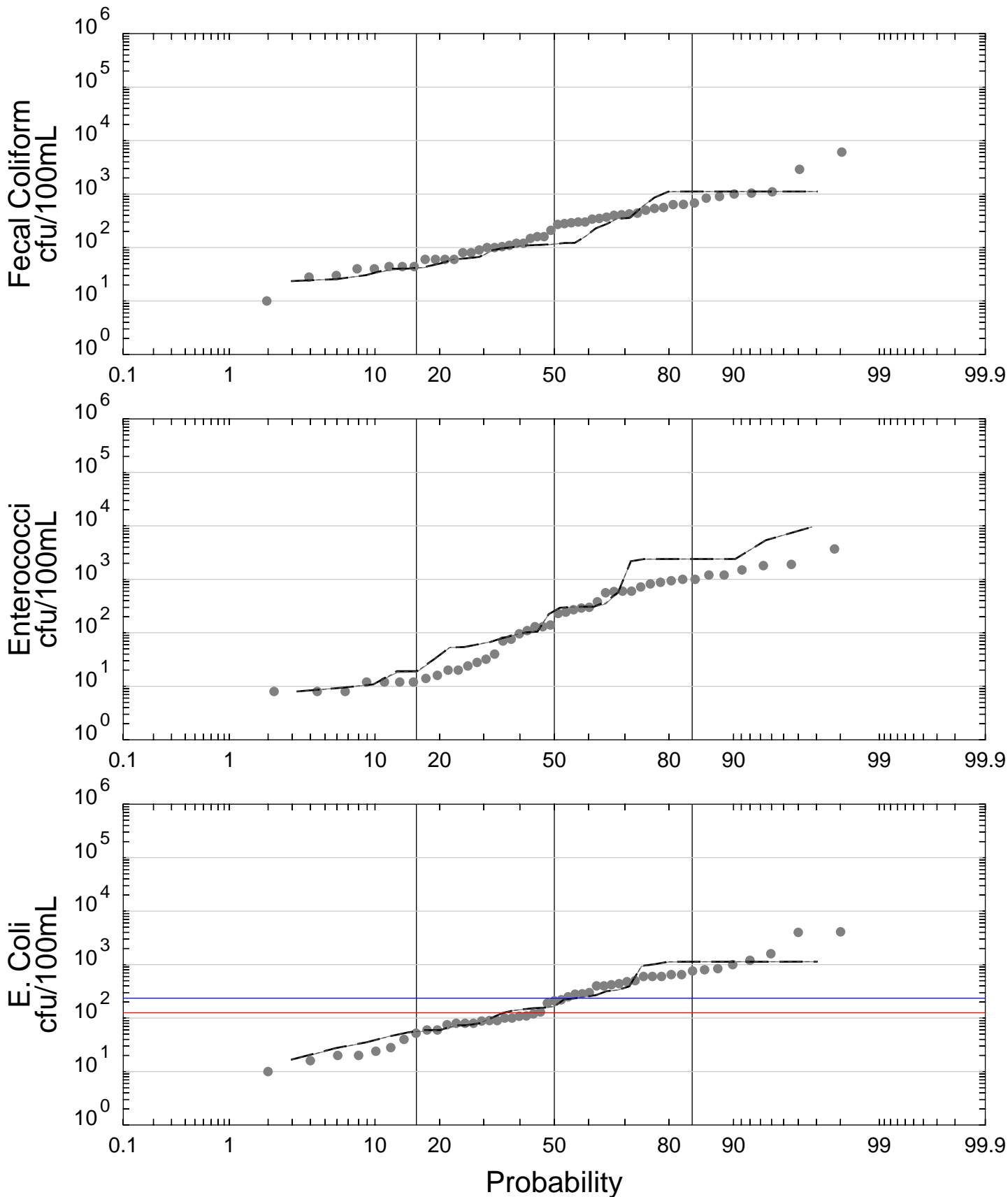
## Appendix F-7

### Additional Validation Probability Figures

# PASSAIC RIVER

# FW2

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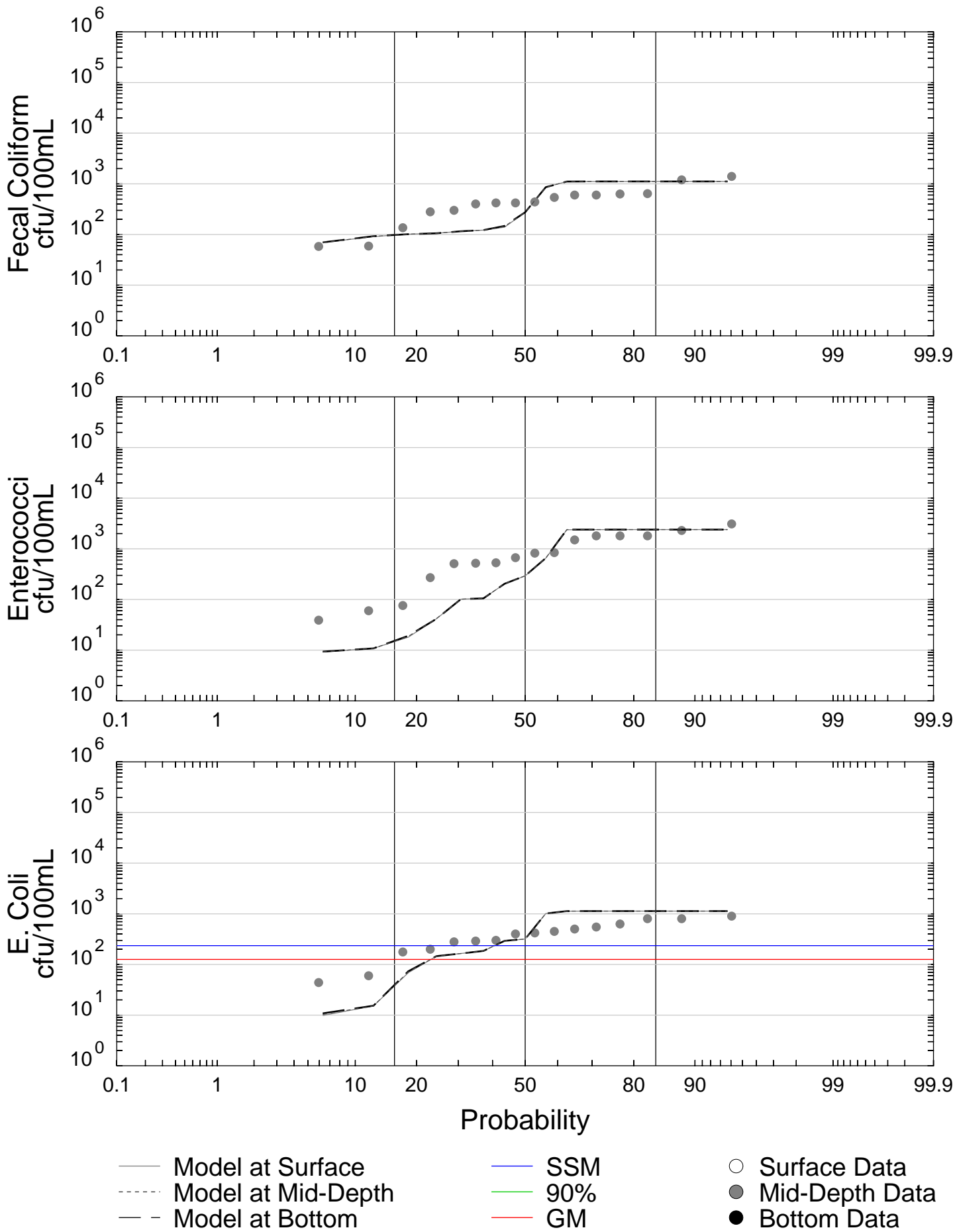
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# PASSAIC RIVER

FW2

## Station: B24

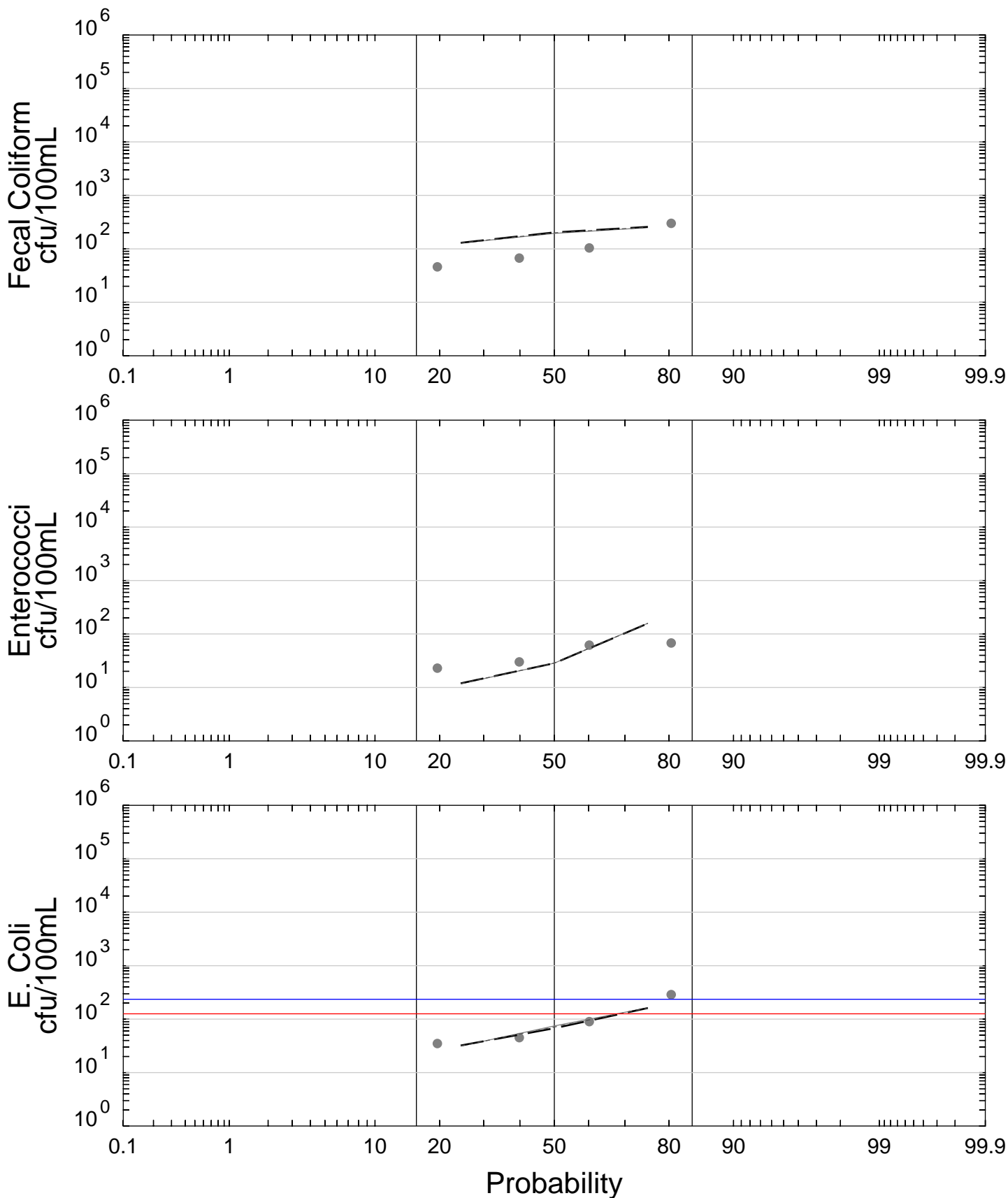


Model Results during data sampling hours only

# PASSAIC RIVER

# FW2

## Station: 2



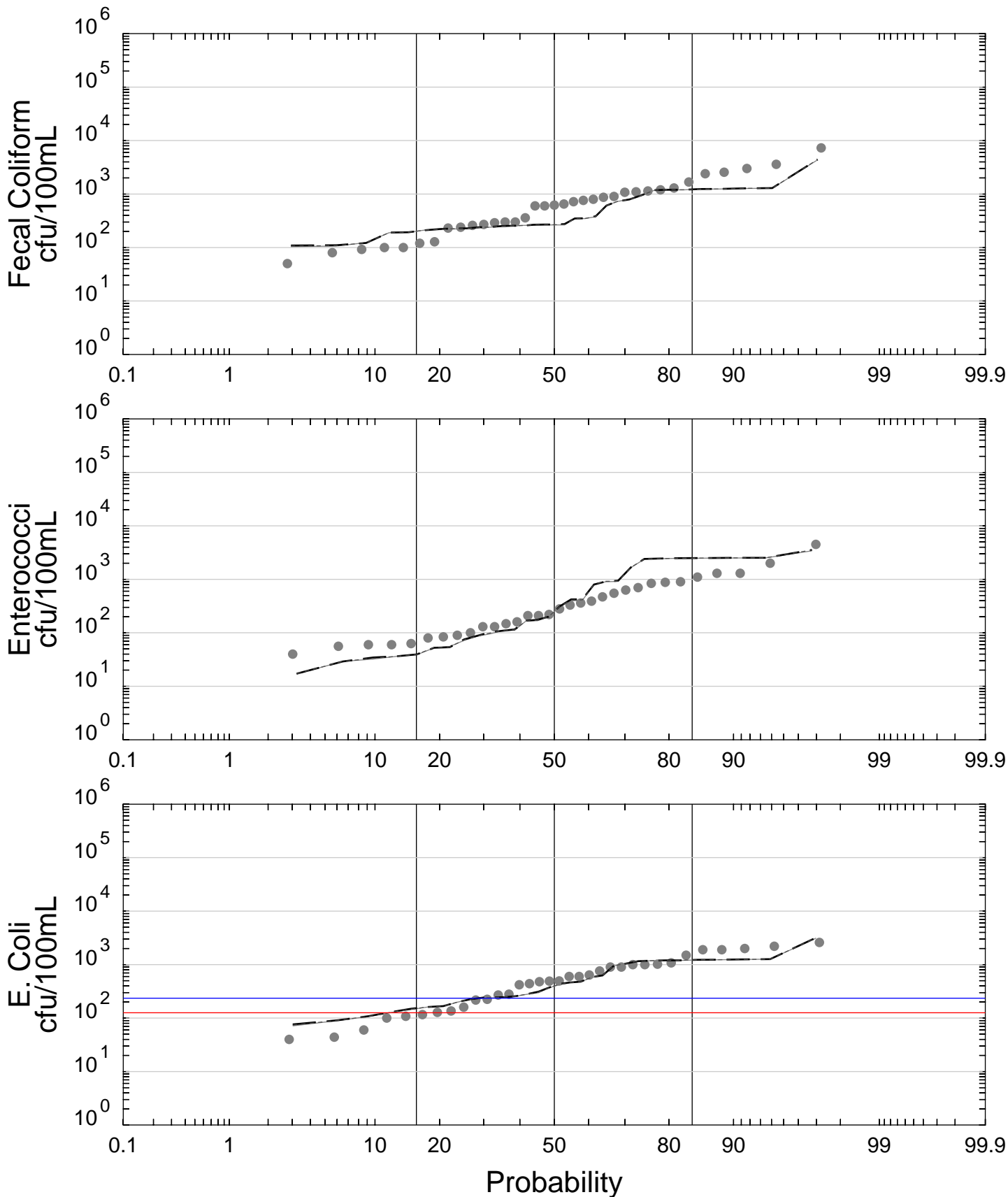
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- . - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# PASSAIC RIVER

# FW2

## Station: 3



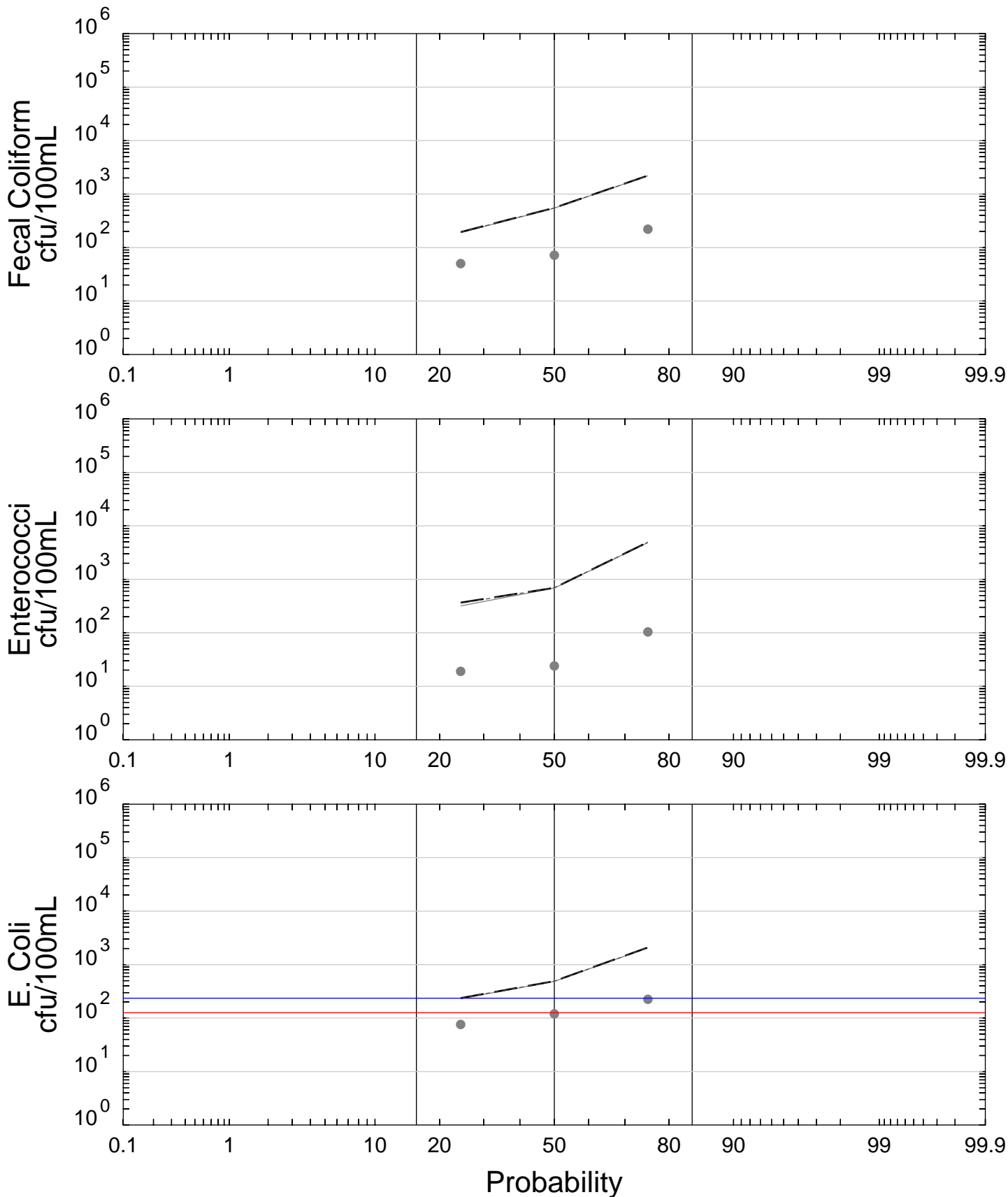
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# PASSAIC RIVER

# FW2

## Station: B22



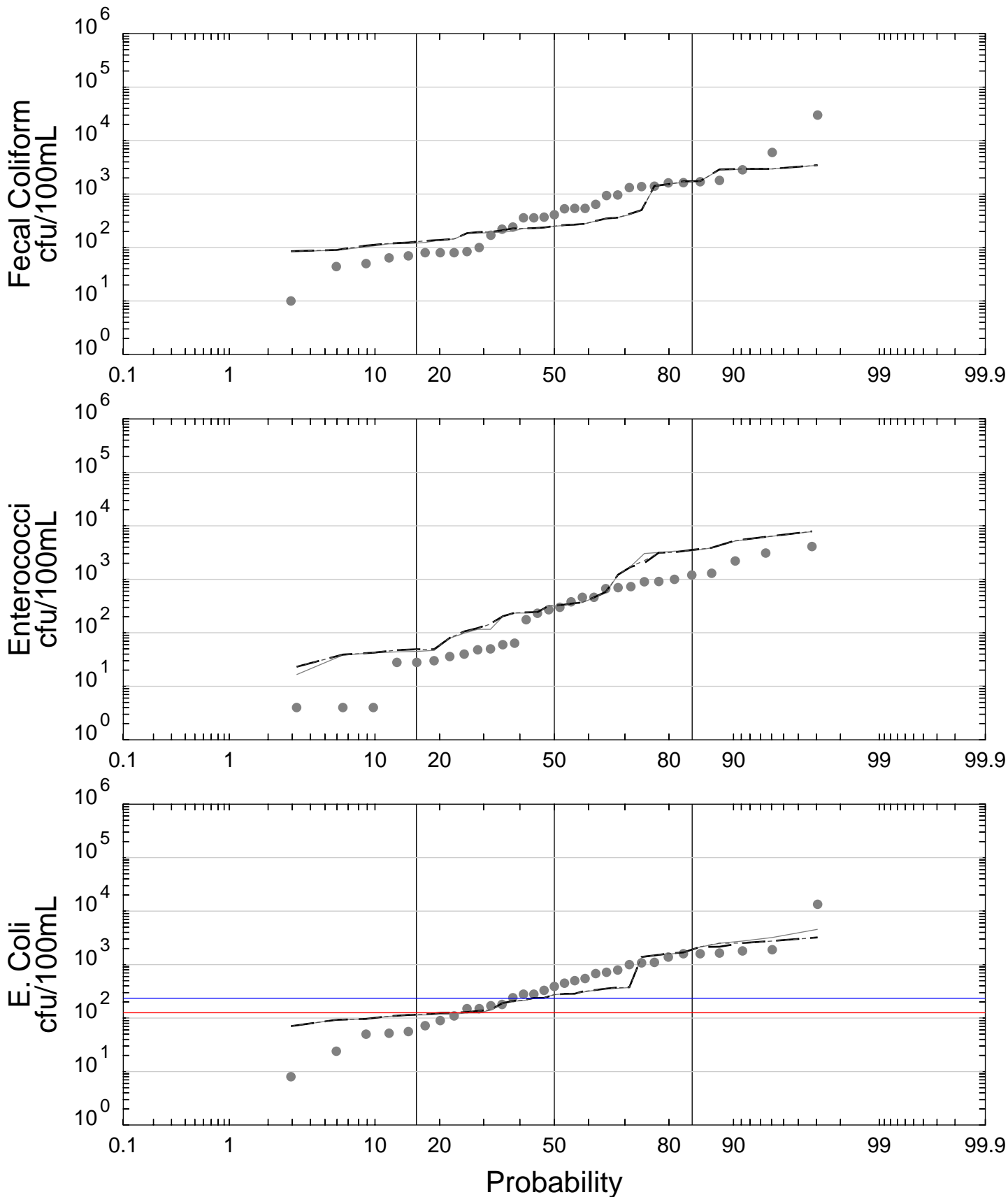
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom
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- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# PASSAIC RIVER

# FW2

## Station: 4



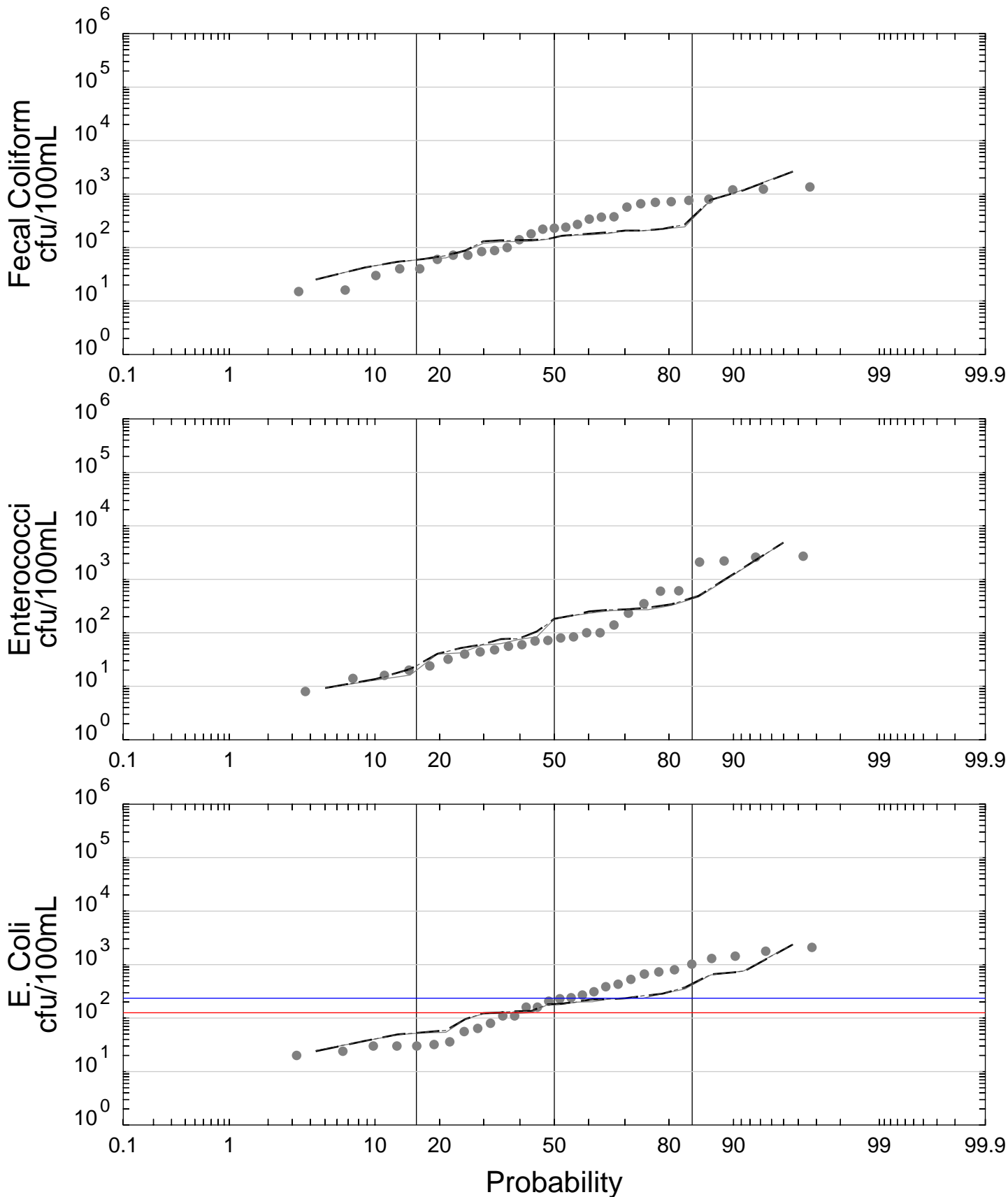
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom
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- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# PASSAIC RIVER

# FW2

## Station: 5

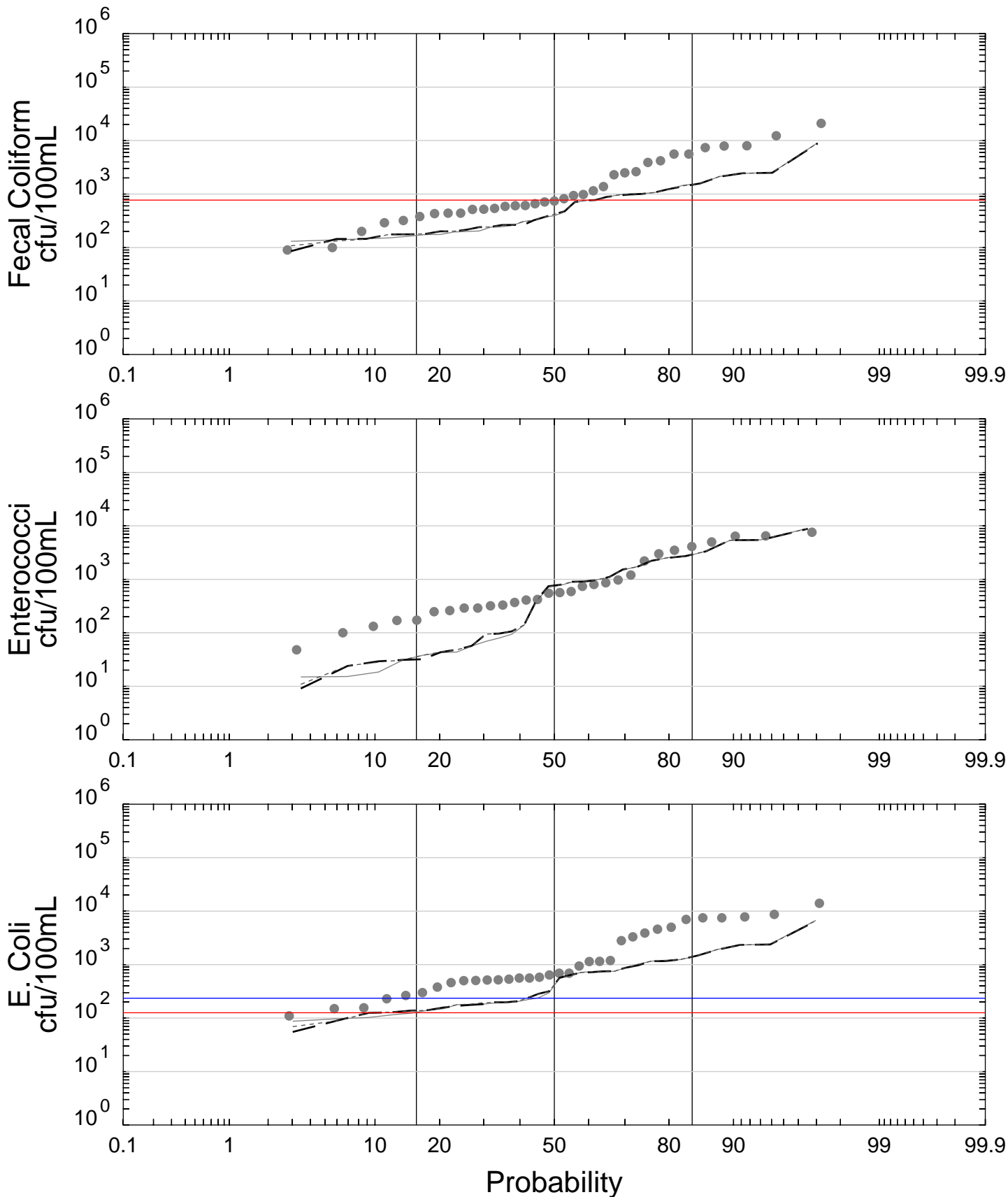


- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- . - Model at Bottom
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- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only



## Station: 7

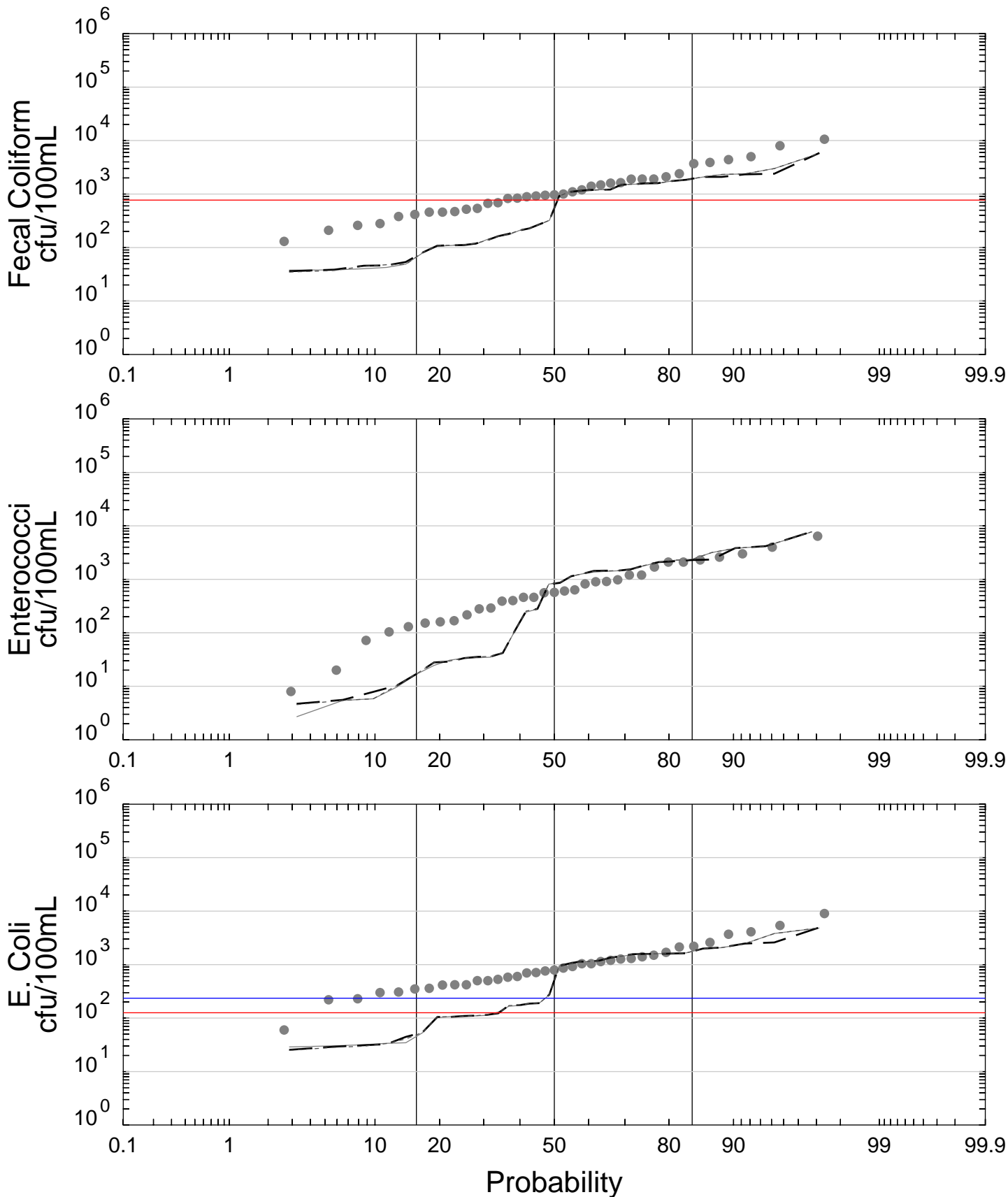


Model Results during data sampling hours only

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## FW2/SE2

### Station: 8



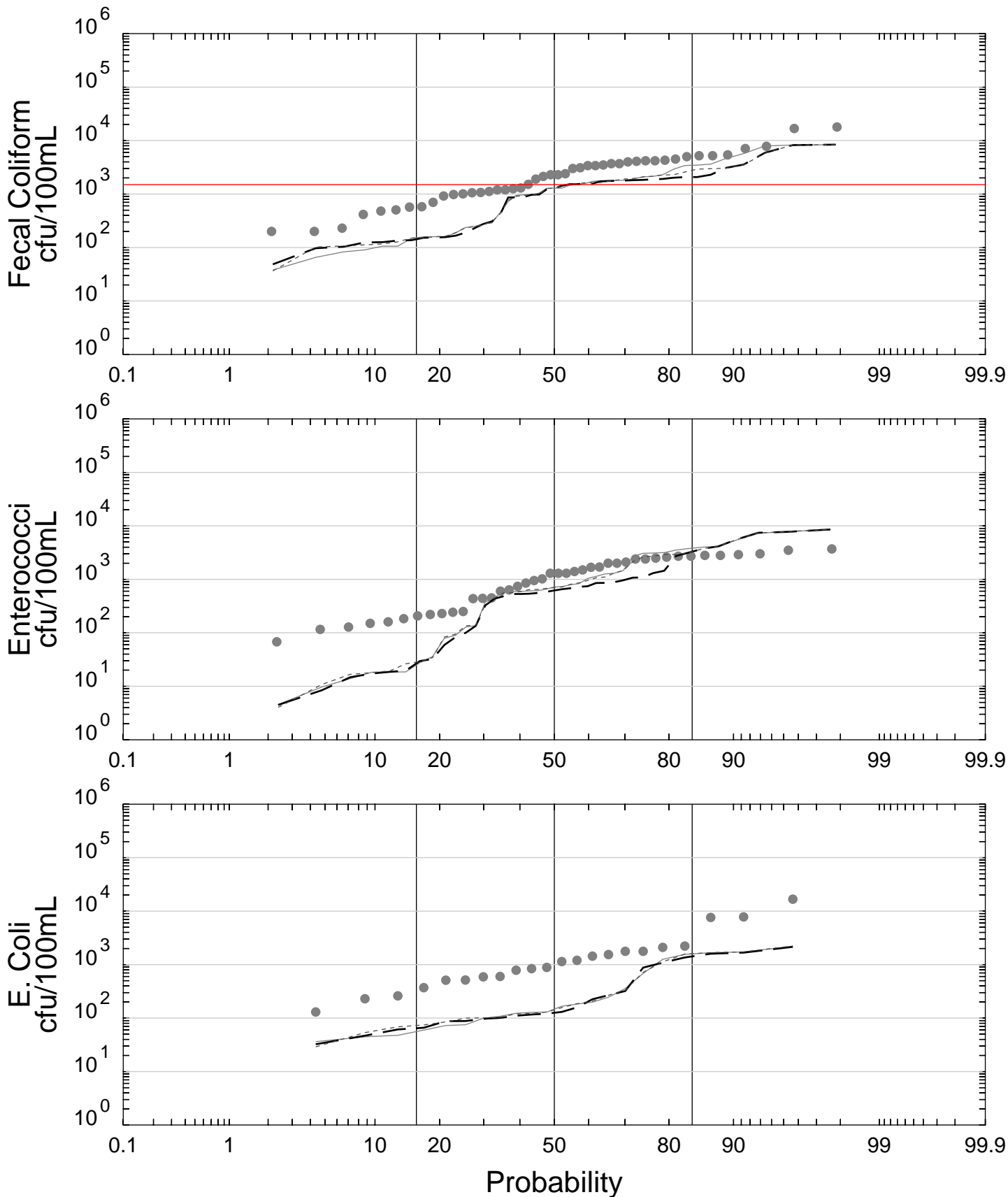
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- · - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# PASSAIC RIVER

SE3

Station: 10



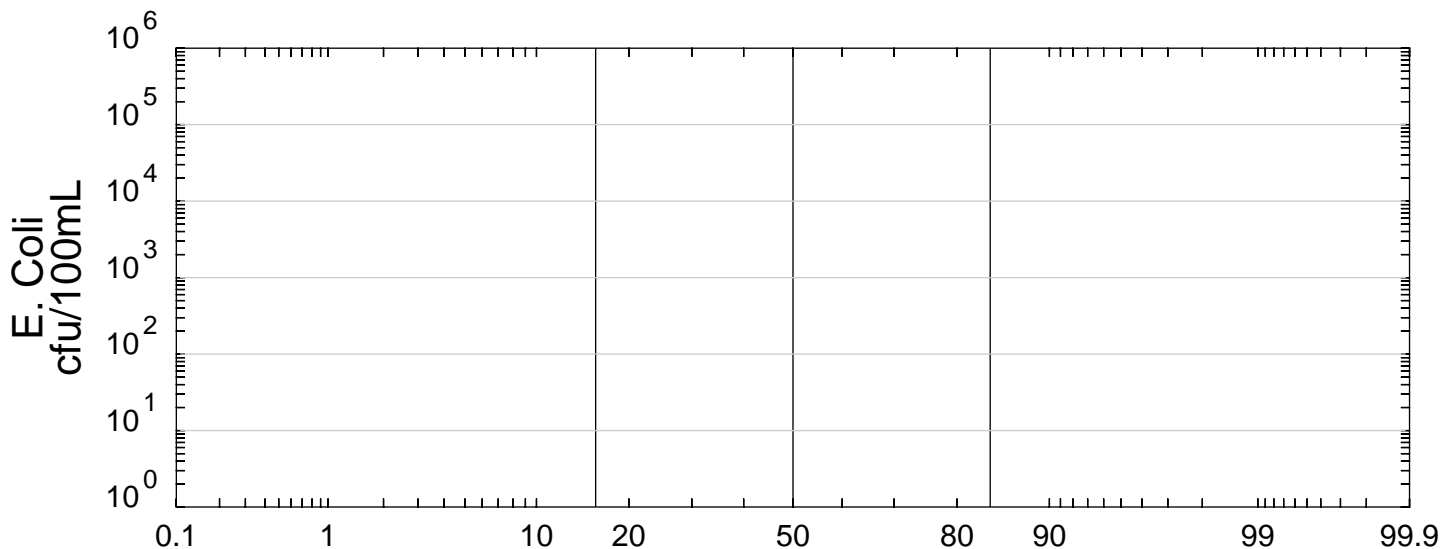
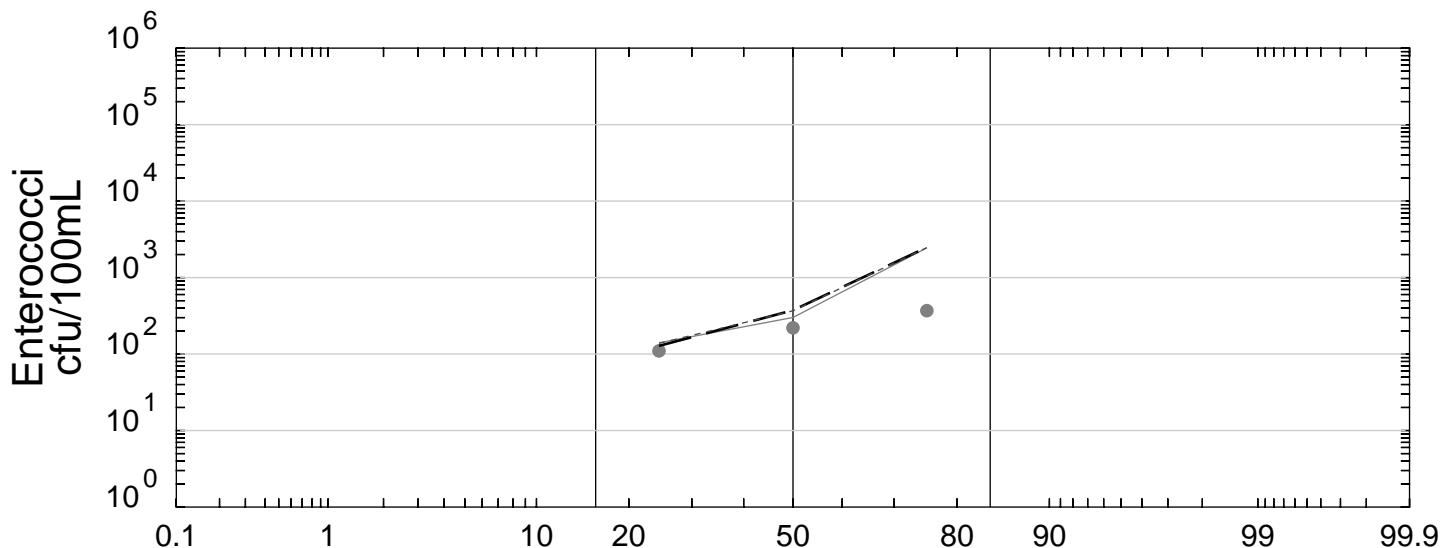
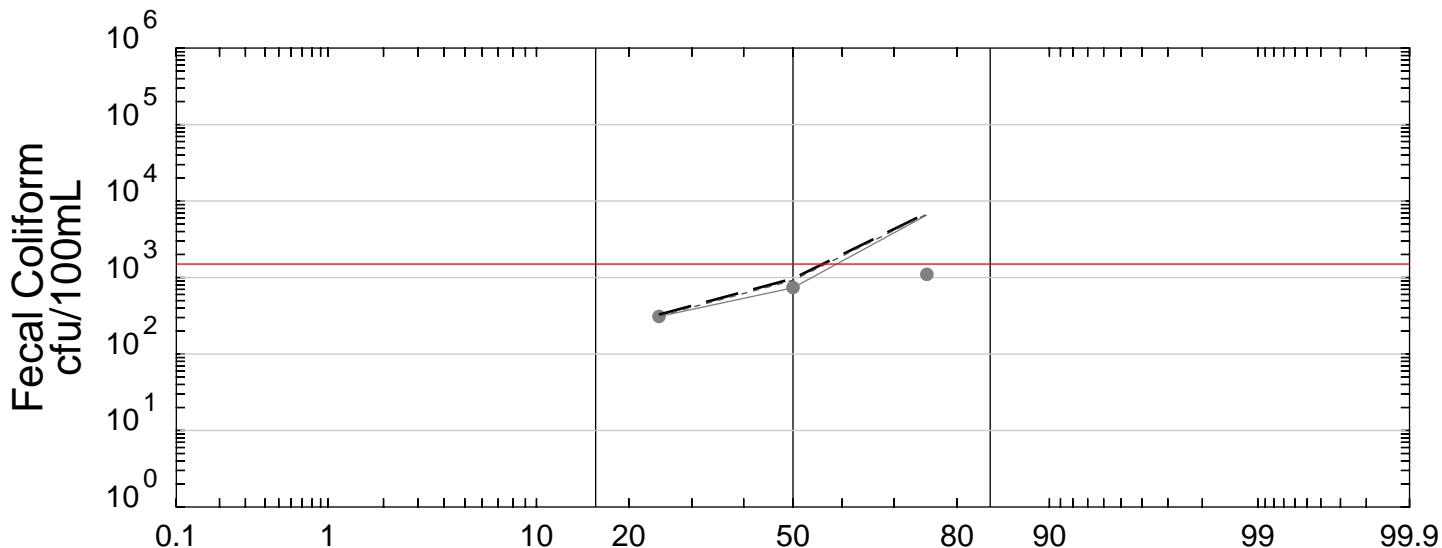
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# PASSAIC RIVER

# SE3

## Station: 11



Probability

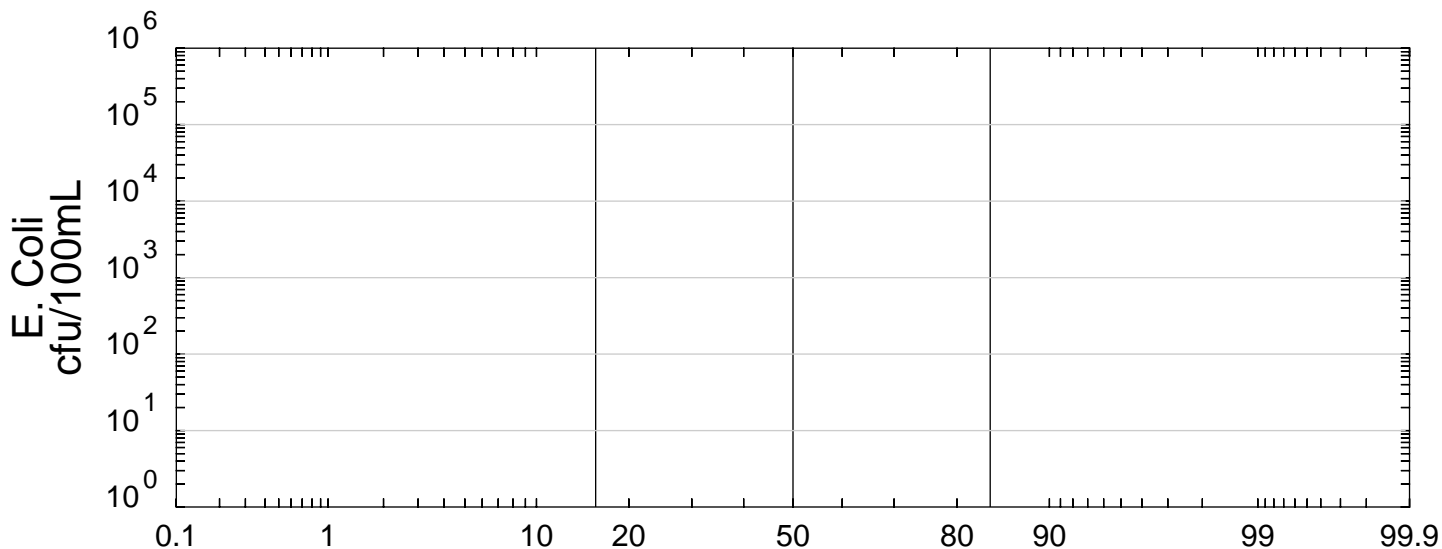
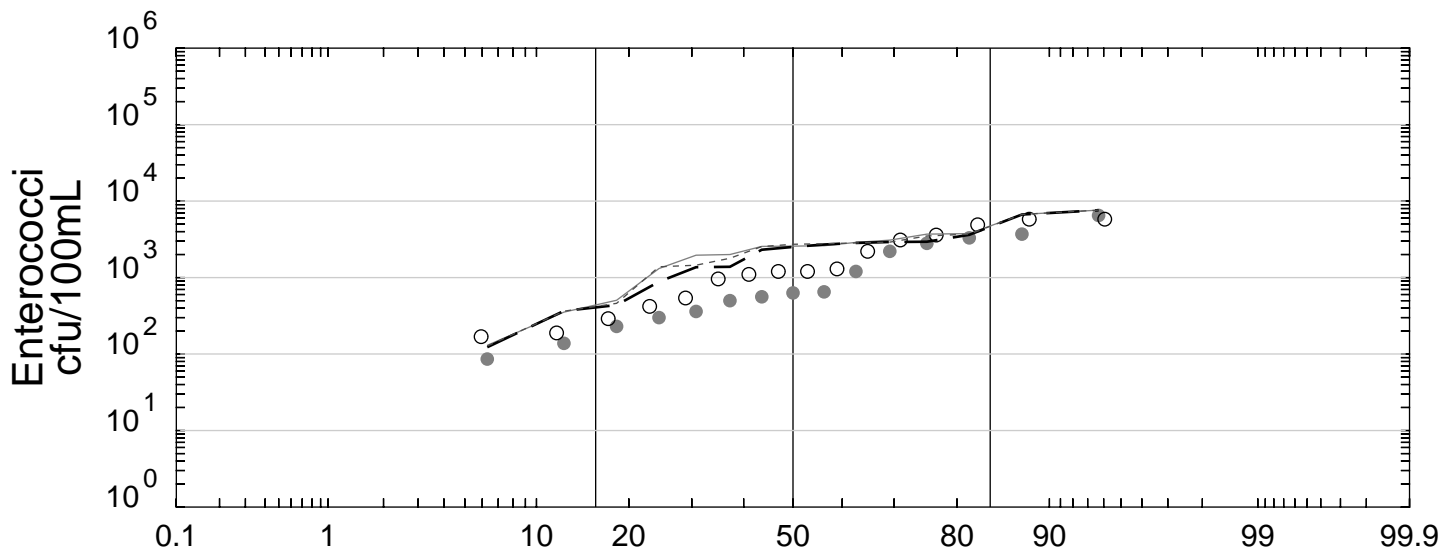
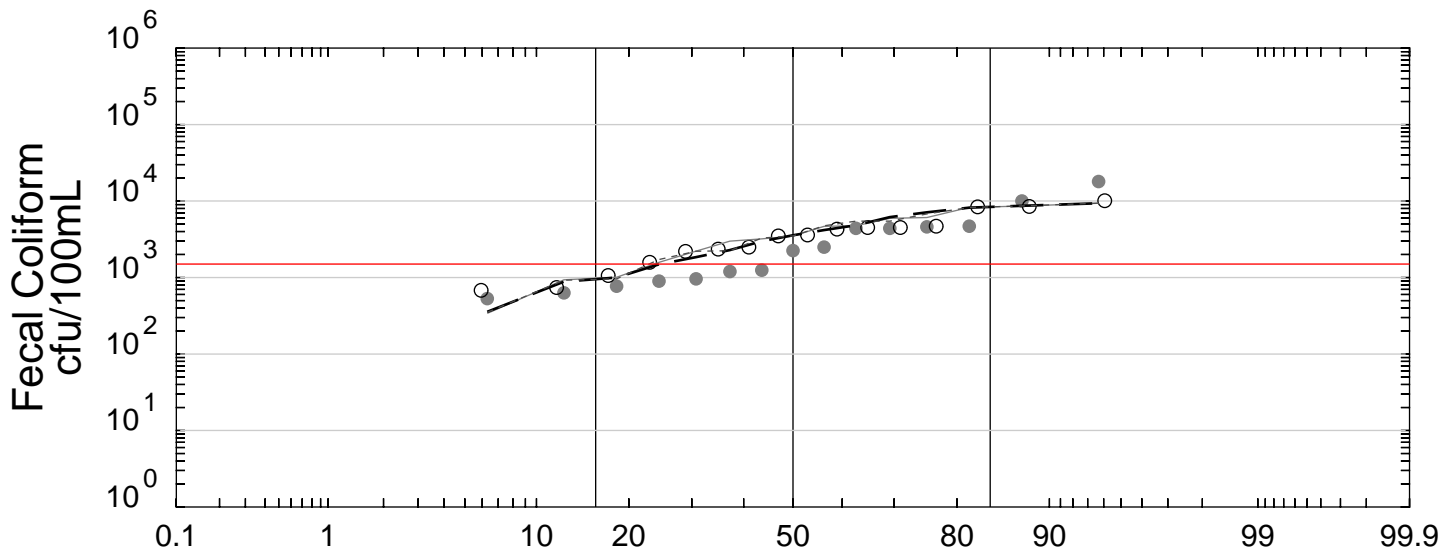
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# PASSAIC RIVER

# SE3

## Station: B6



Probability

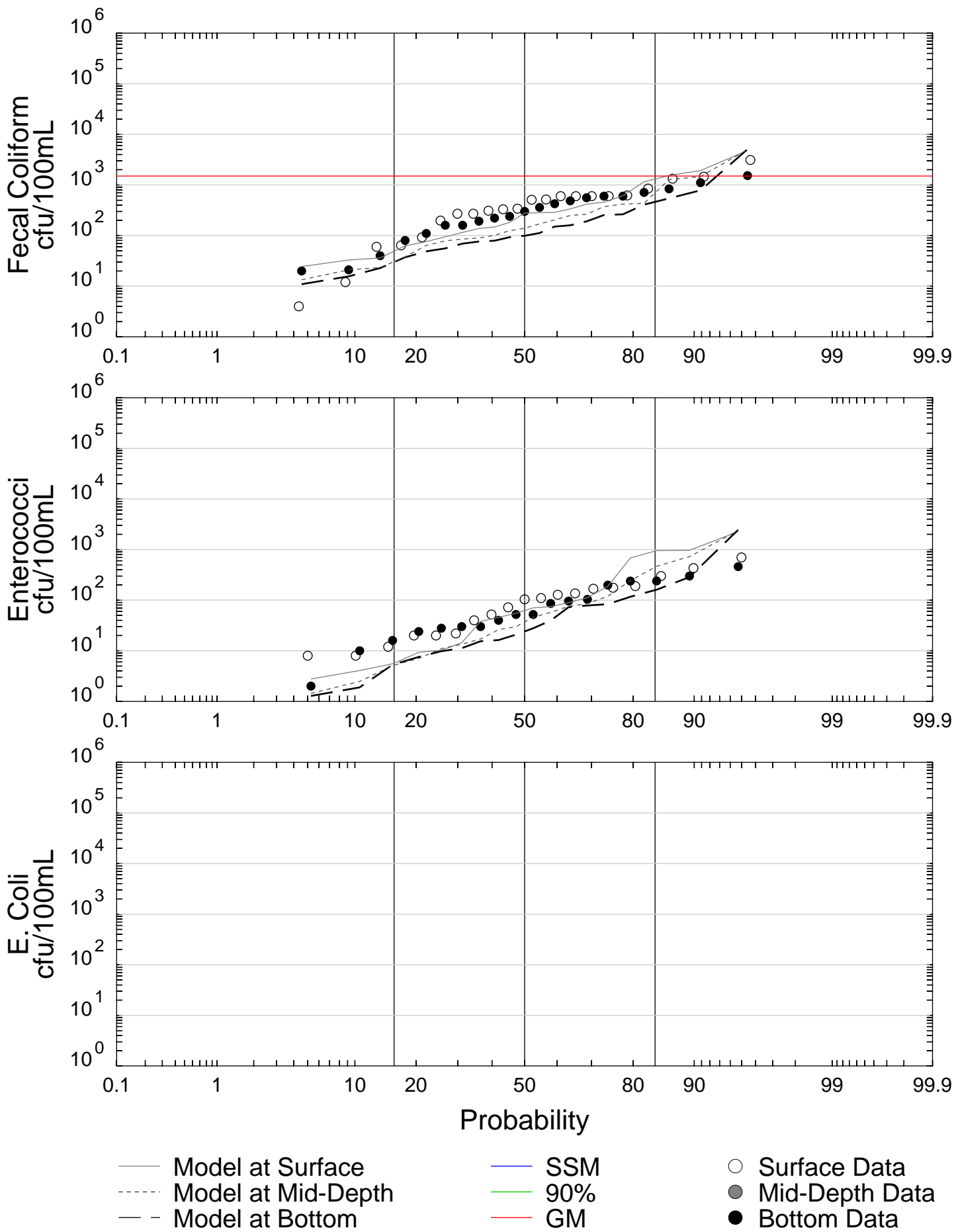
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# PASSAIC RIVER

SE3

## Station: 12

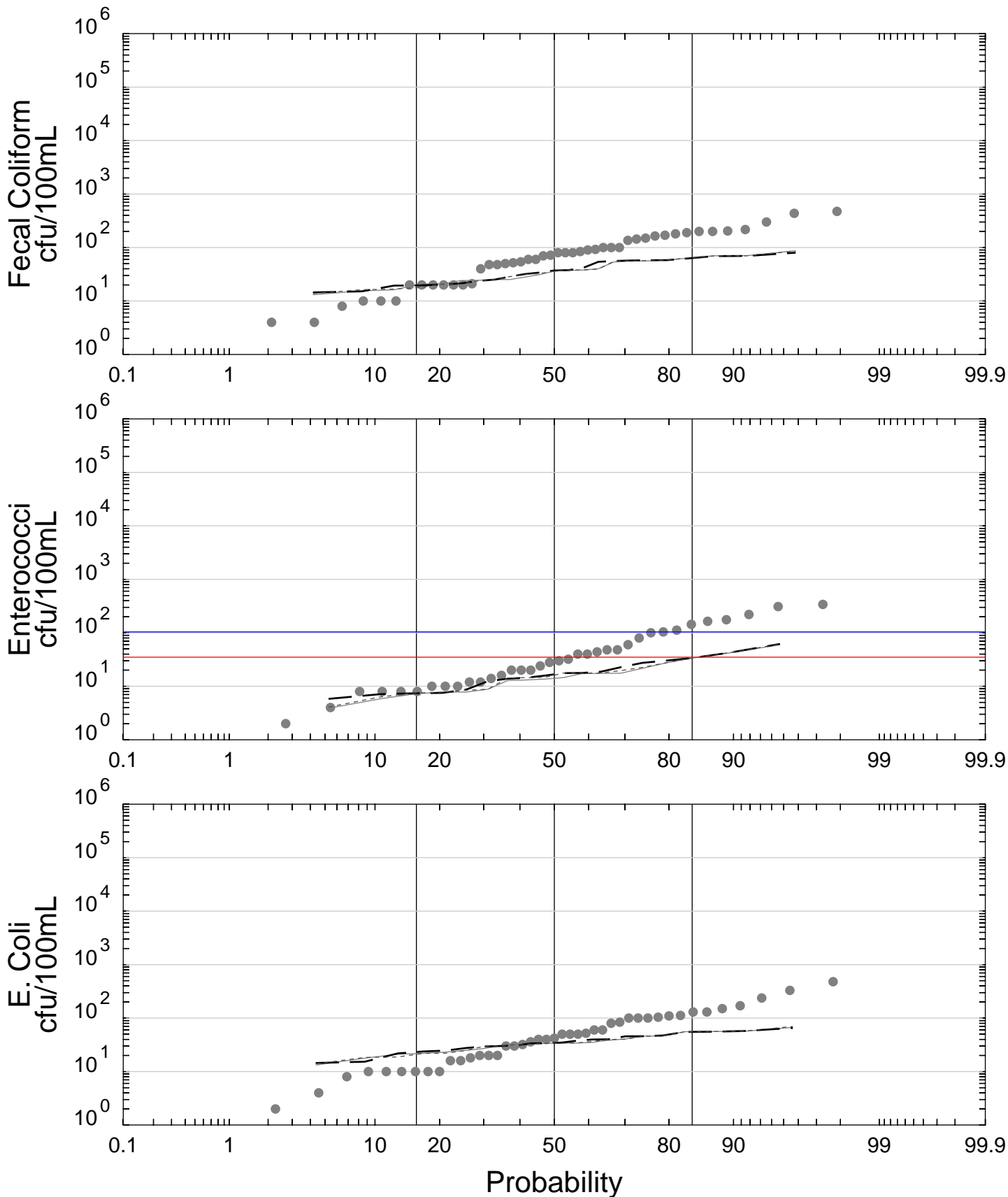


Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HACKENSACK RIVER

SE1

## Station: 13



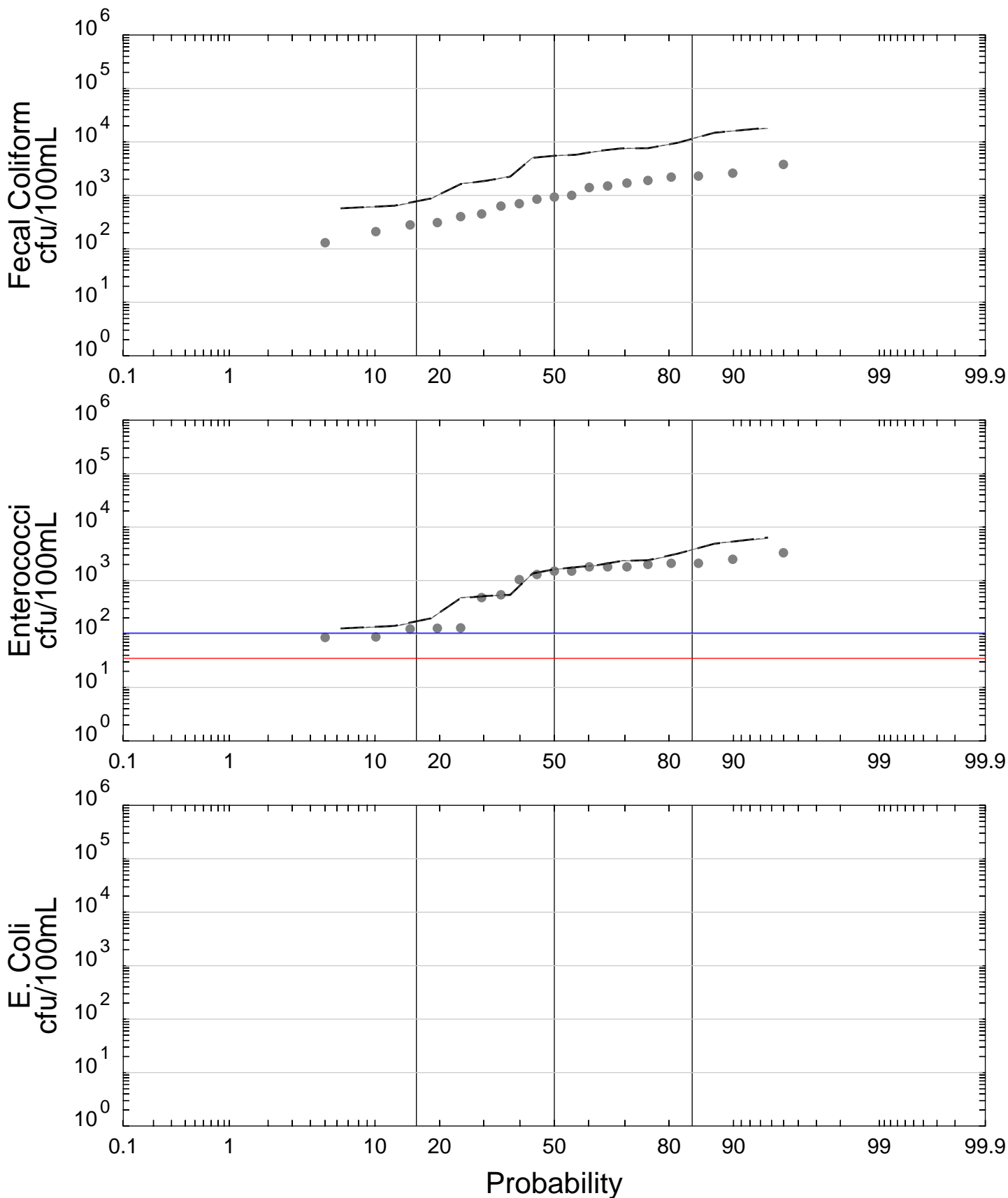
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HACKENSACK RIVER

SE1

## Station: B1



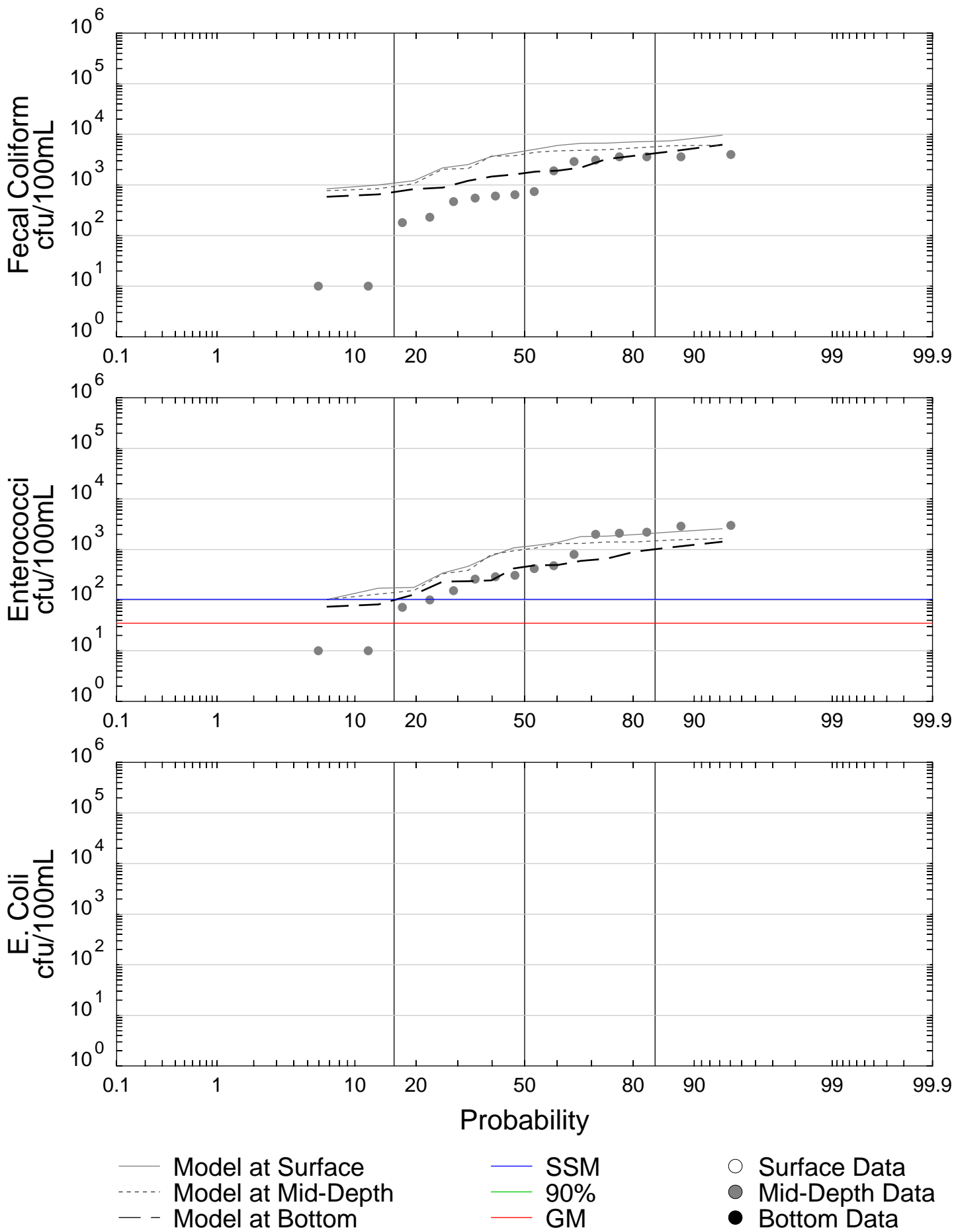
Model Results during data sampling hours only



# HACKENSACK RIVER

SE1

## Station: B2

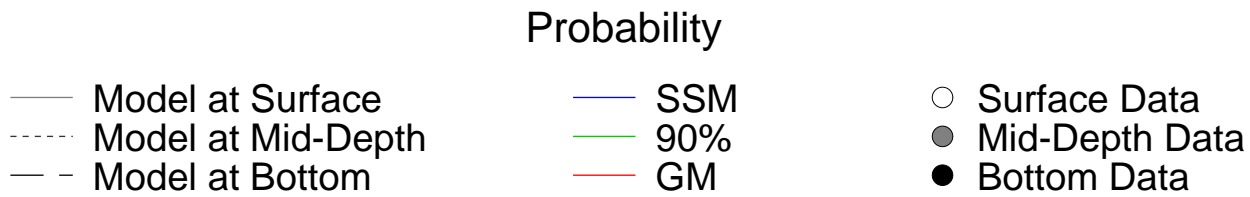
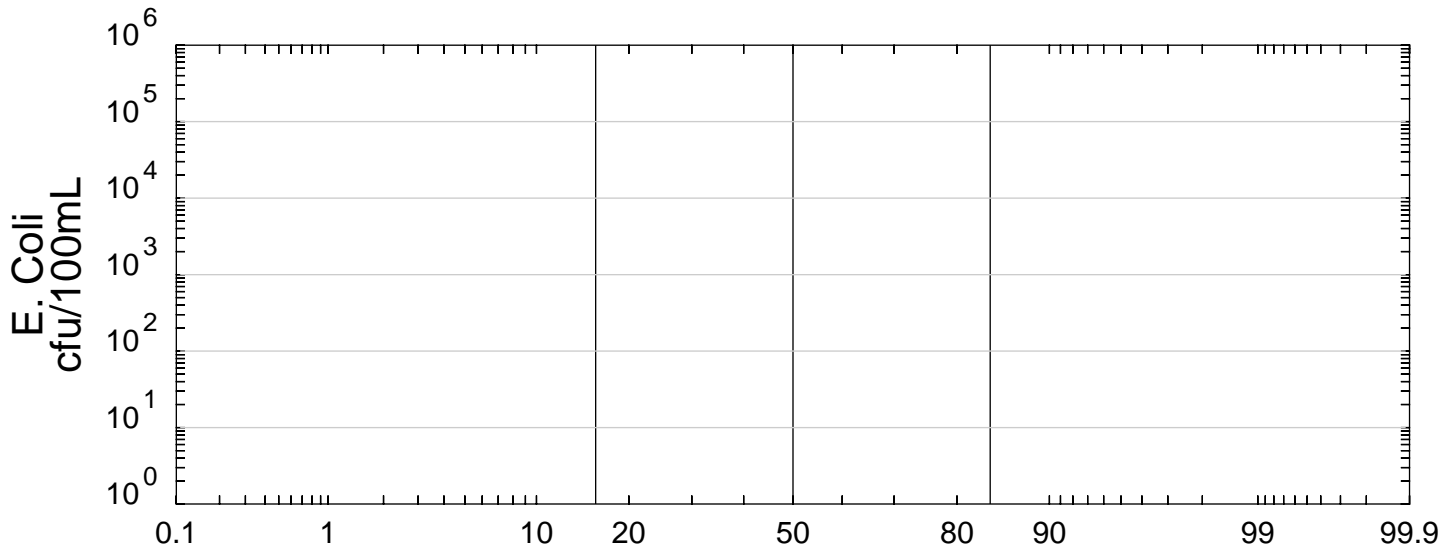
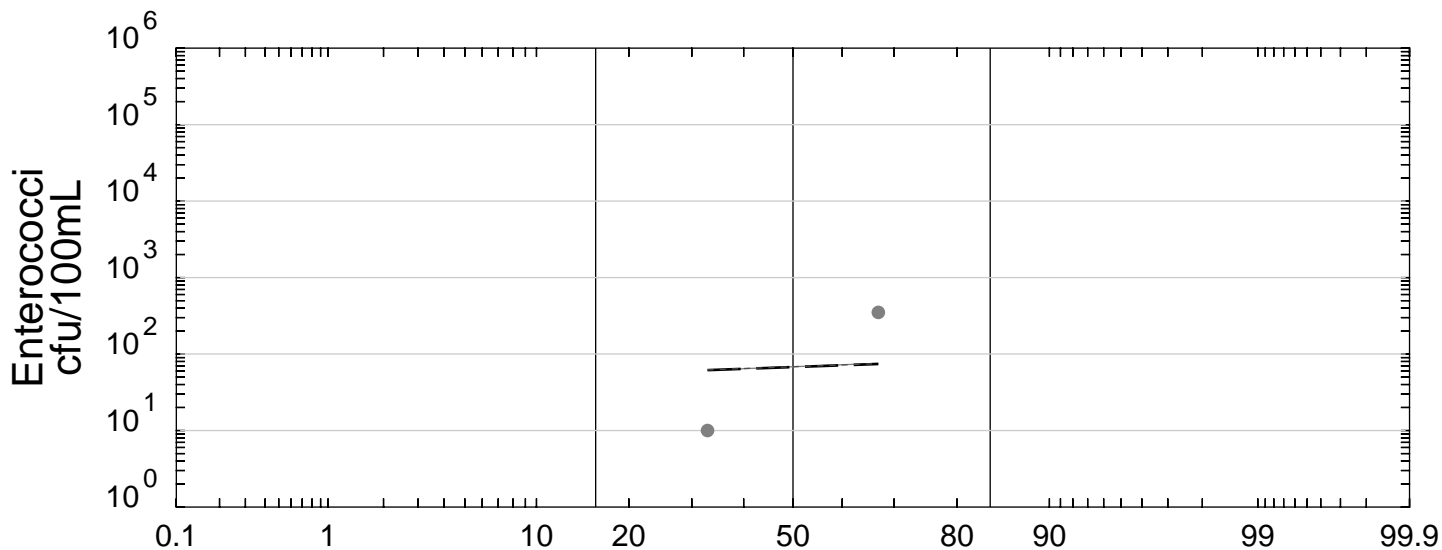
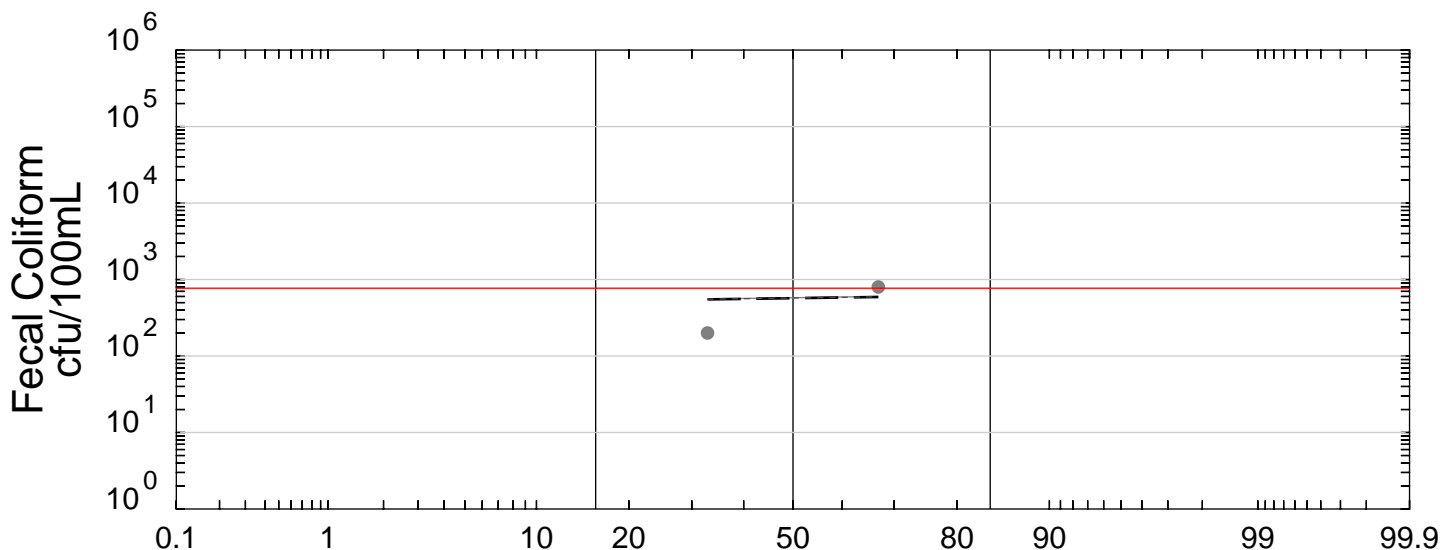


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# HACKENSACK RIVER

SE2

## Station: B11

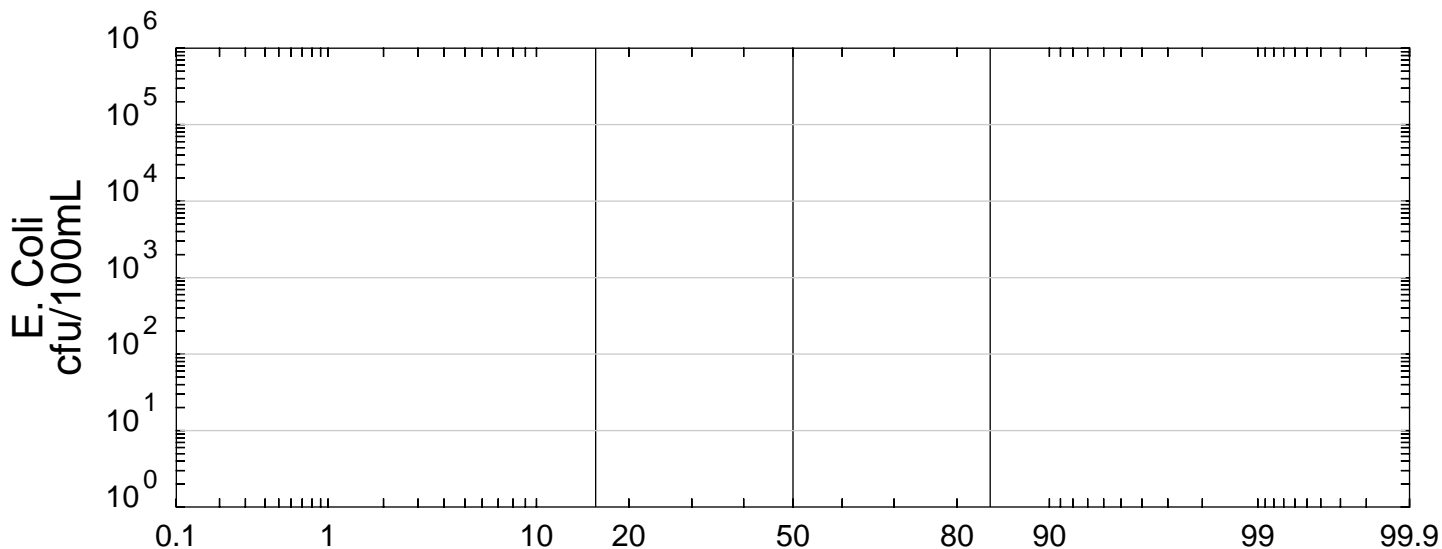
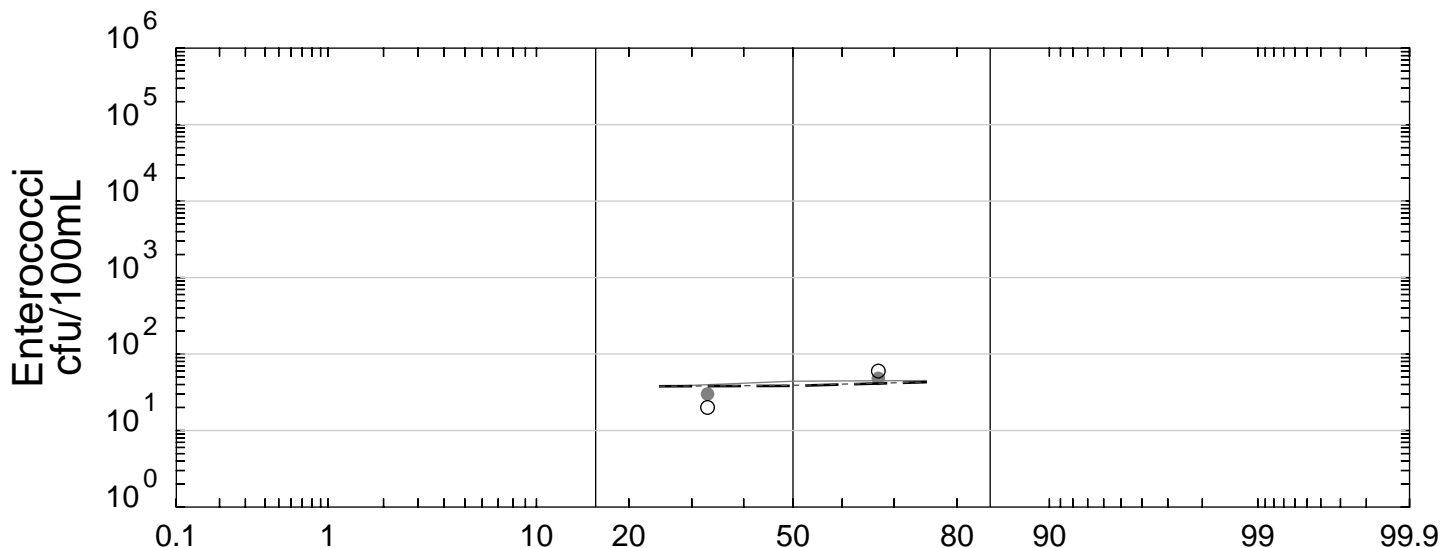
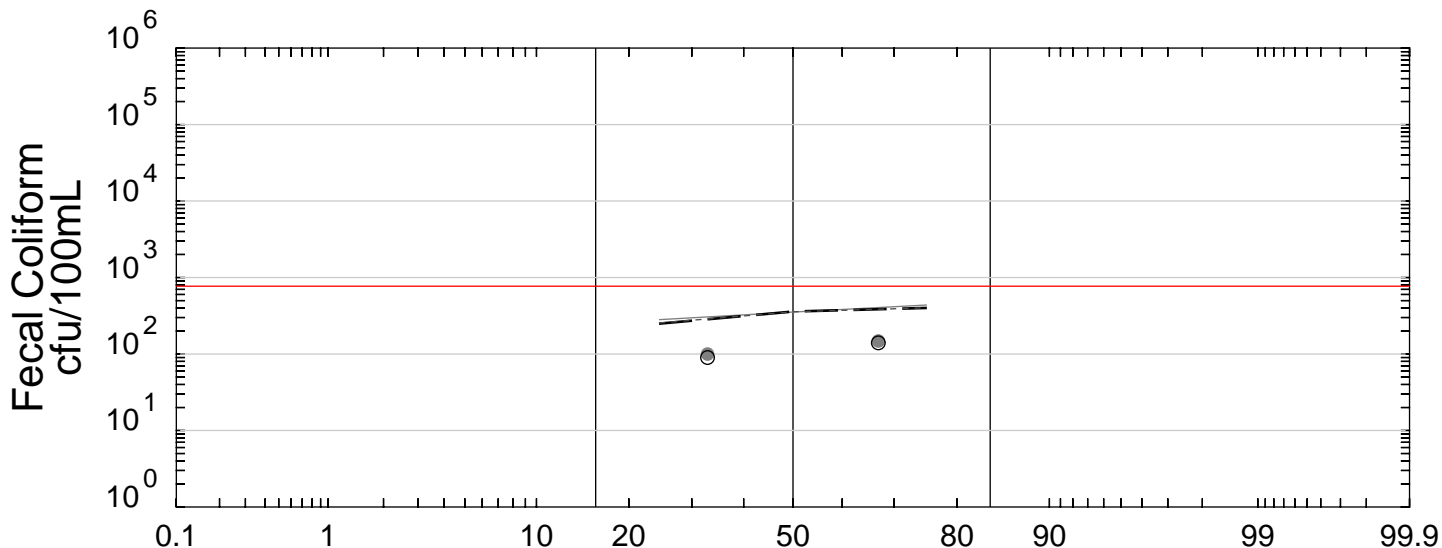


Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HACKENSACK RIVER

# SE2

## Station: B3



Probability

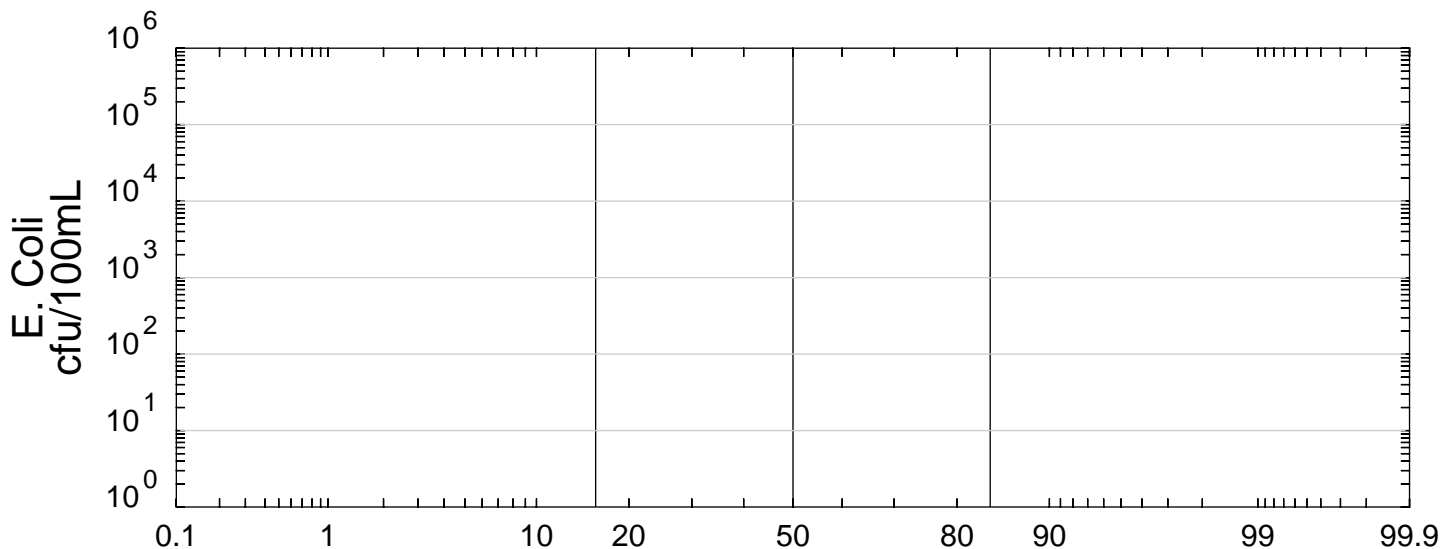
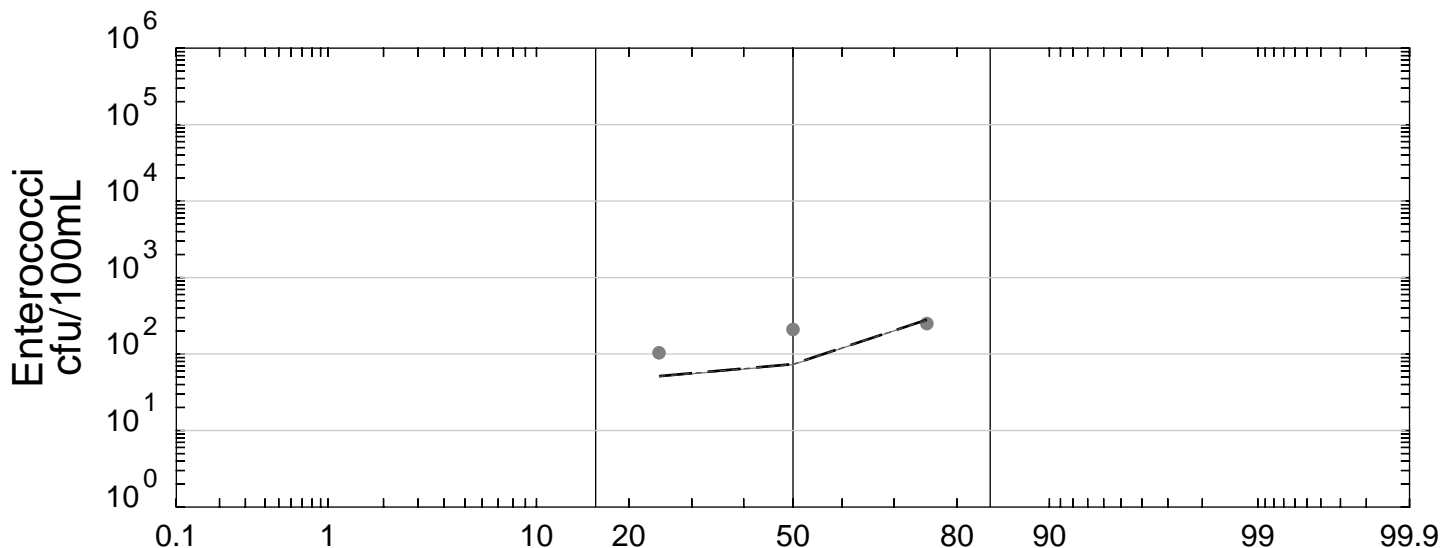
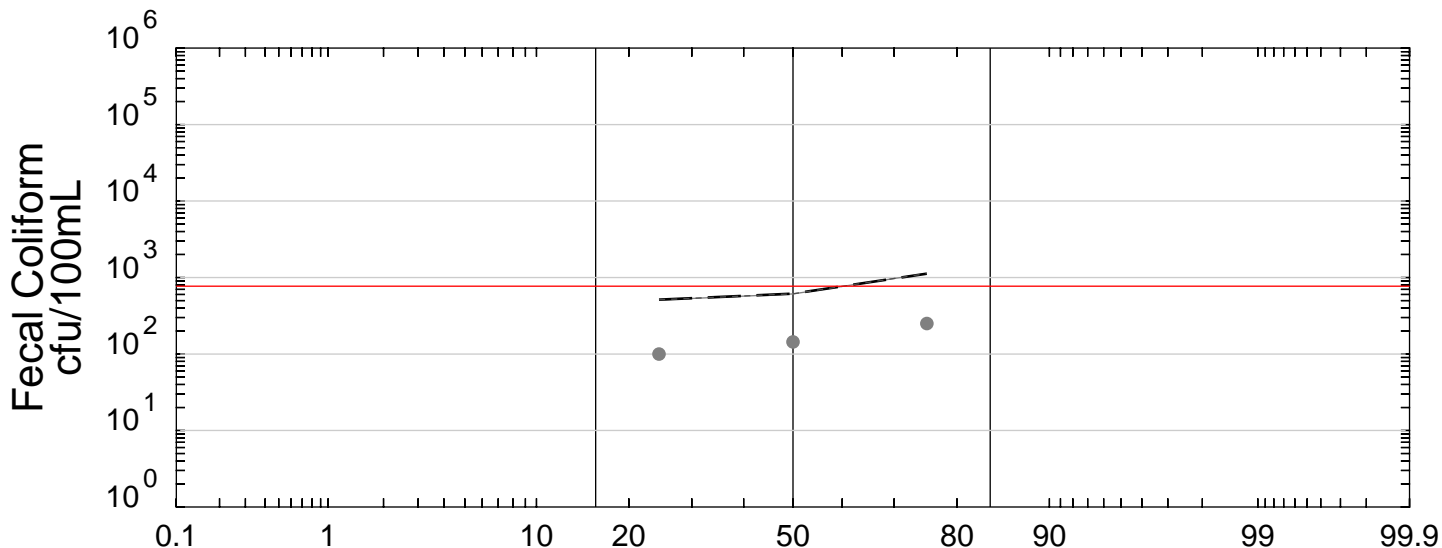
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HACKENSACK RIVER

# SE2

## Station: B4



Probability

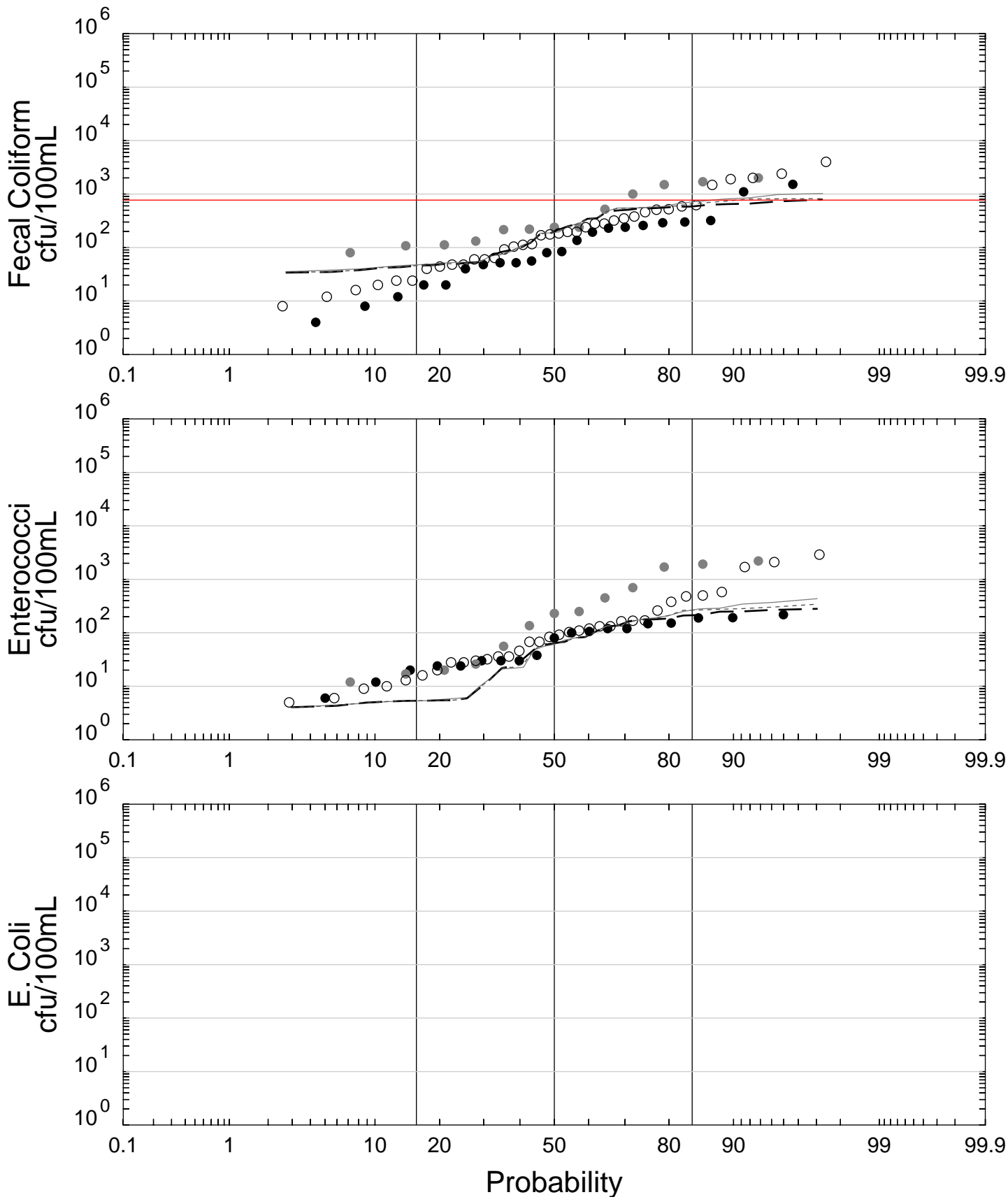
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HACKENSACK RIVER

# SE2

## Station: 14



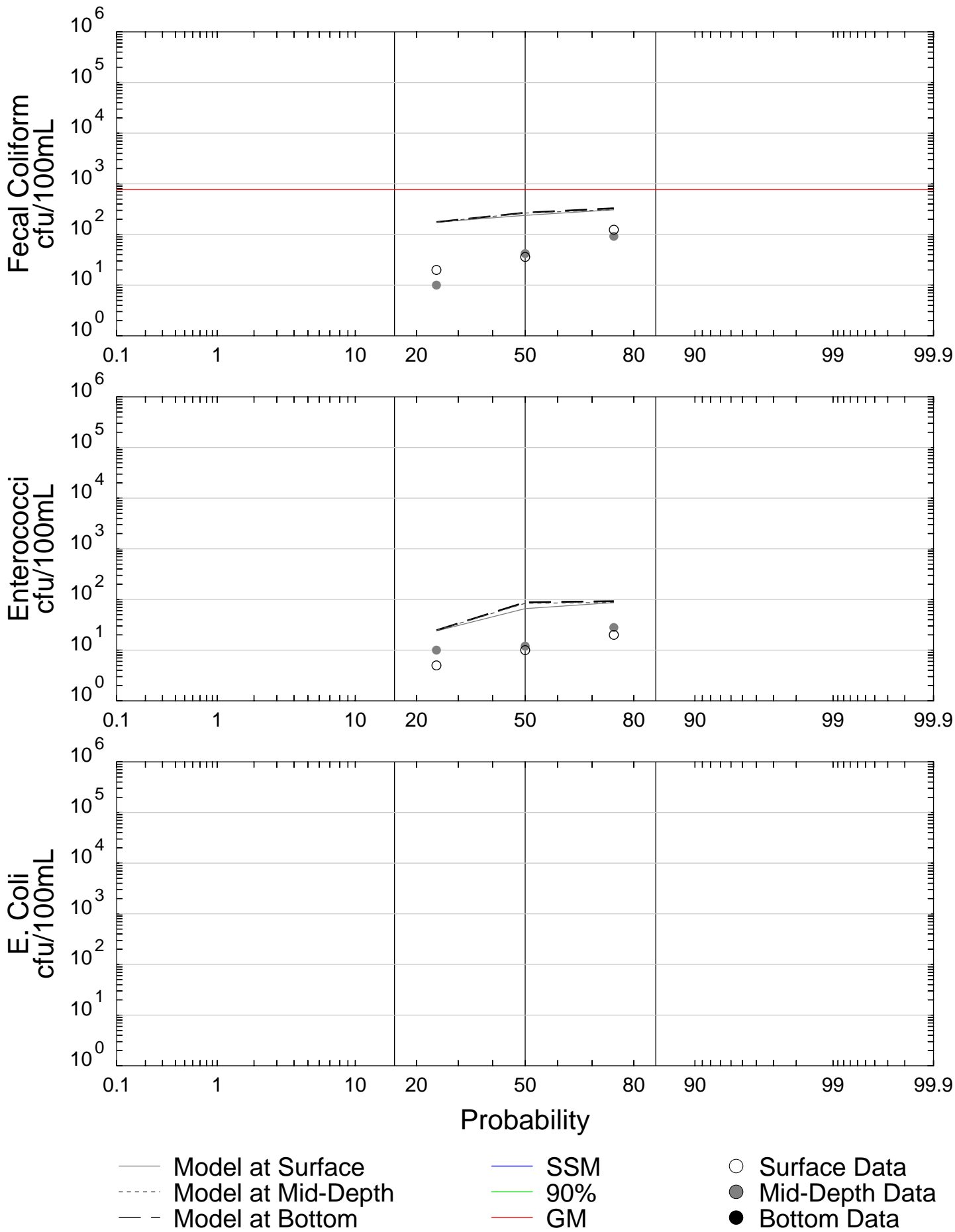
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · · Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HACKENSACK RIVER

SE2

Station: B7

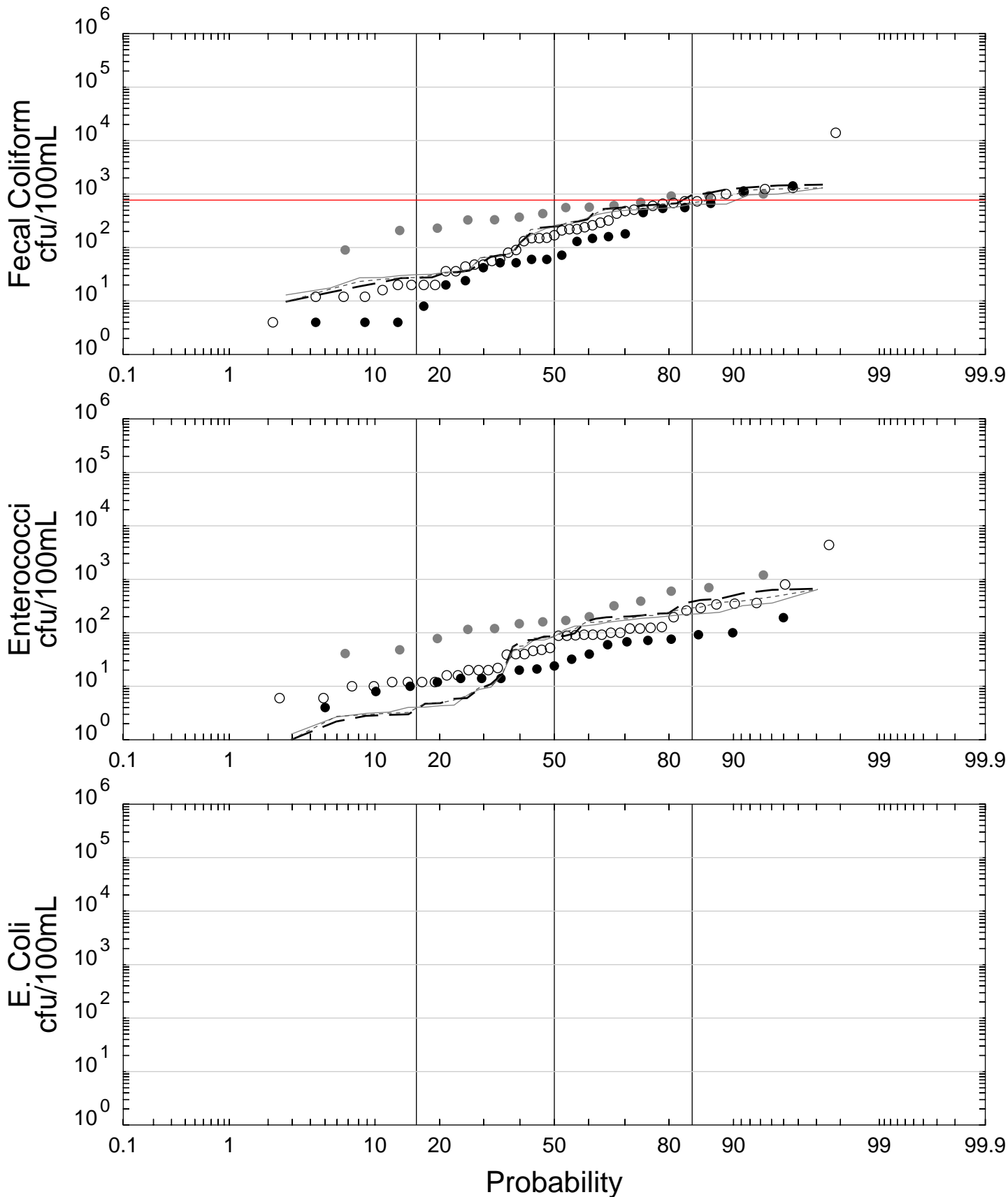


Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HACKENSACK RIVER

# SE2

## Station: 15



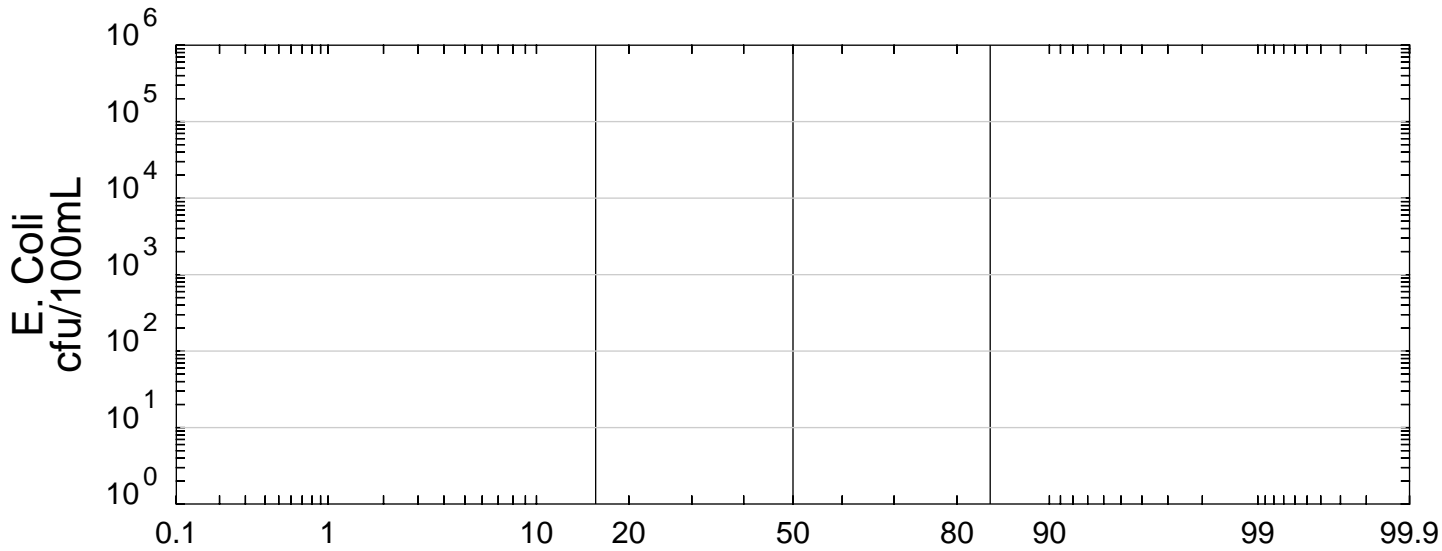
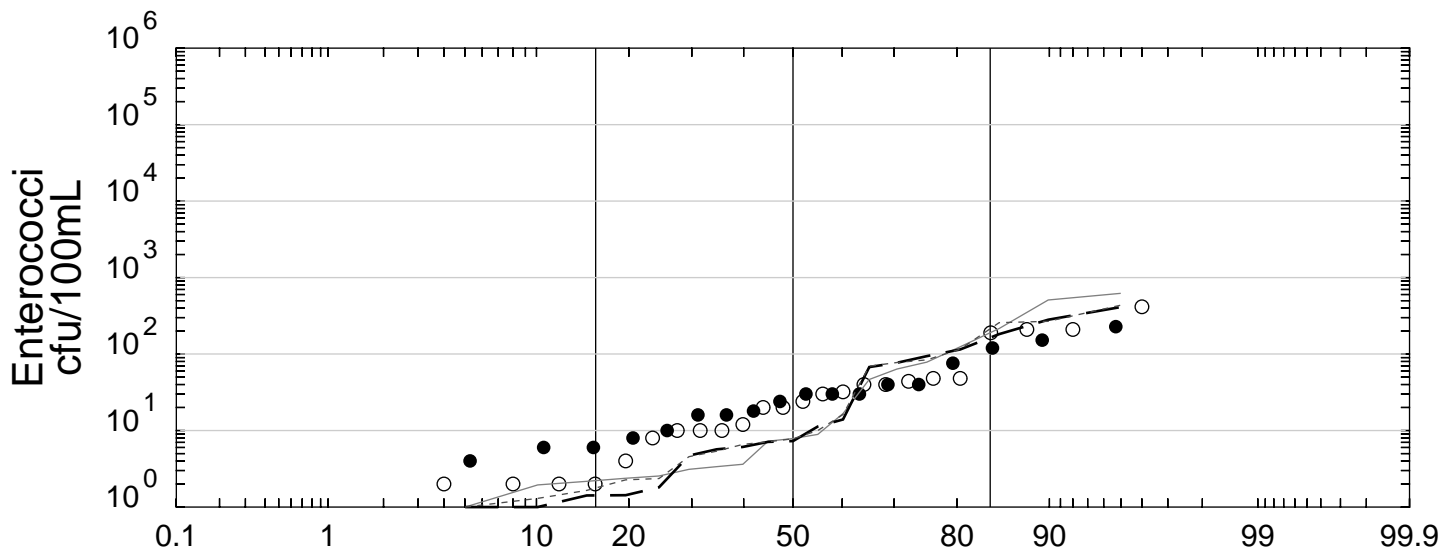
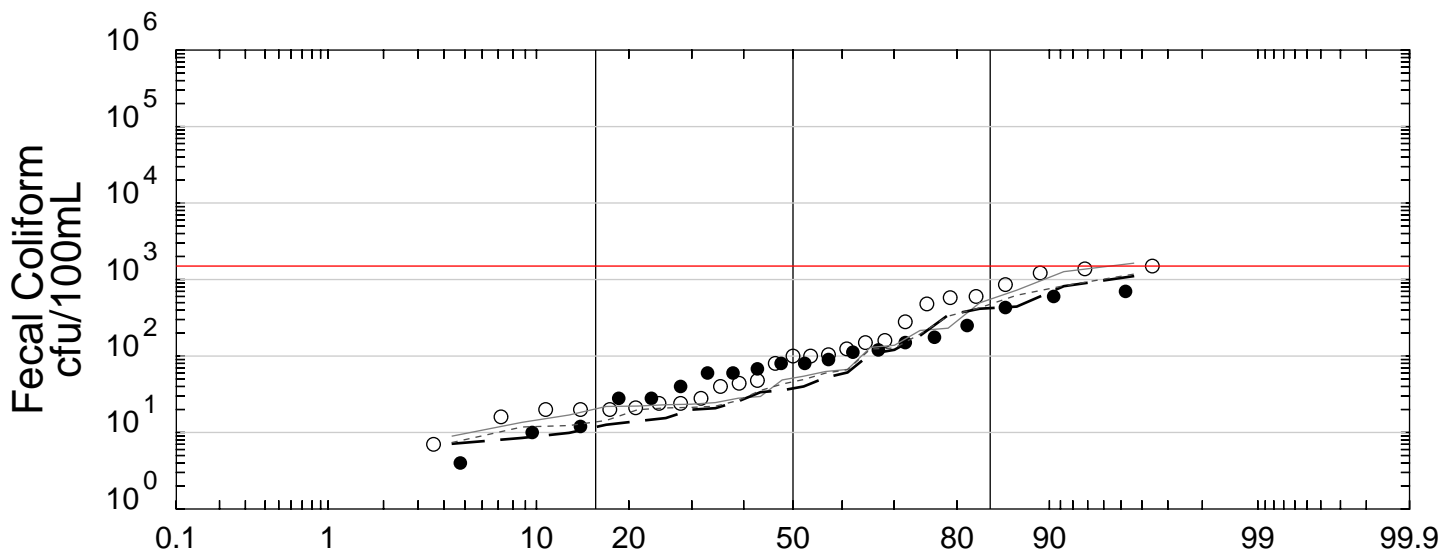
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- . - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HACKENSACK RIVER

SE3

## Station: 16



Probability

- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

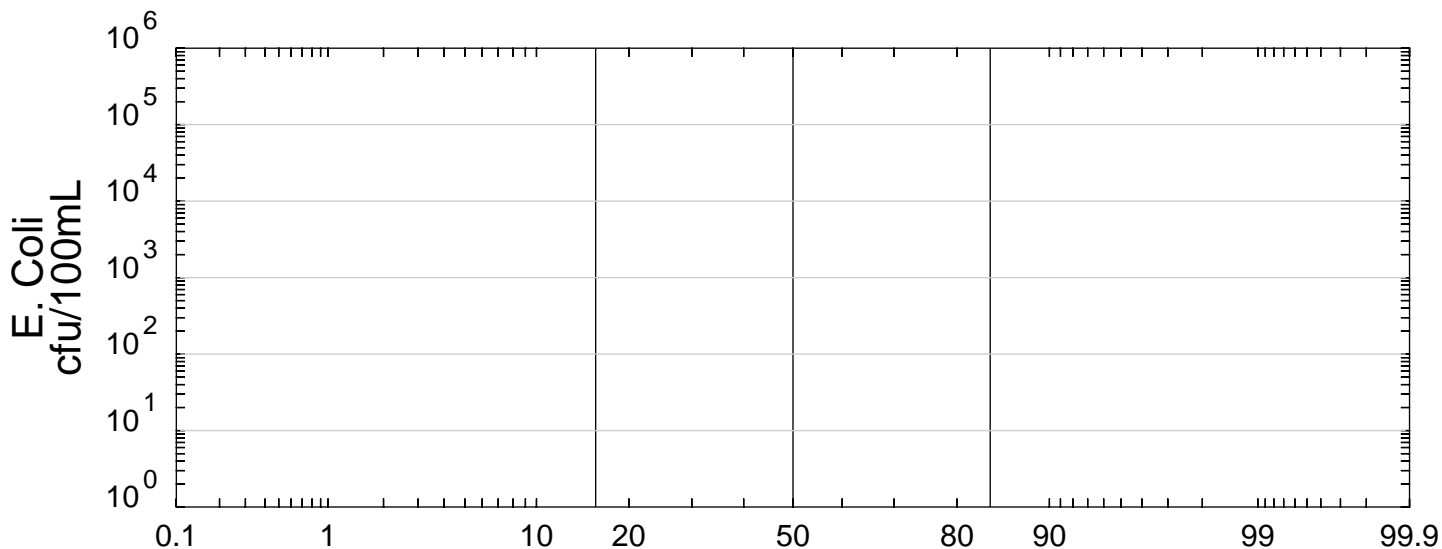
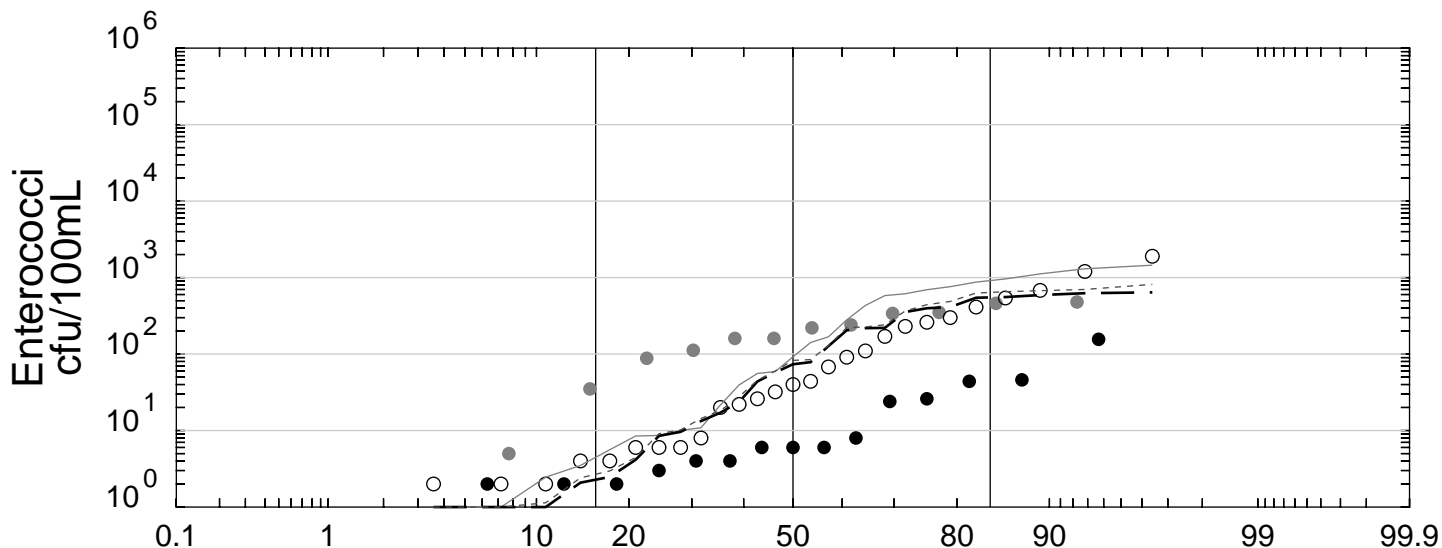
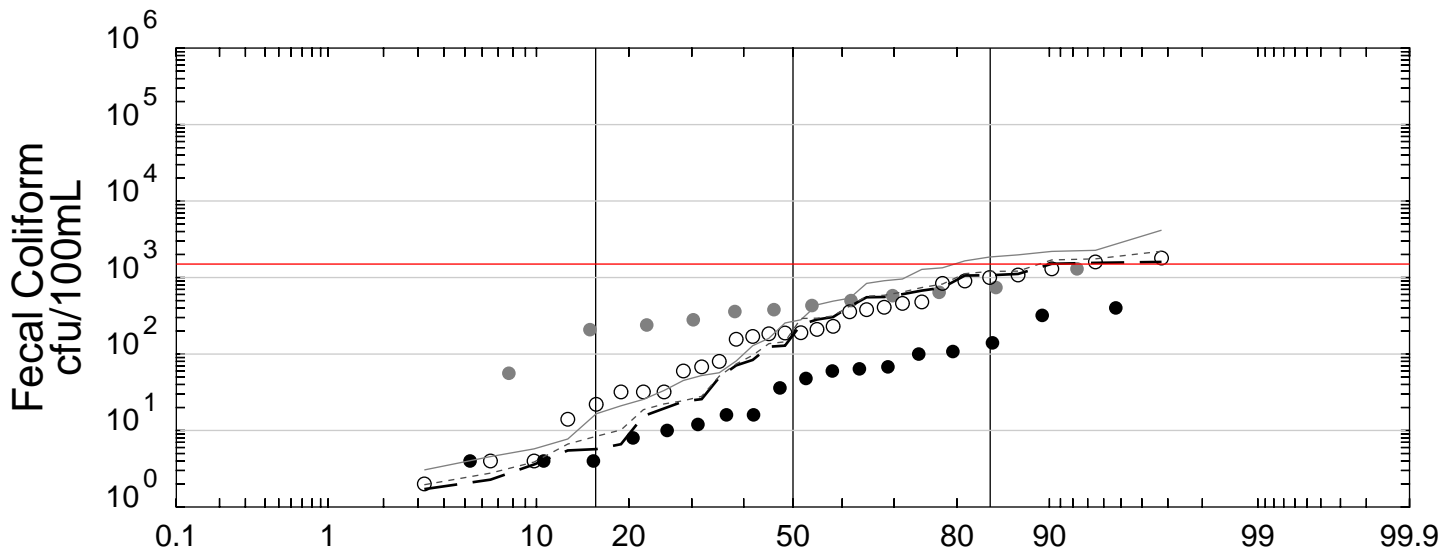
Model Results during data sampling hours only



# LOWER PASSAIC RIVER

SE3

## Station: 17



Probability

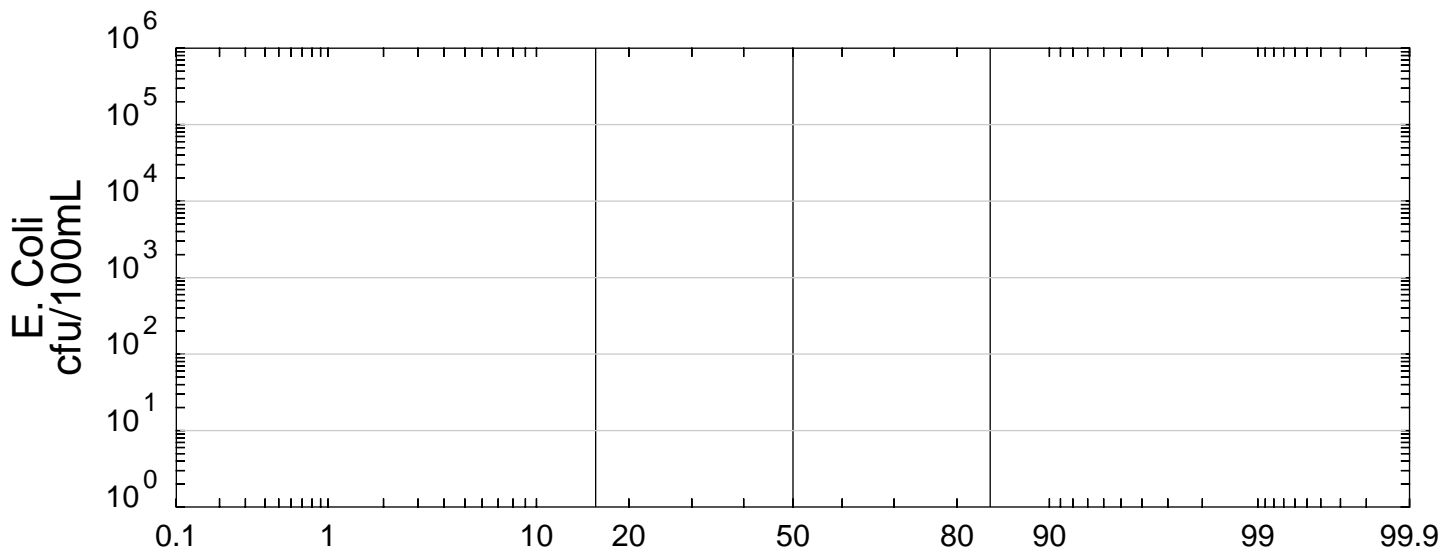
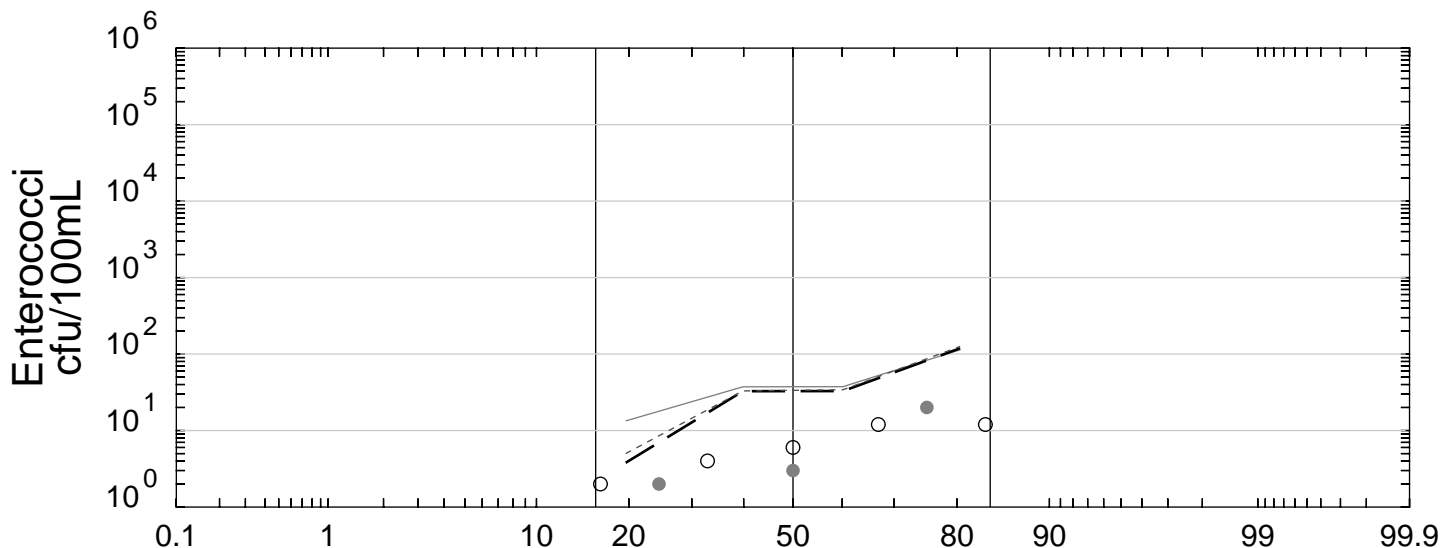
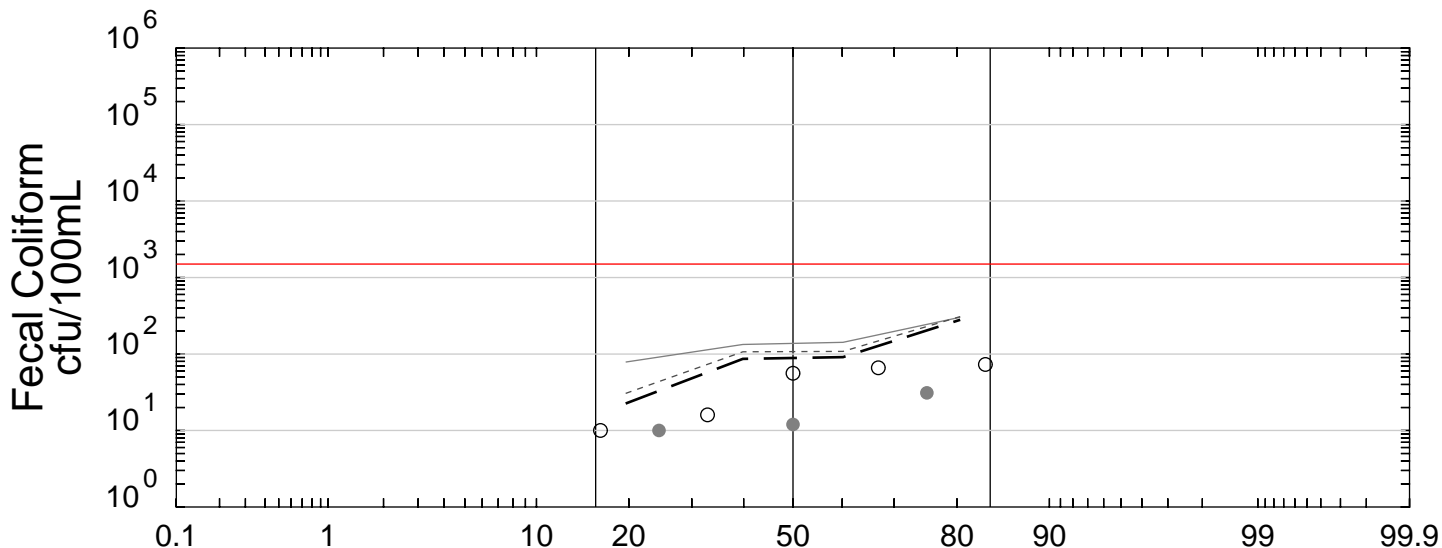
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- . - . Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# LOWER PASSAIC RIVER

SE3

## Station: B10



Probability

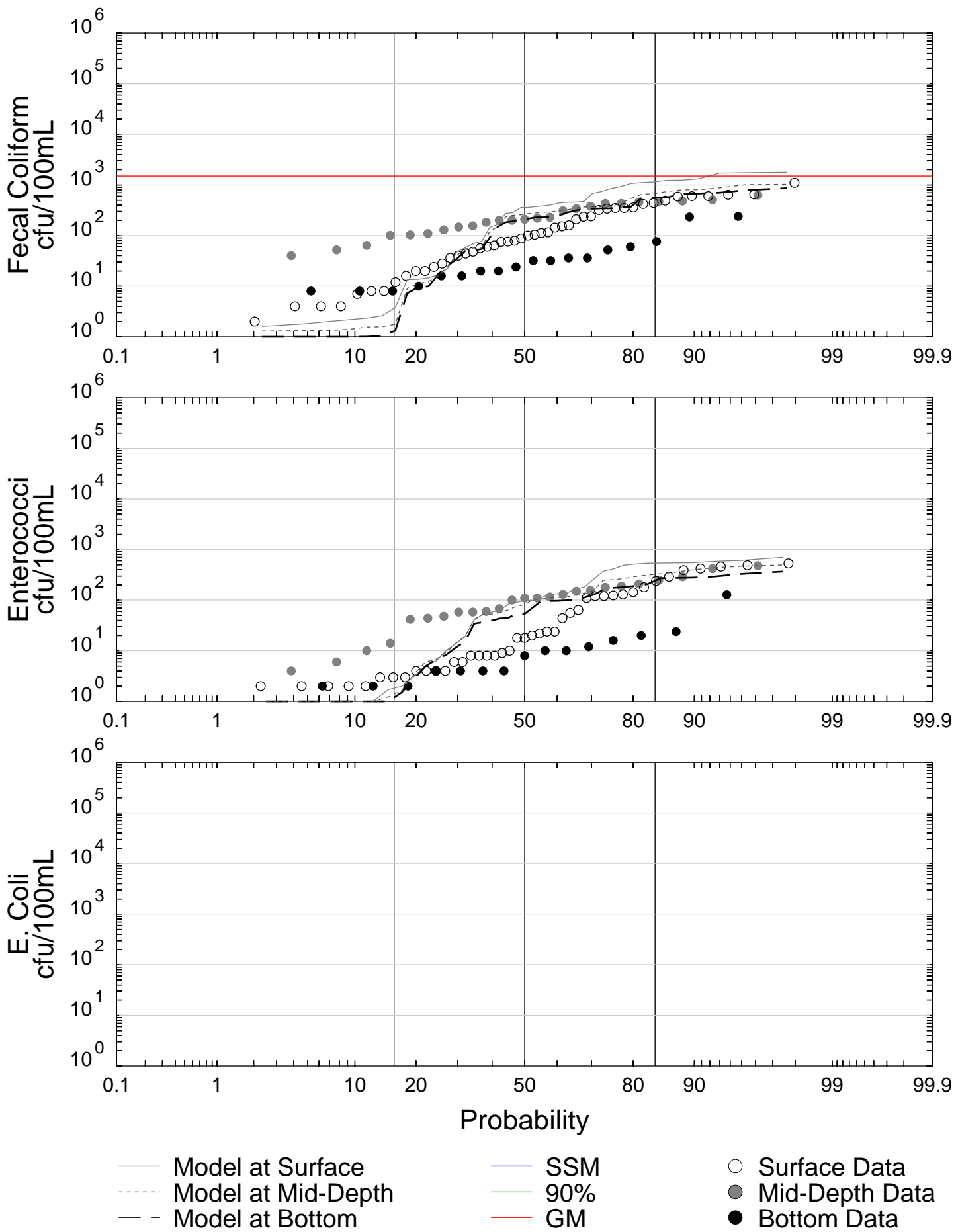
- Model at Surface
- Model at Mid-Depth
- Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# LOWER PASSAIC RIVER

SE3

Station: 18

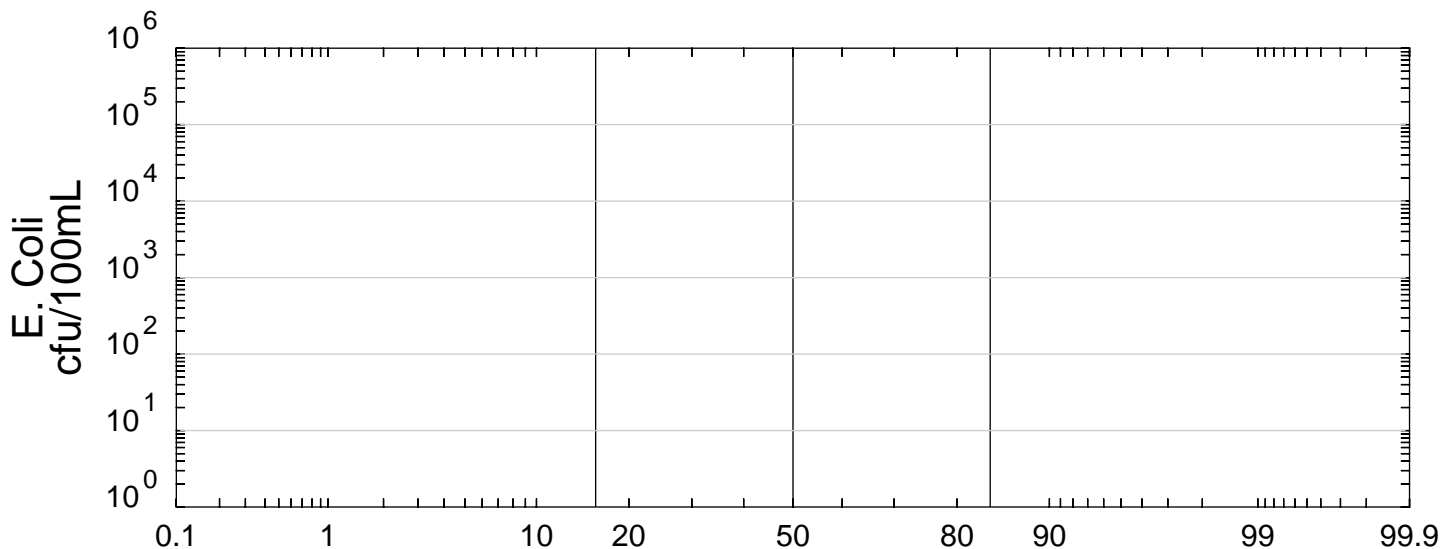
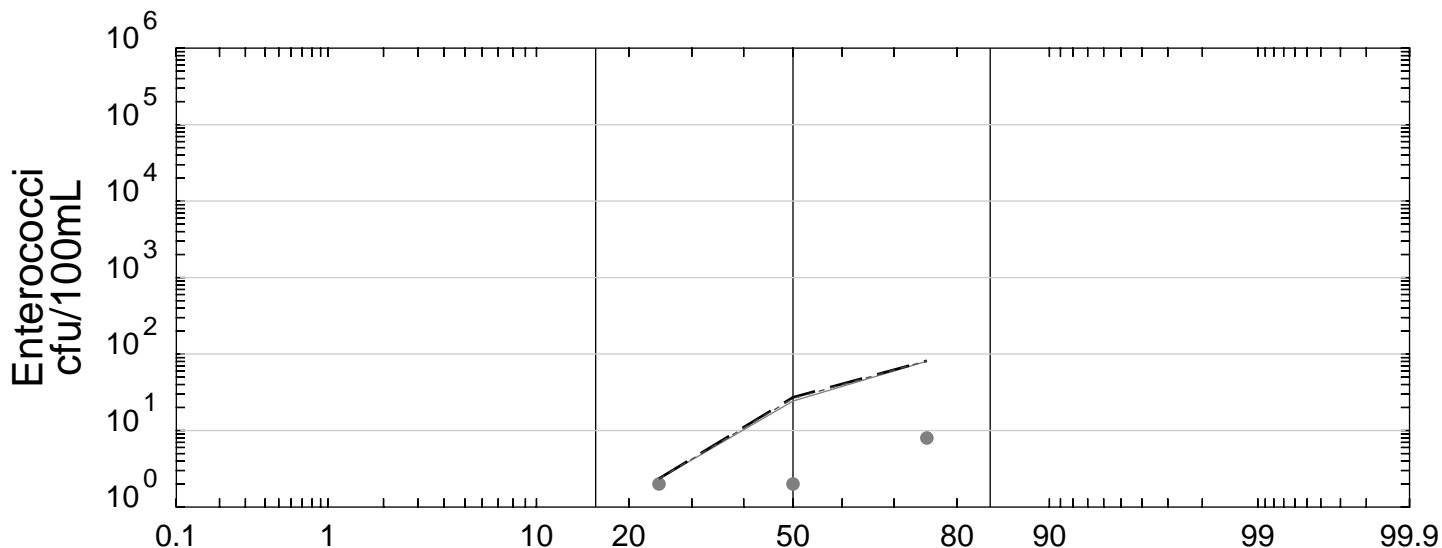
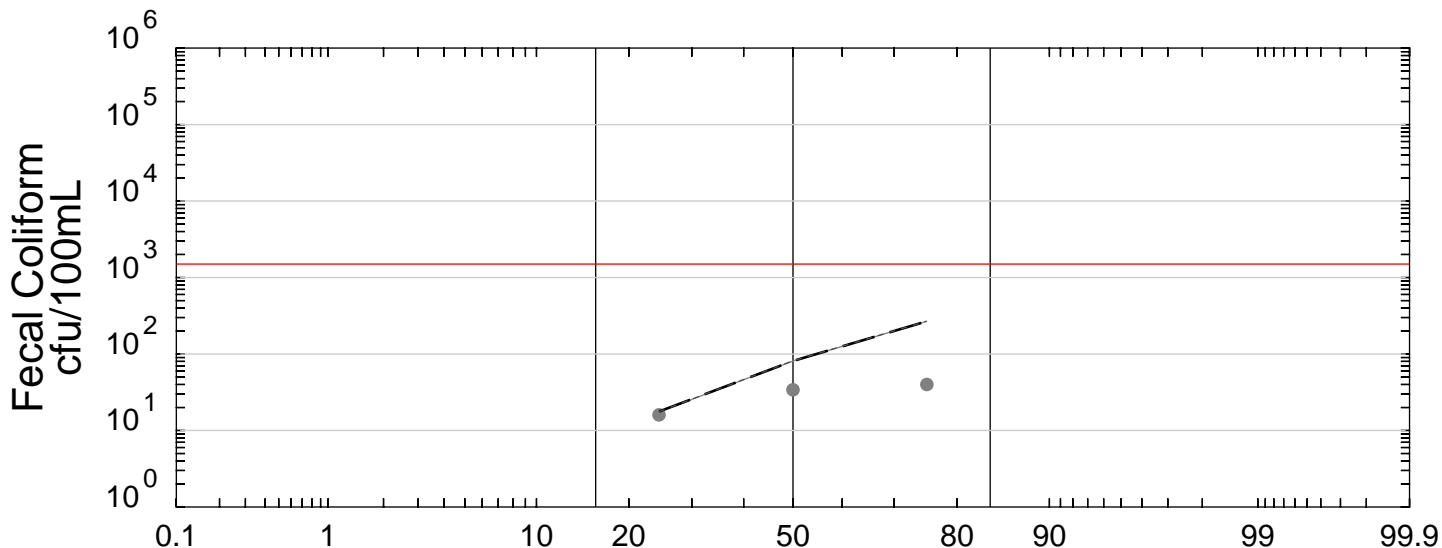


Model Results during data sampling hours only

# LOWER PASSAIC RIVER

SE3

## Station: B17

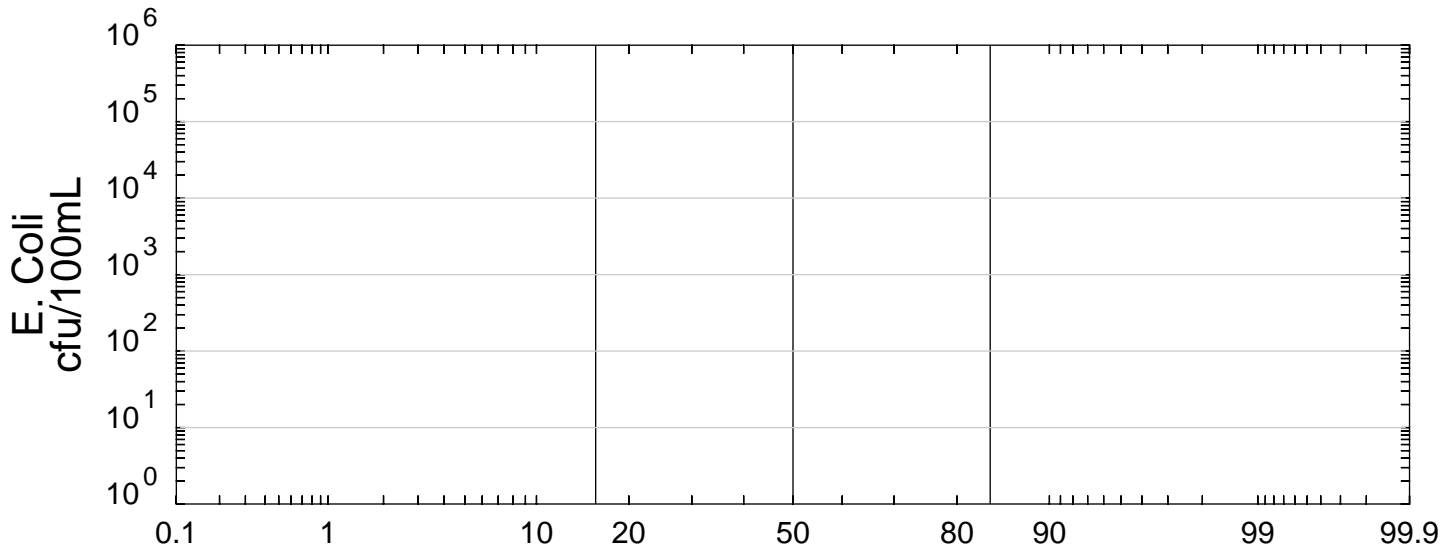
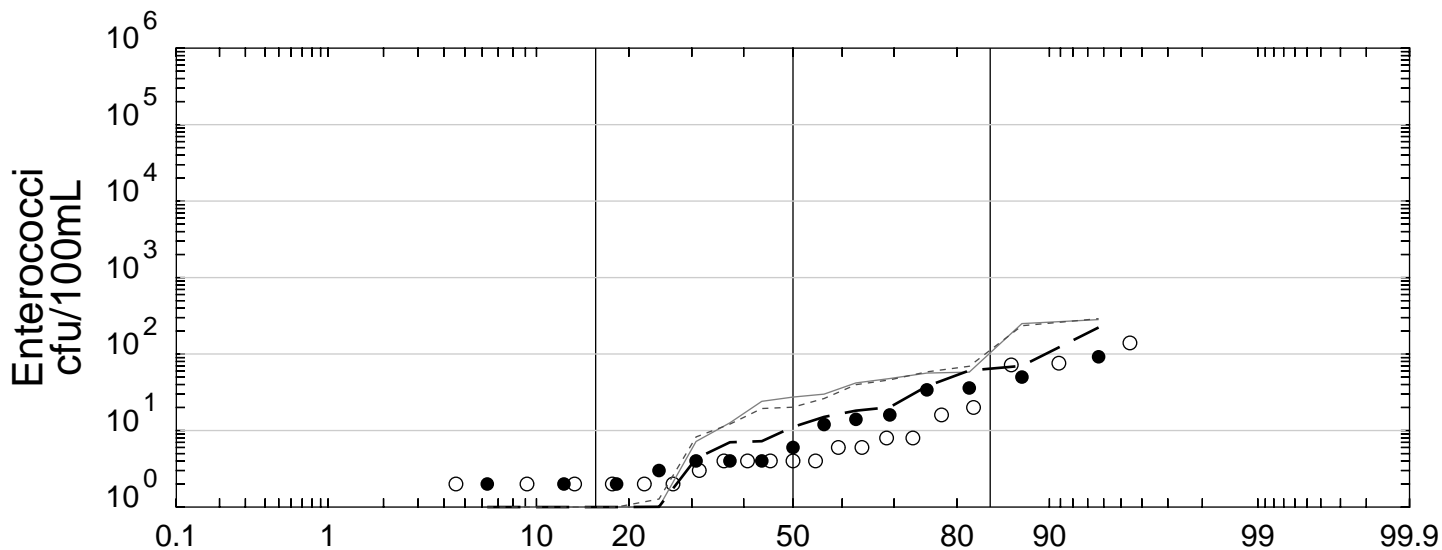
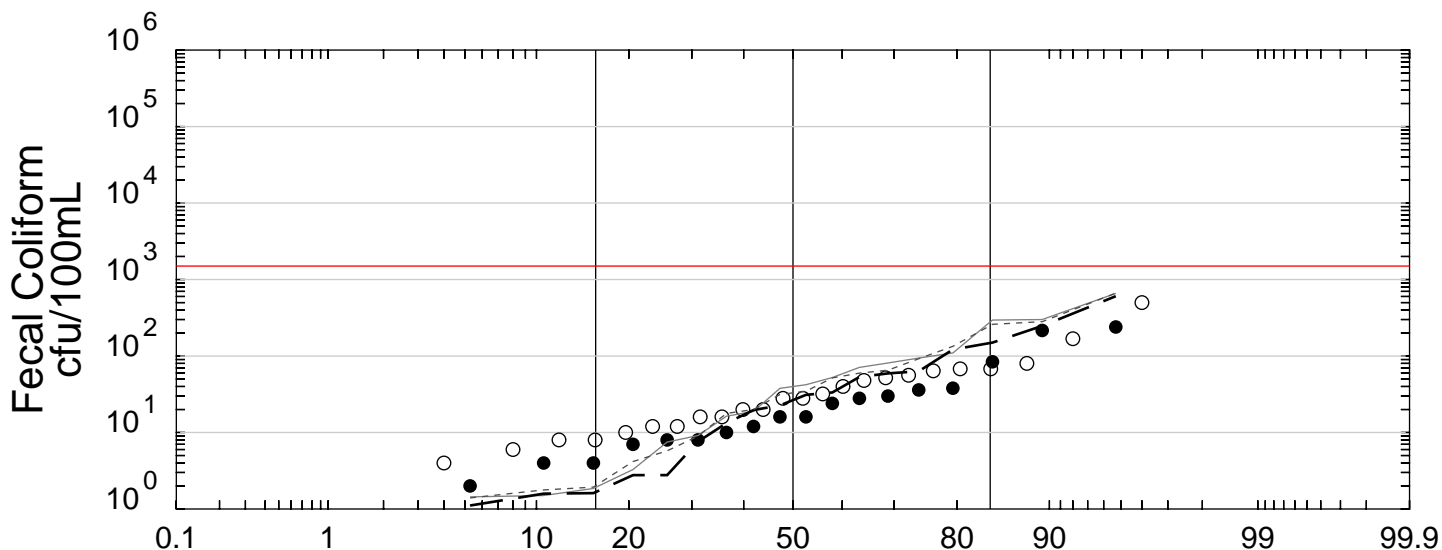


Probability

- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

## Station: 19



Probability

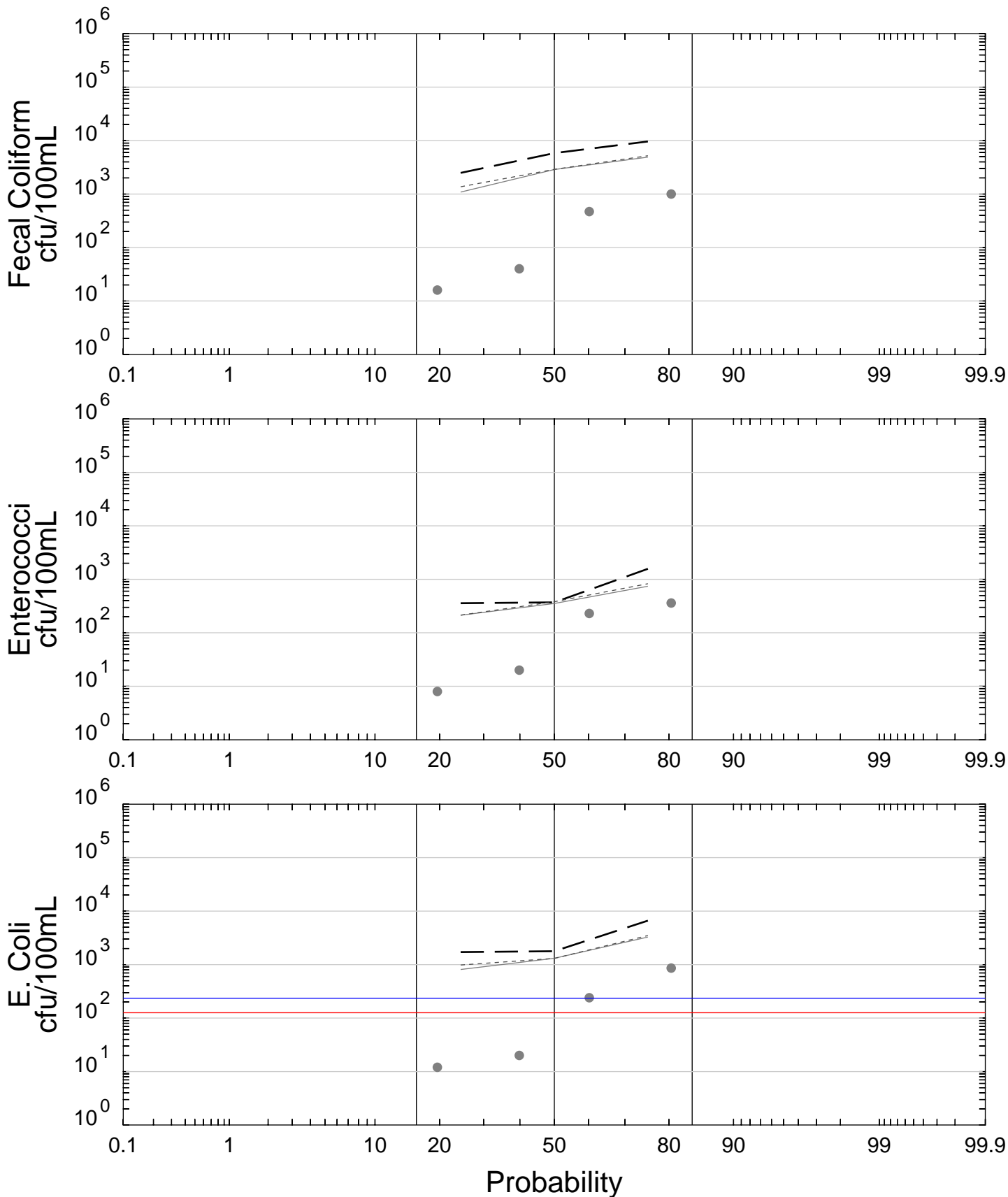
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# ELIZABETH RIVER

# FW2

## Station: B16



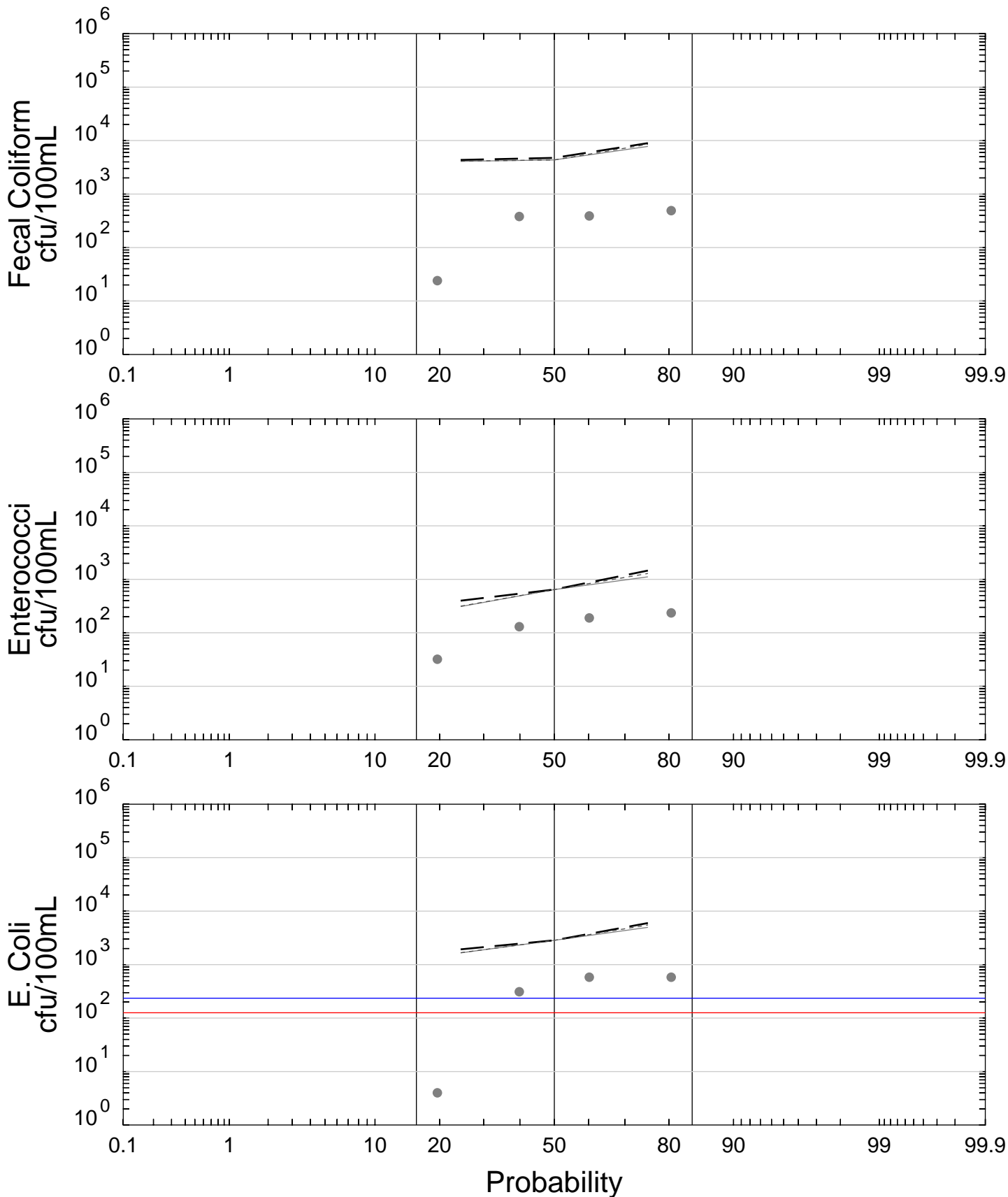
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# ELIZABETH RIVER

FW2

Station: B14



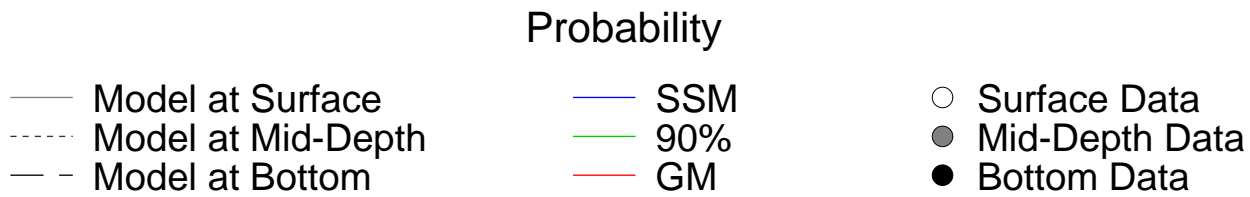
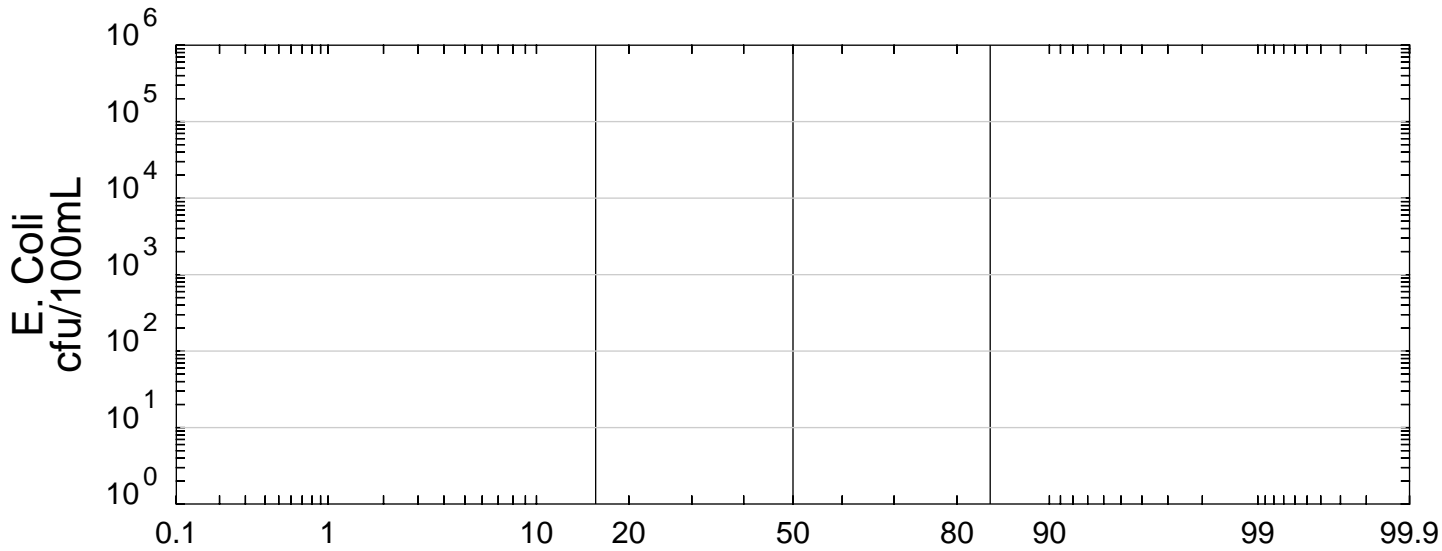
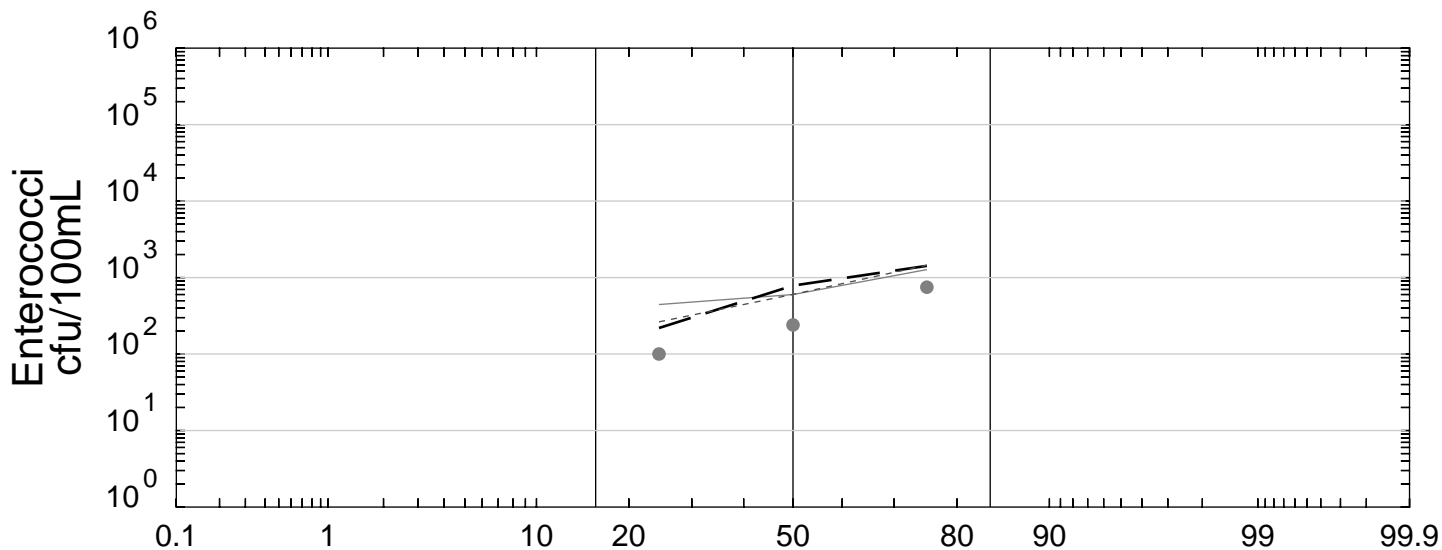
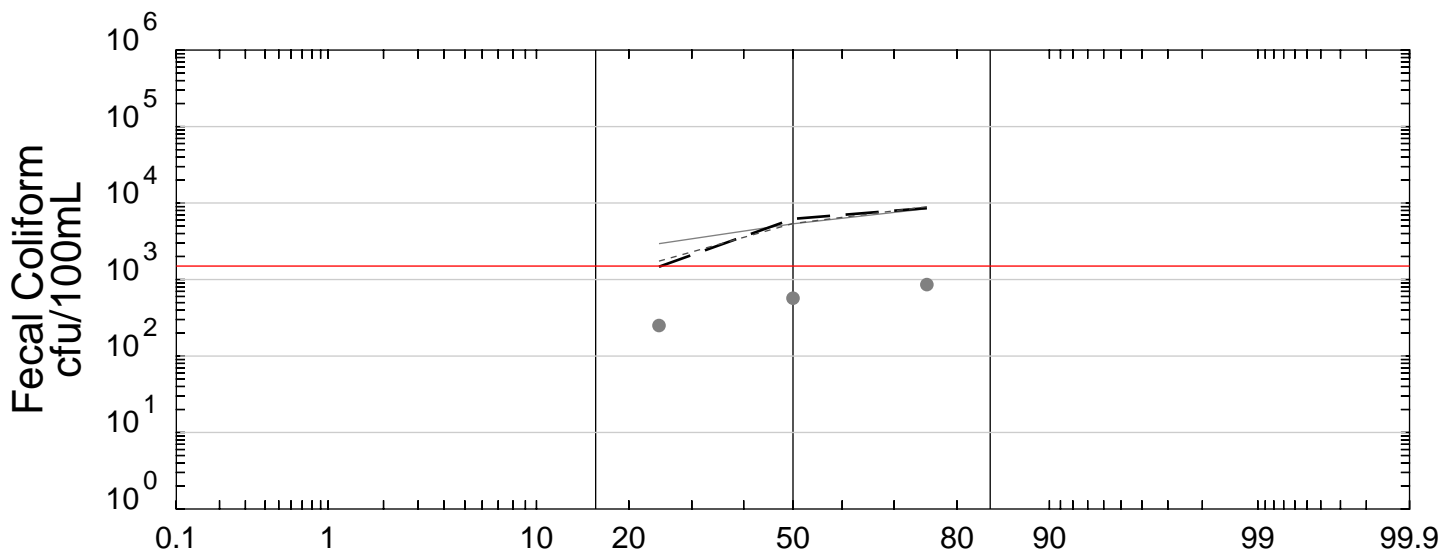
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# ELIZABETH RIVER

# SE3

## Station: B13



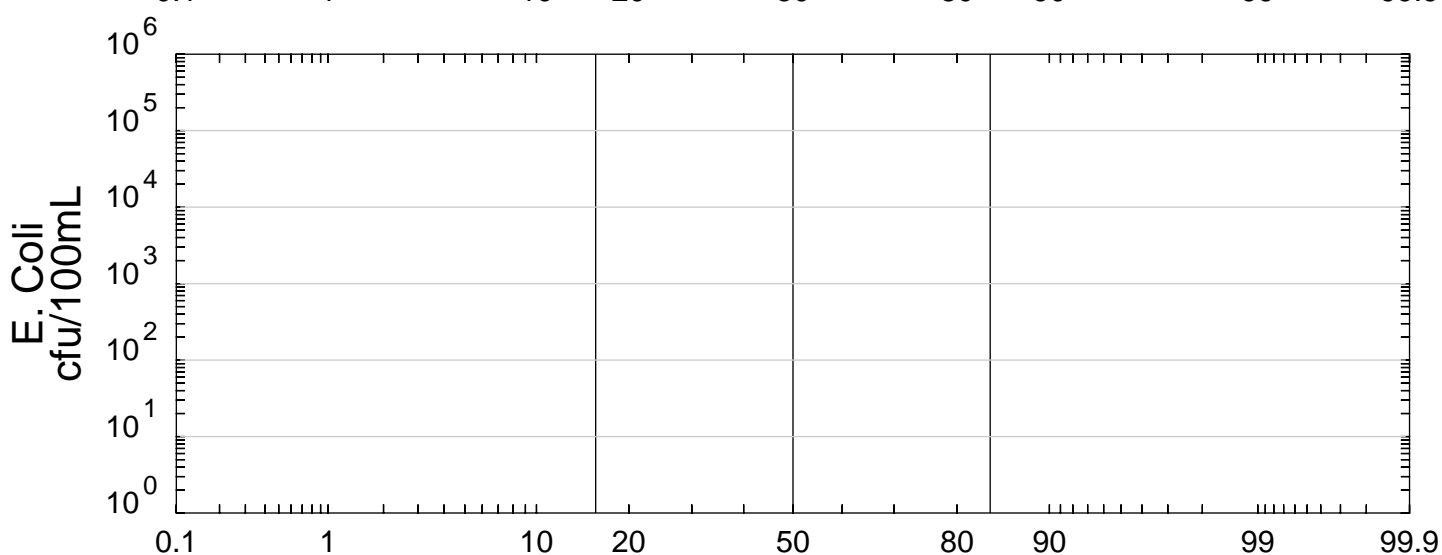
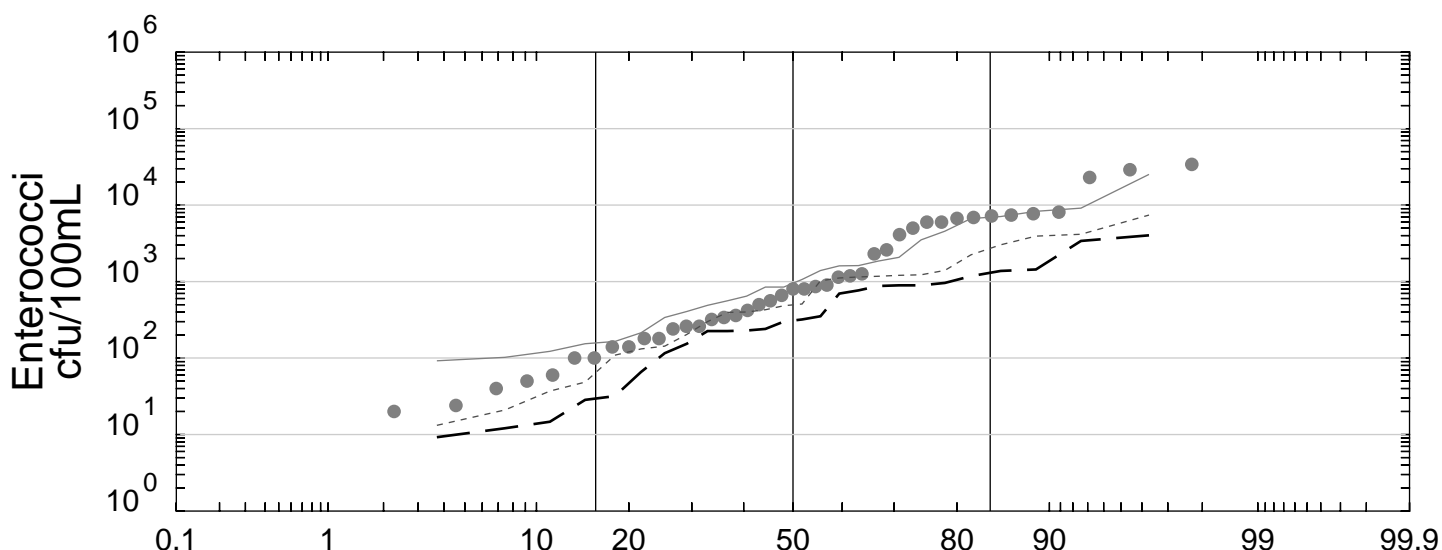
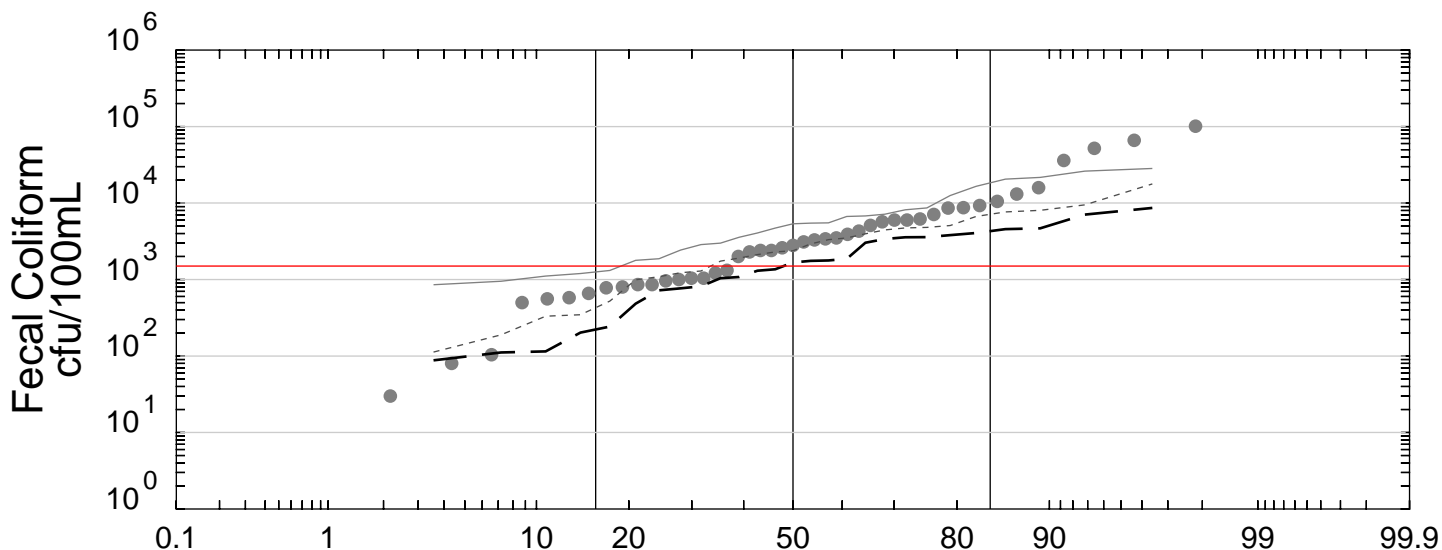
Model Results during data sampling hours only



# ELIZABETH RIVER

SE3

## Station: 20

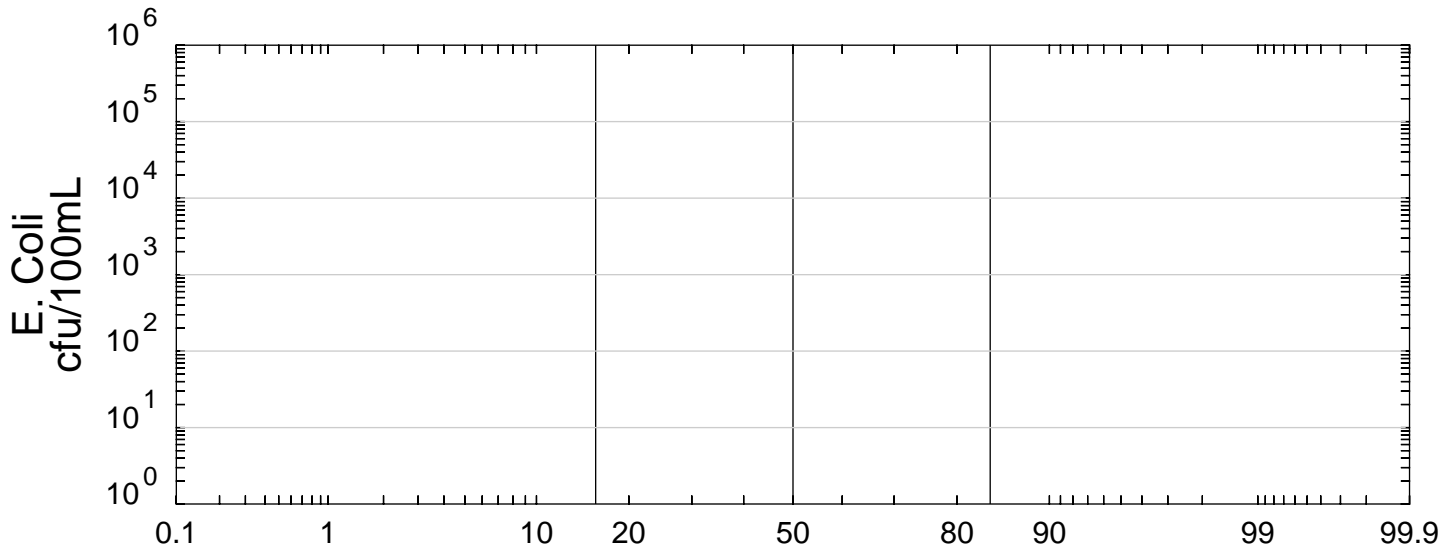
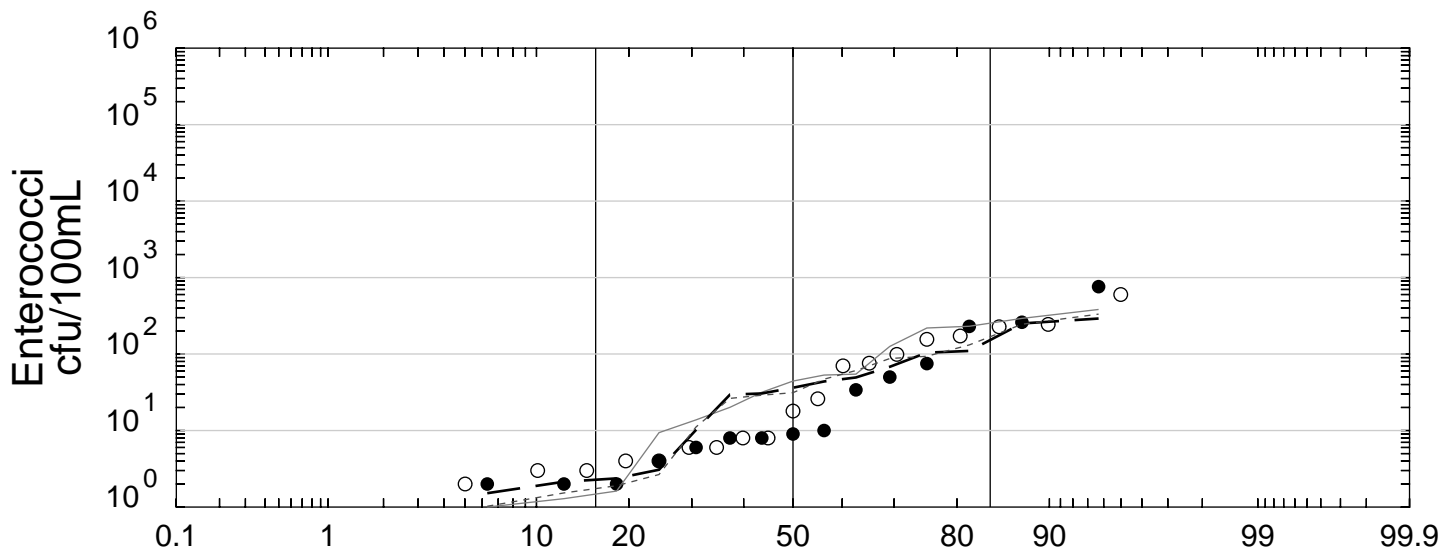
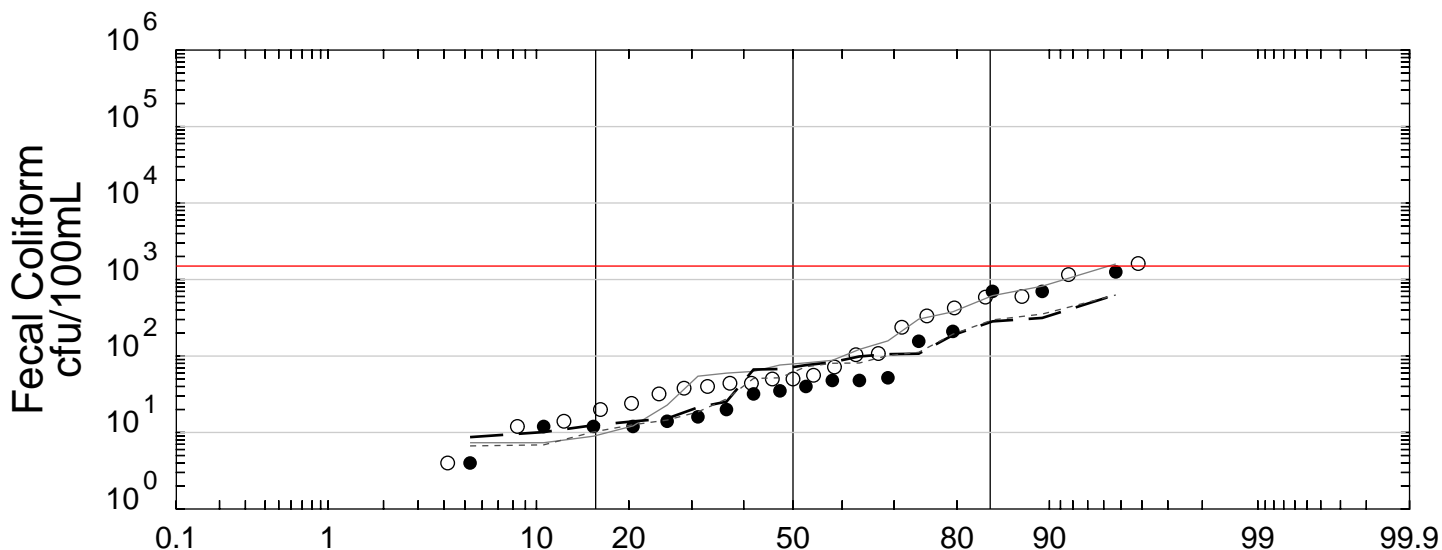


Probability

- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- . - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

Station: 21

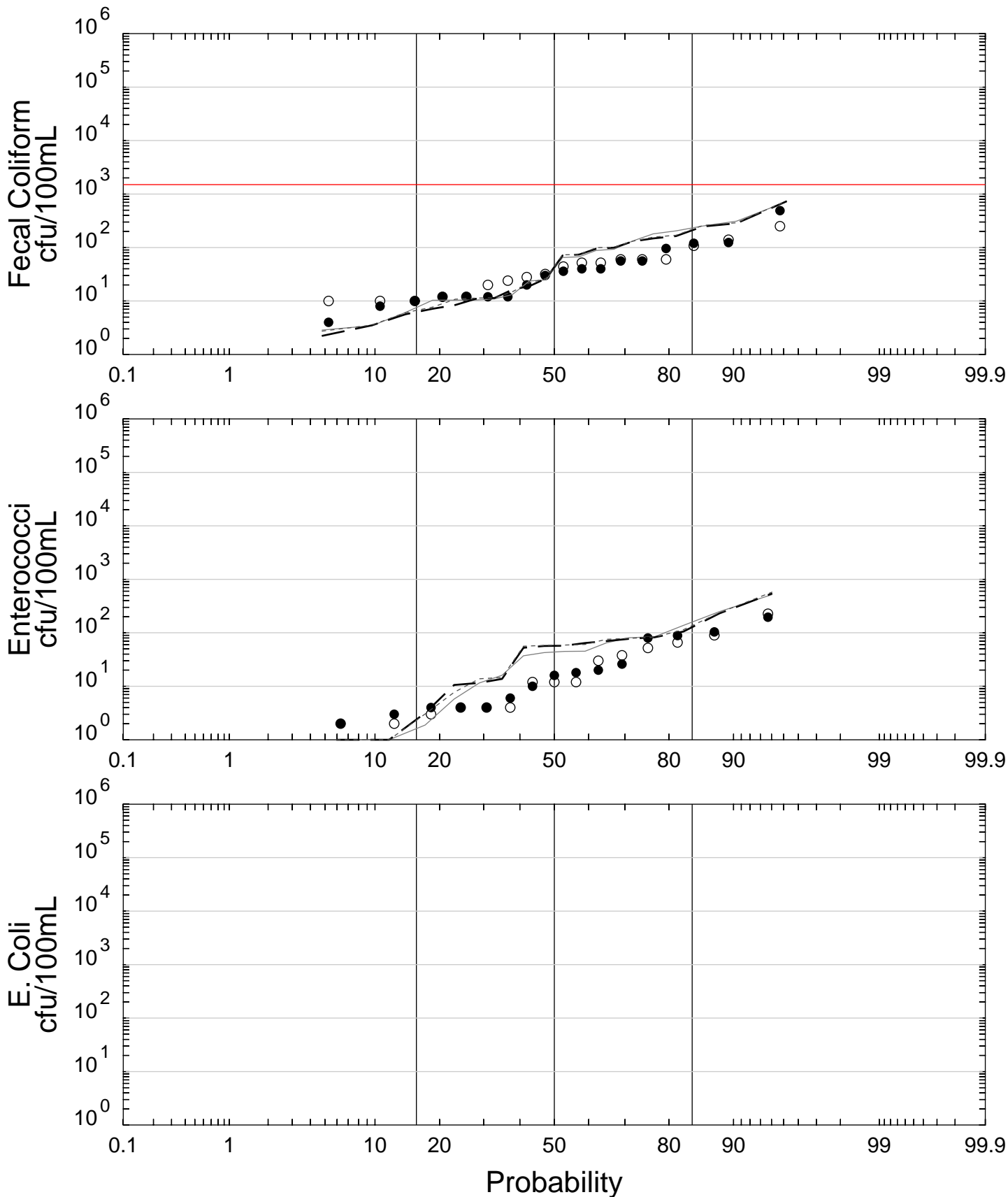


Probability

- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

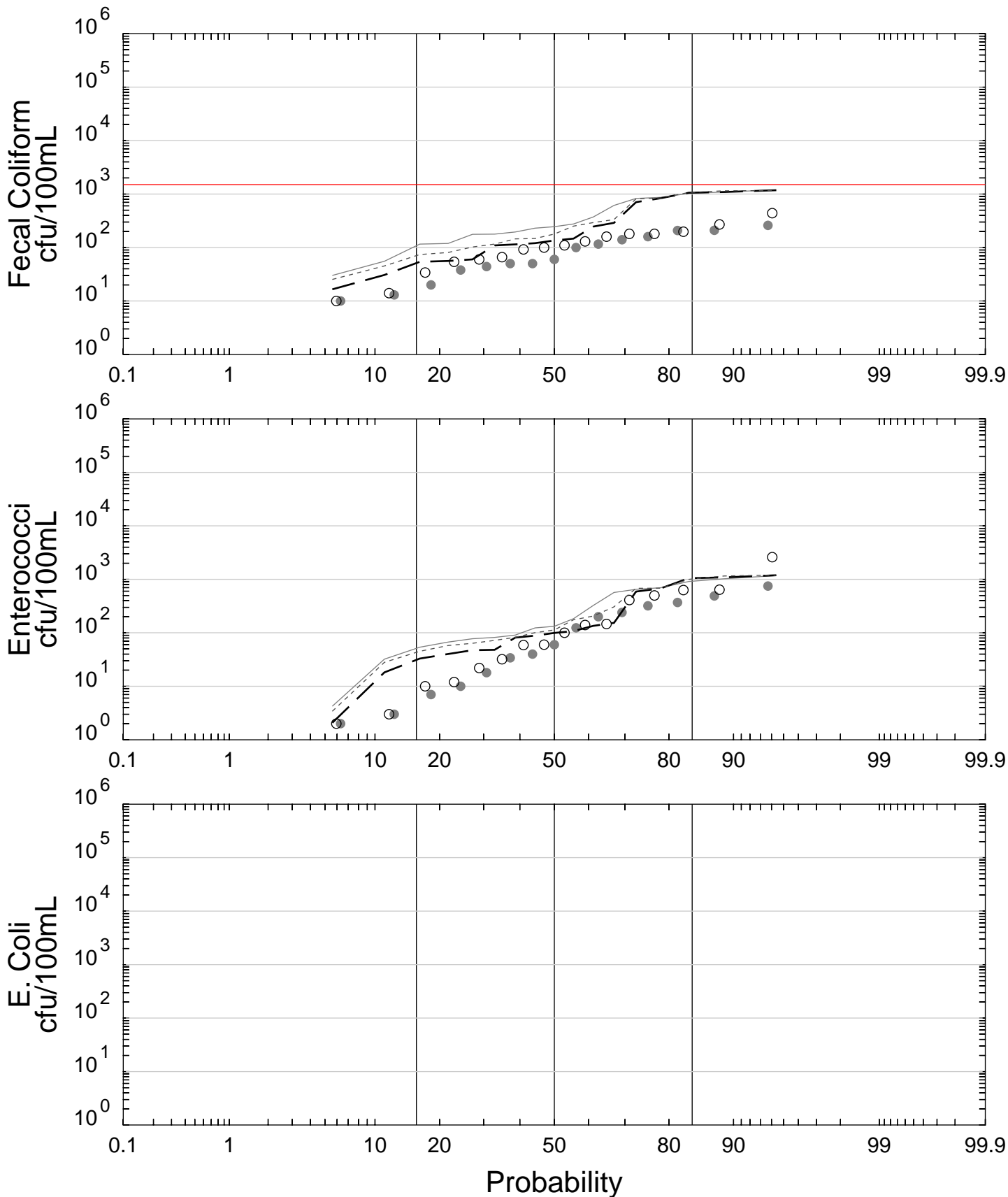
## Station: 23



- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

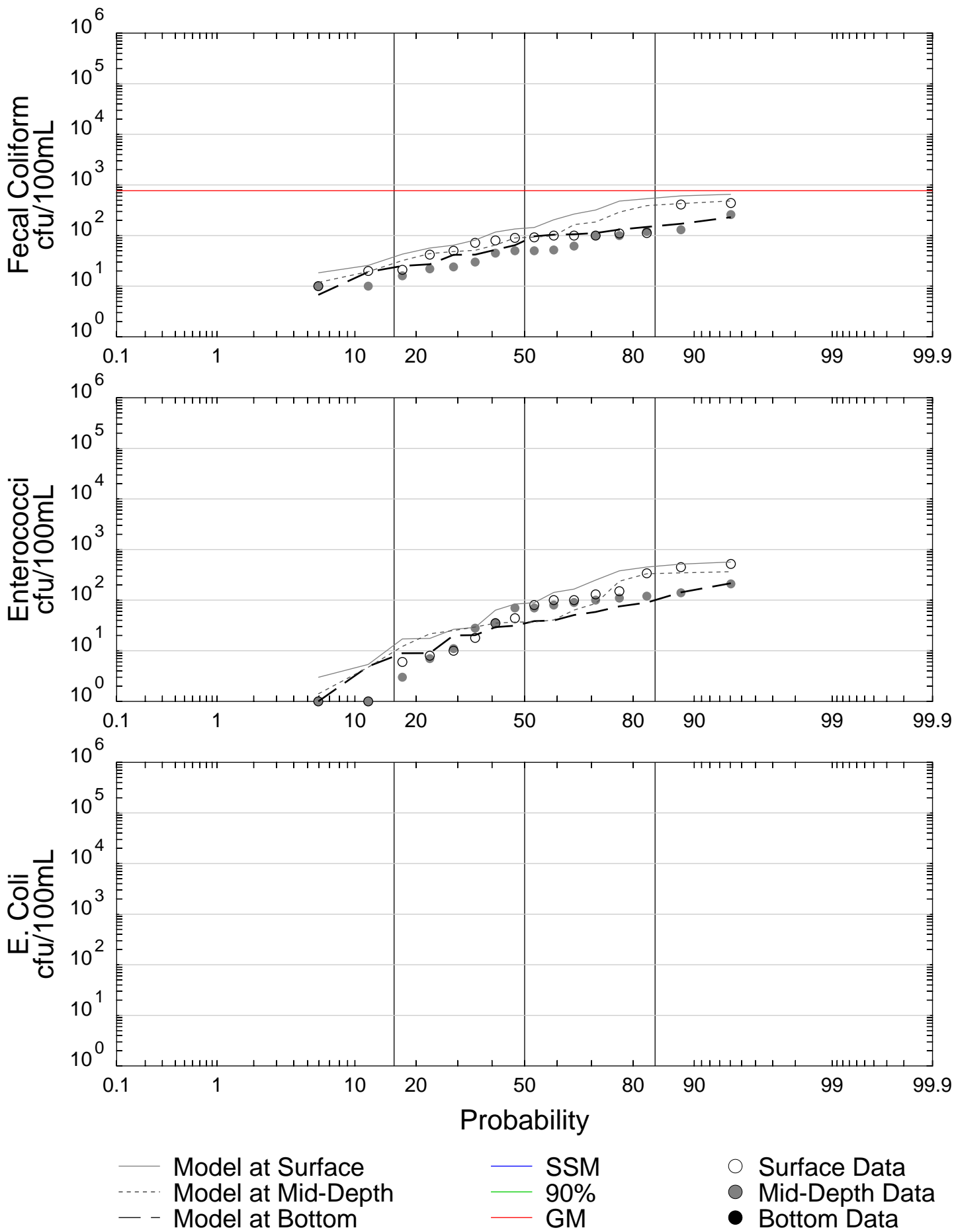
Station: 24



- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

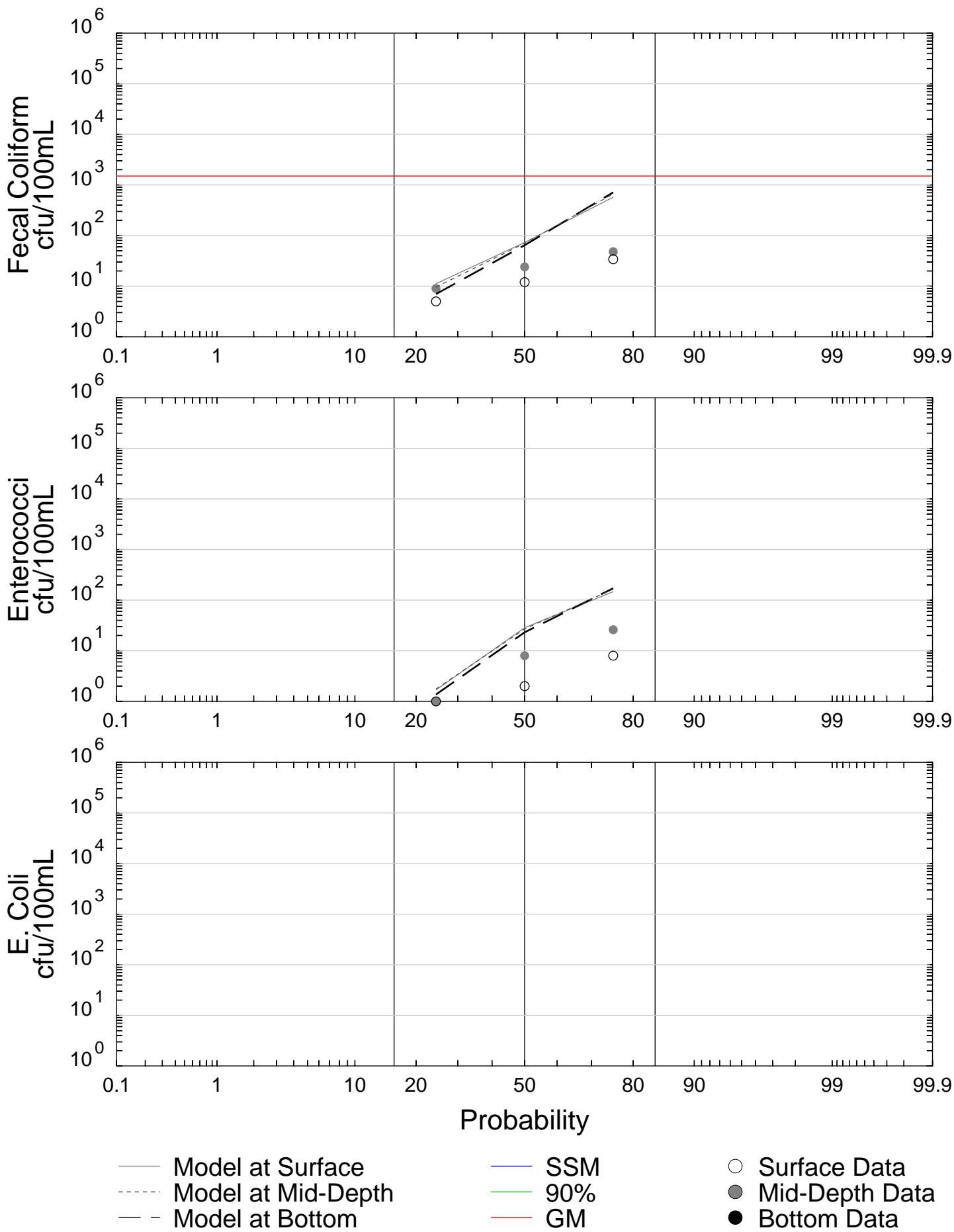
Model Results during data sampling hours only

## Station: B15



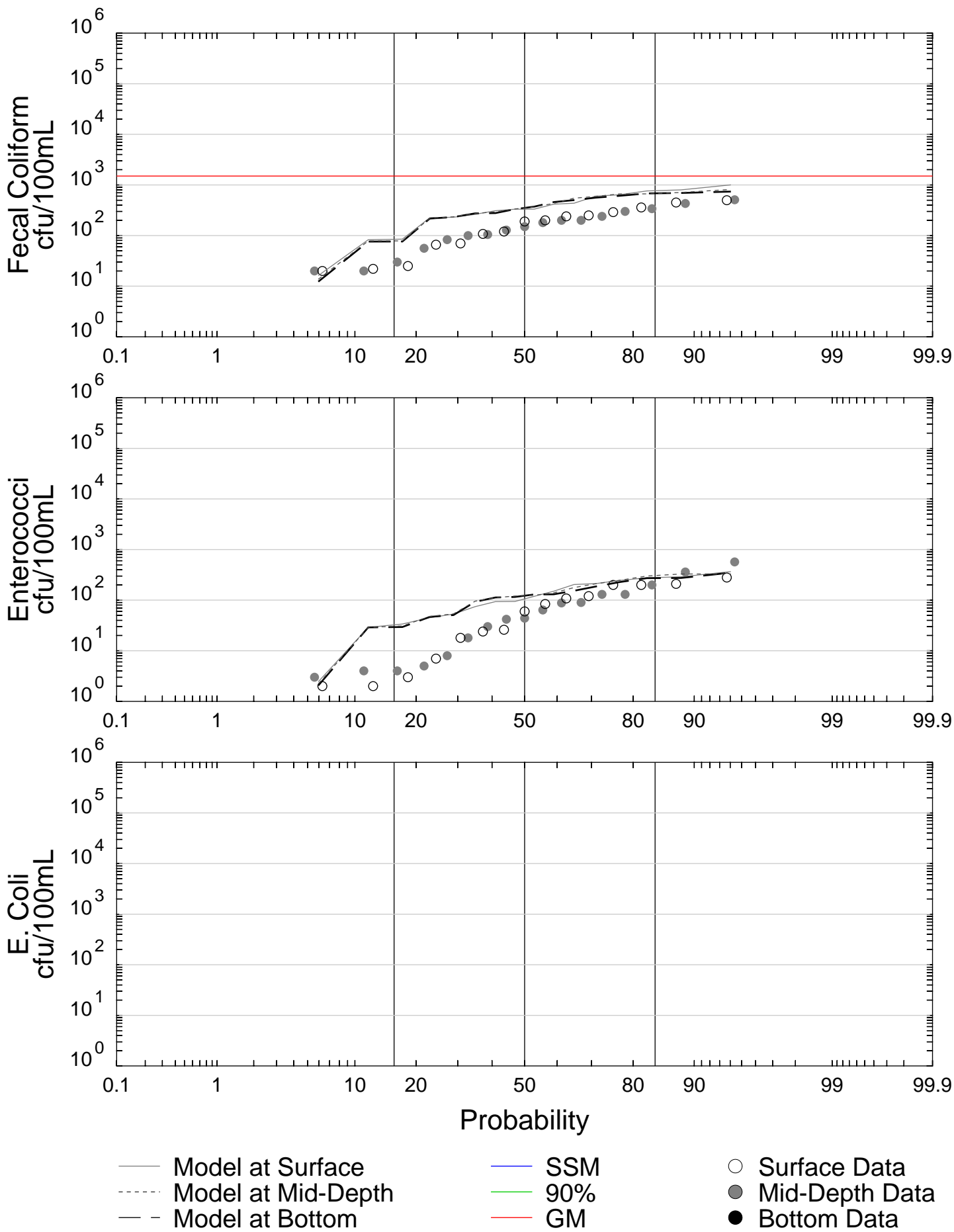
Model Results during data sampling hours only

## Station: B20



Model Results during data sampling hours only

## Station: B12

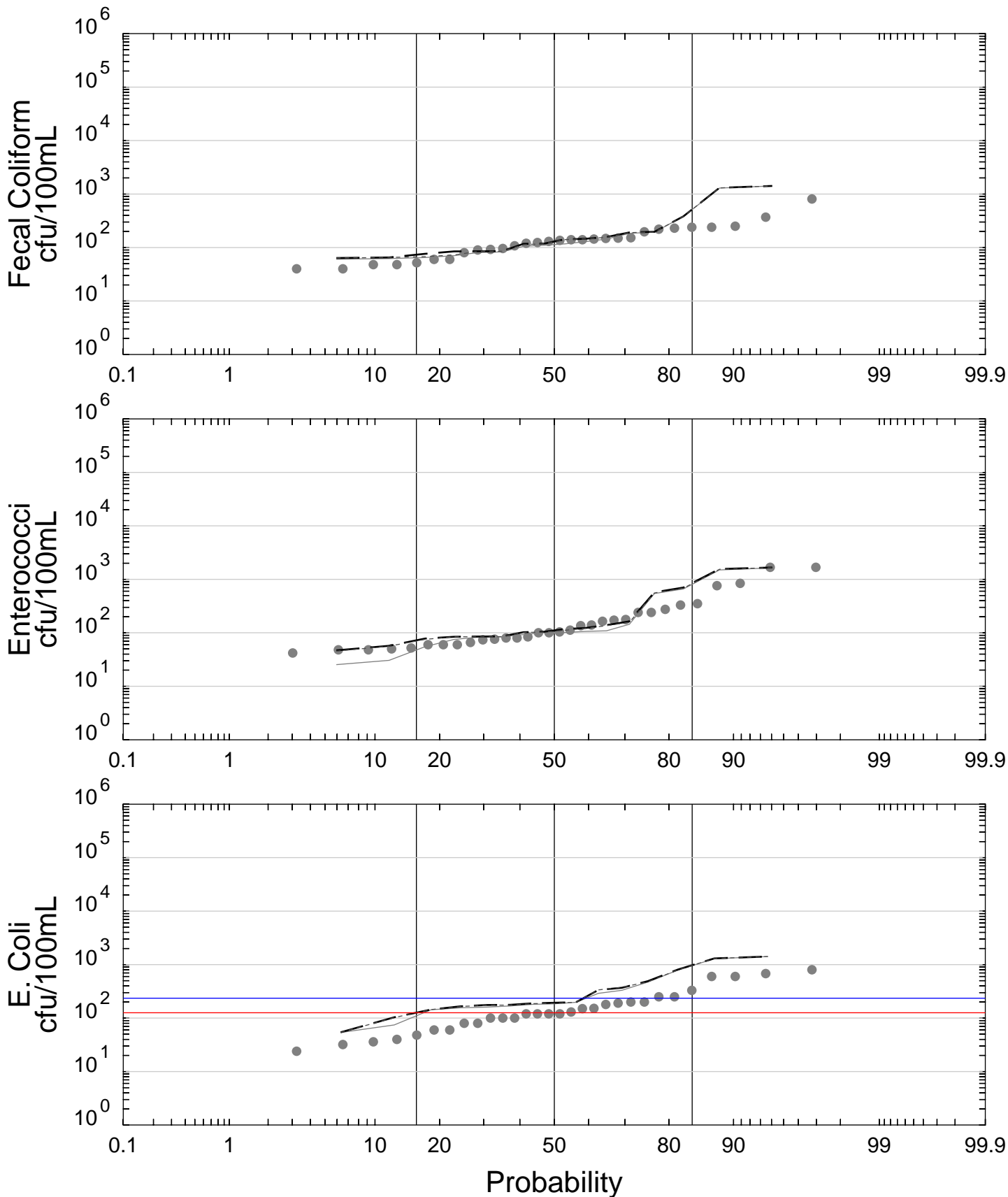


Model Results during data sampling hours only

# RARITAN RIVER

# FW2

## Station: 25



- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- . - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

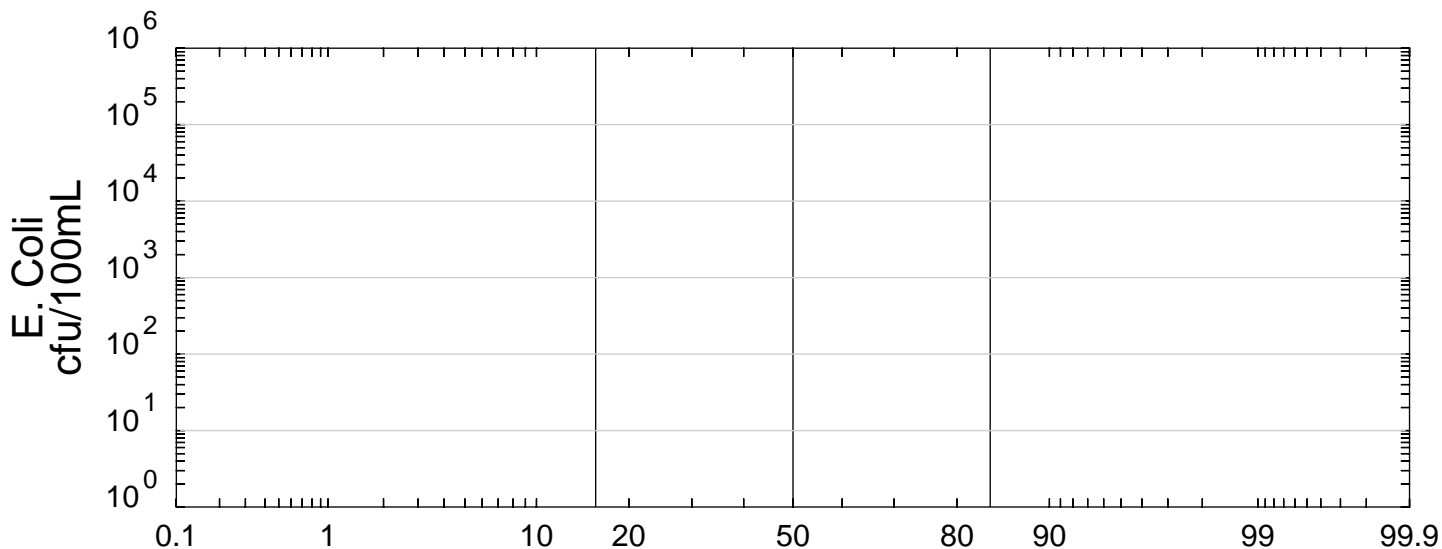
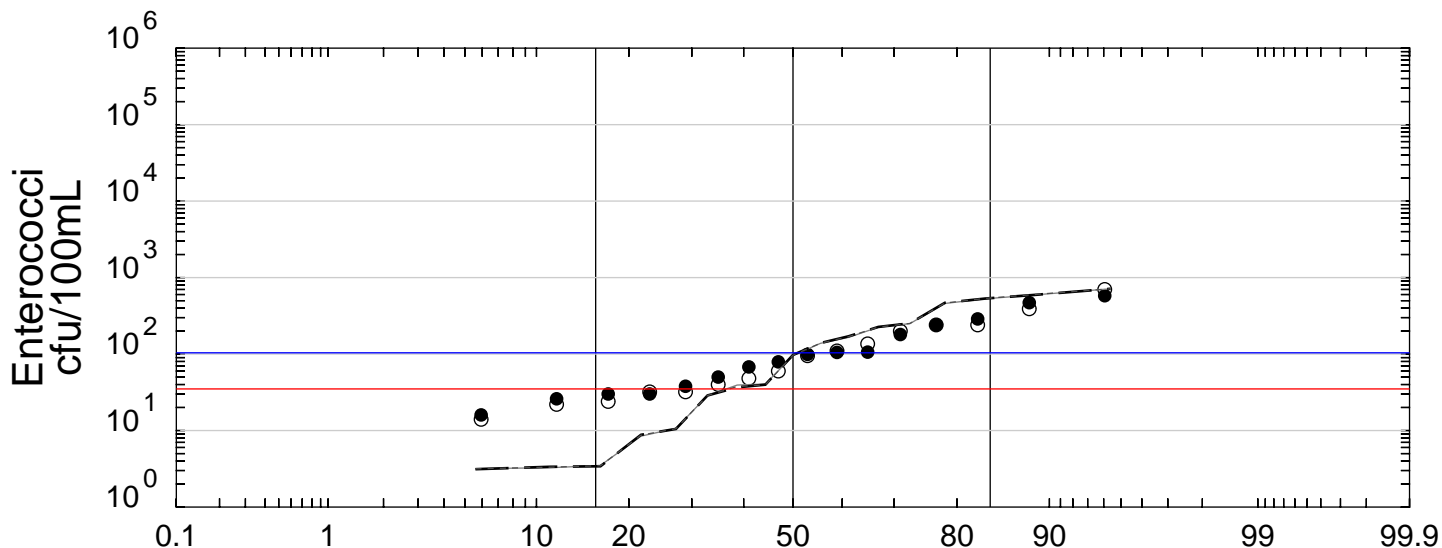
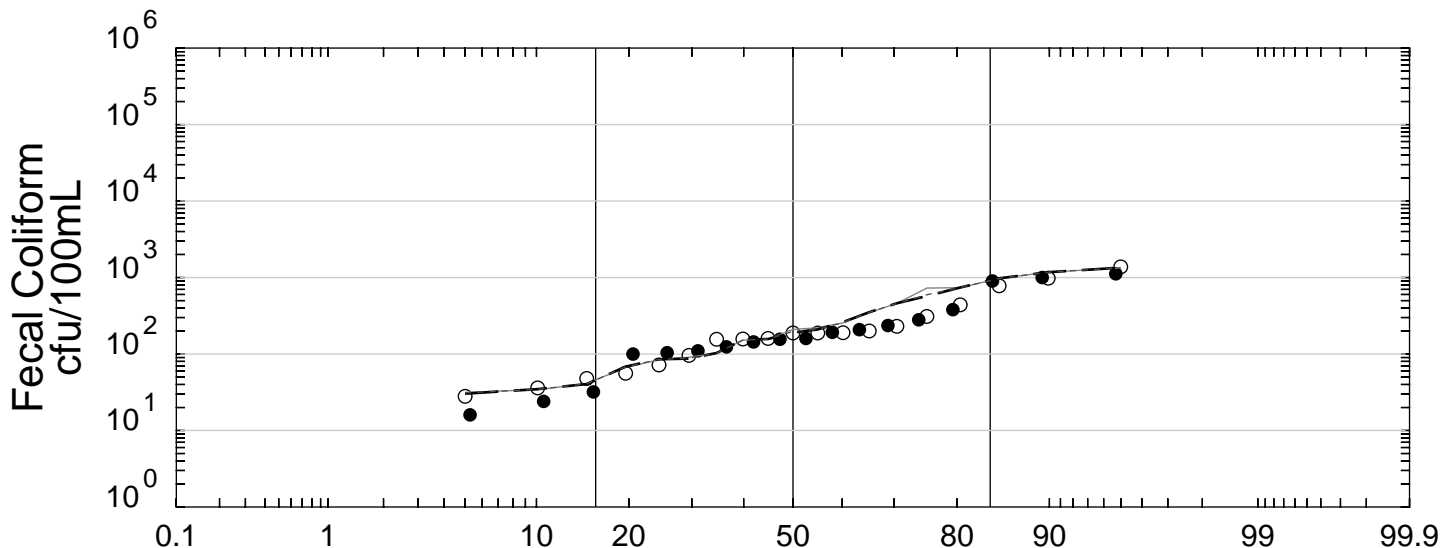
Model Results during data sampling hours only



# RARITAN RIVER

SE1

## Station: 26



Probability

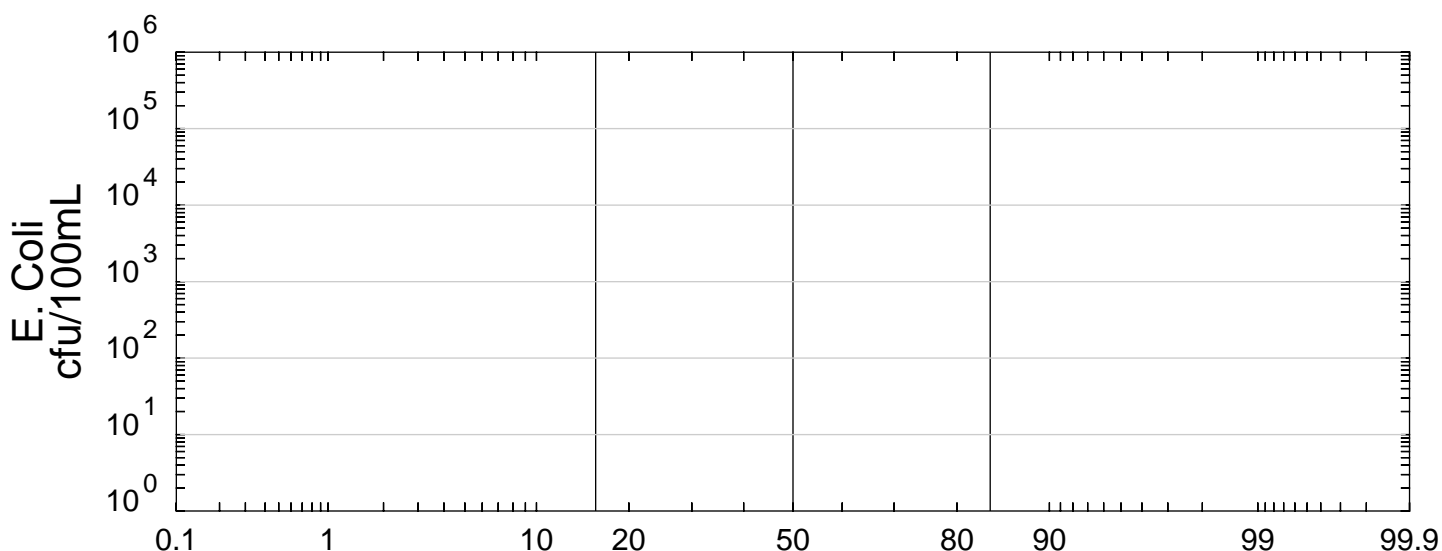
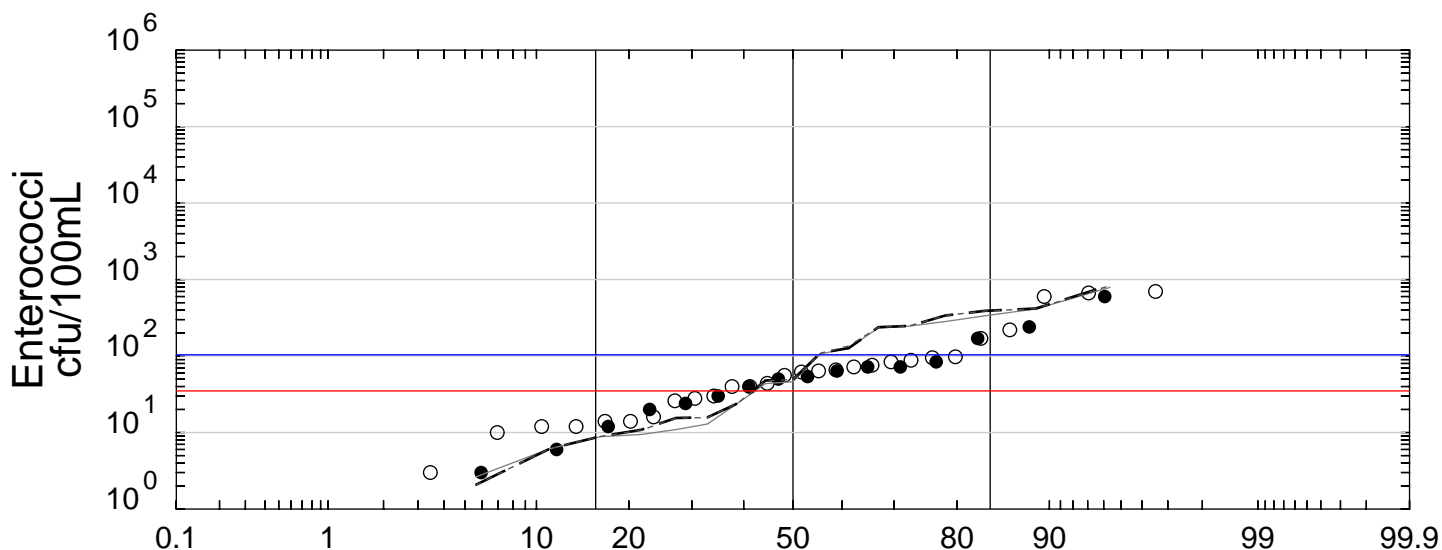
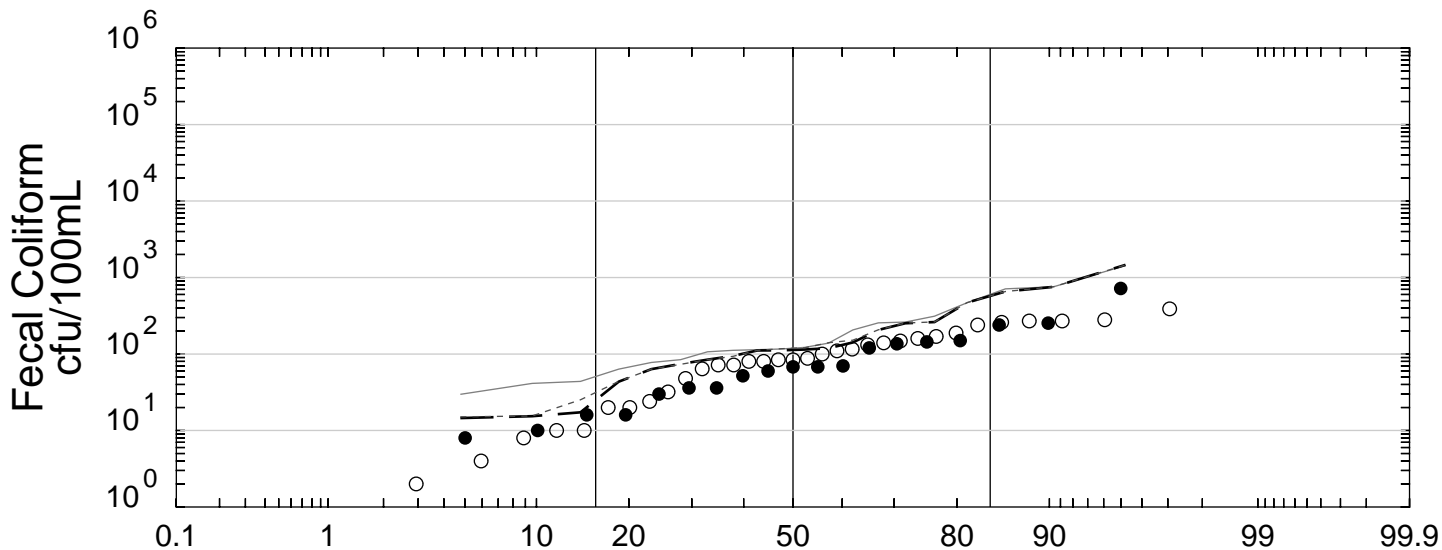
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# RARITAN RIVER

SE1

## Station: 27

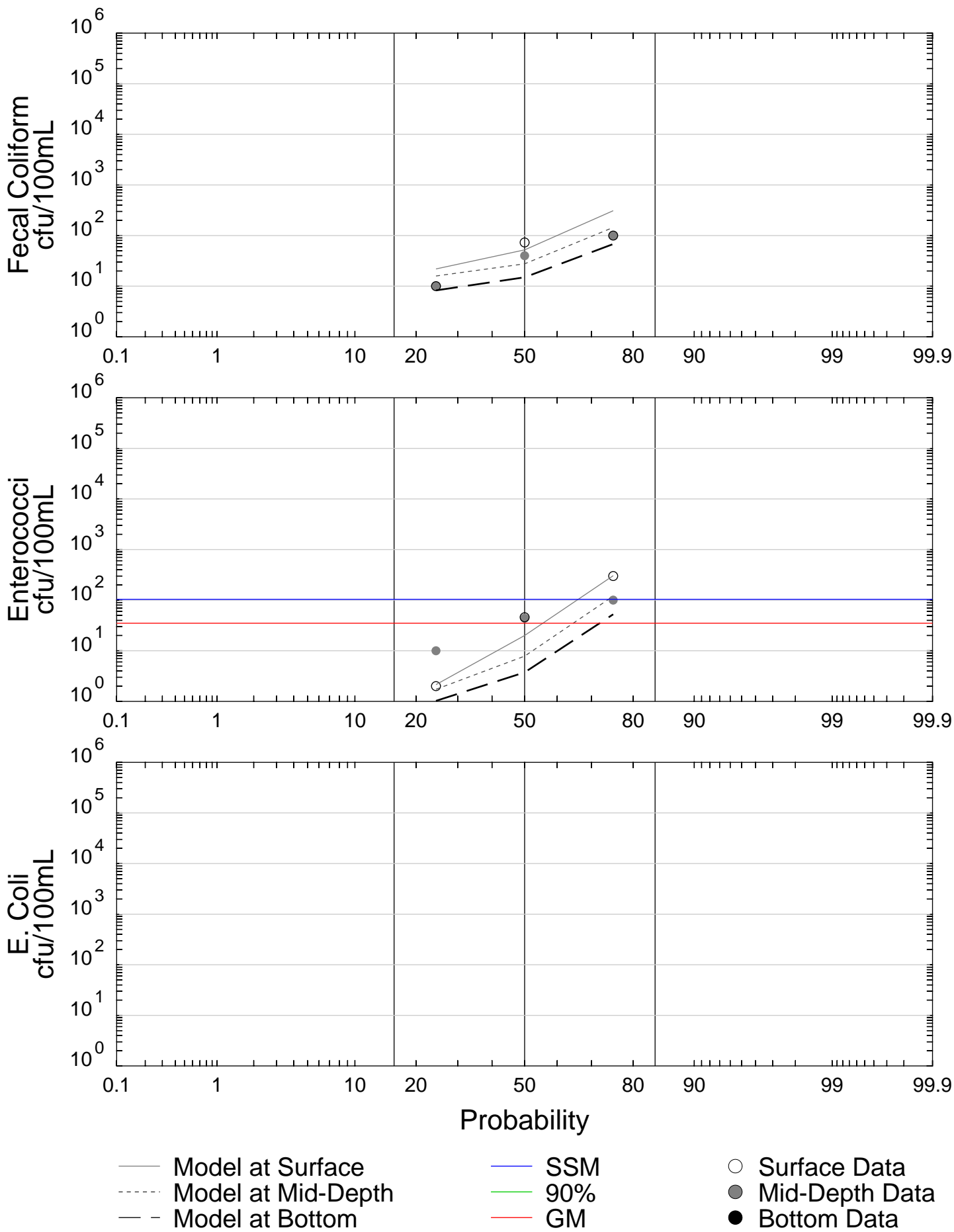


Probability

- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

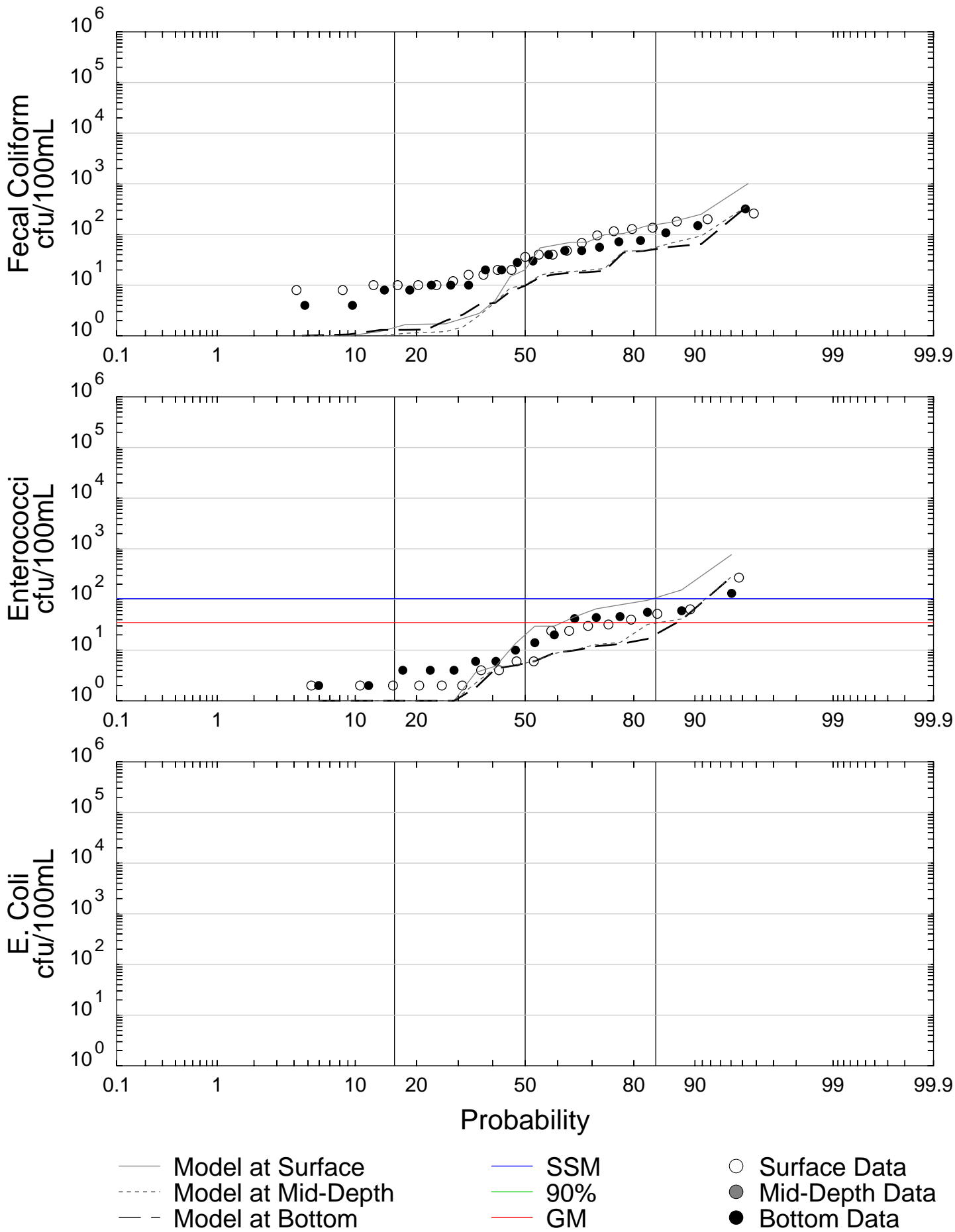
Model Results during data sampling hours only

## Station: B19



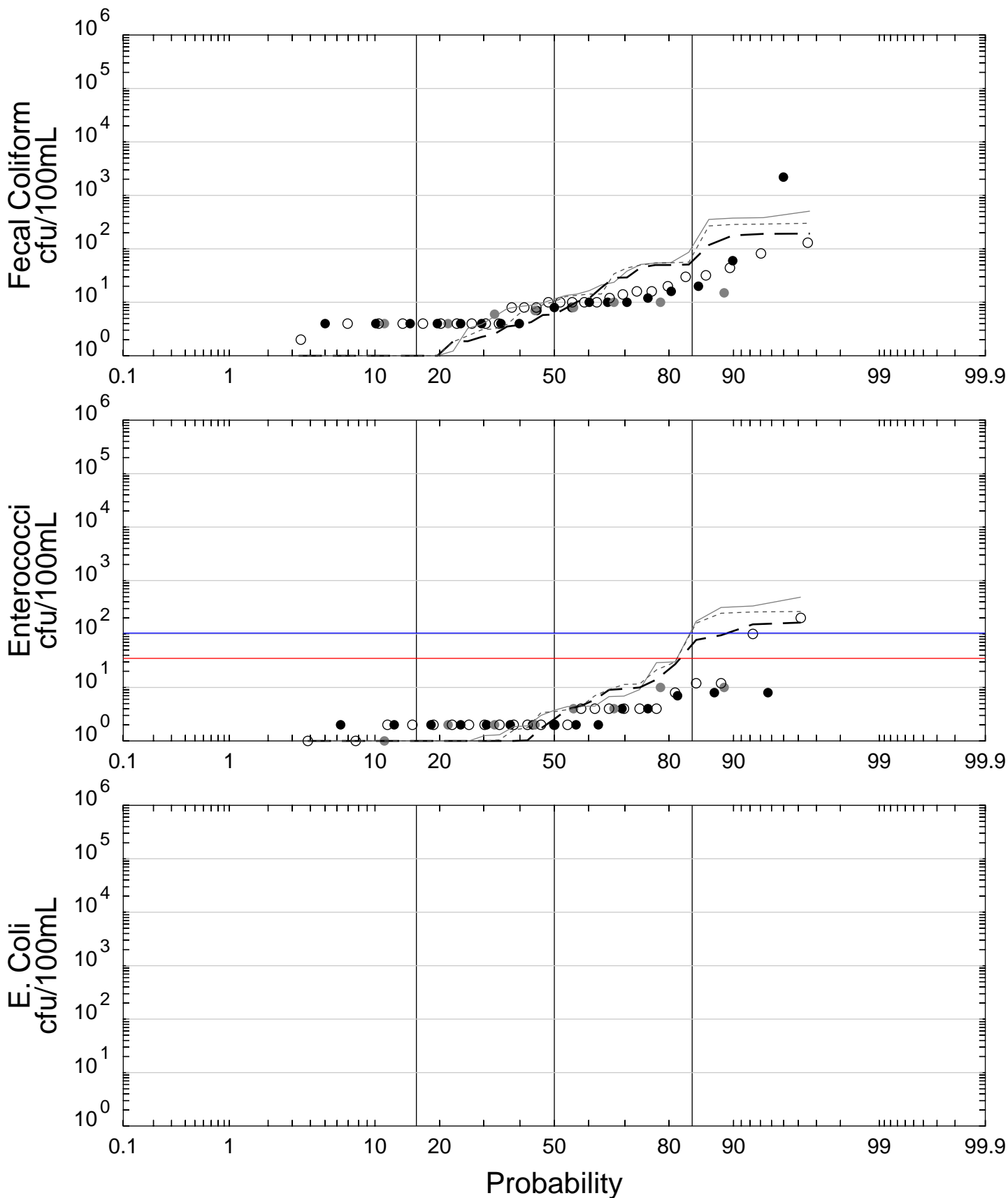
Model Results during data sampling hours only

## Station: 28



Model Results during data sampling hours only

Station: 29



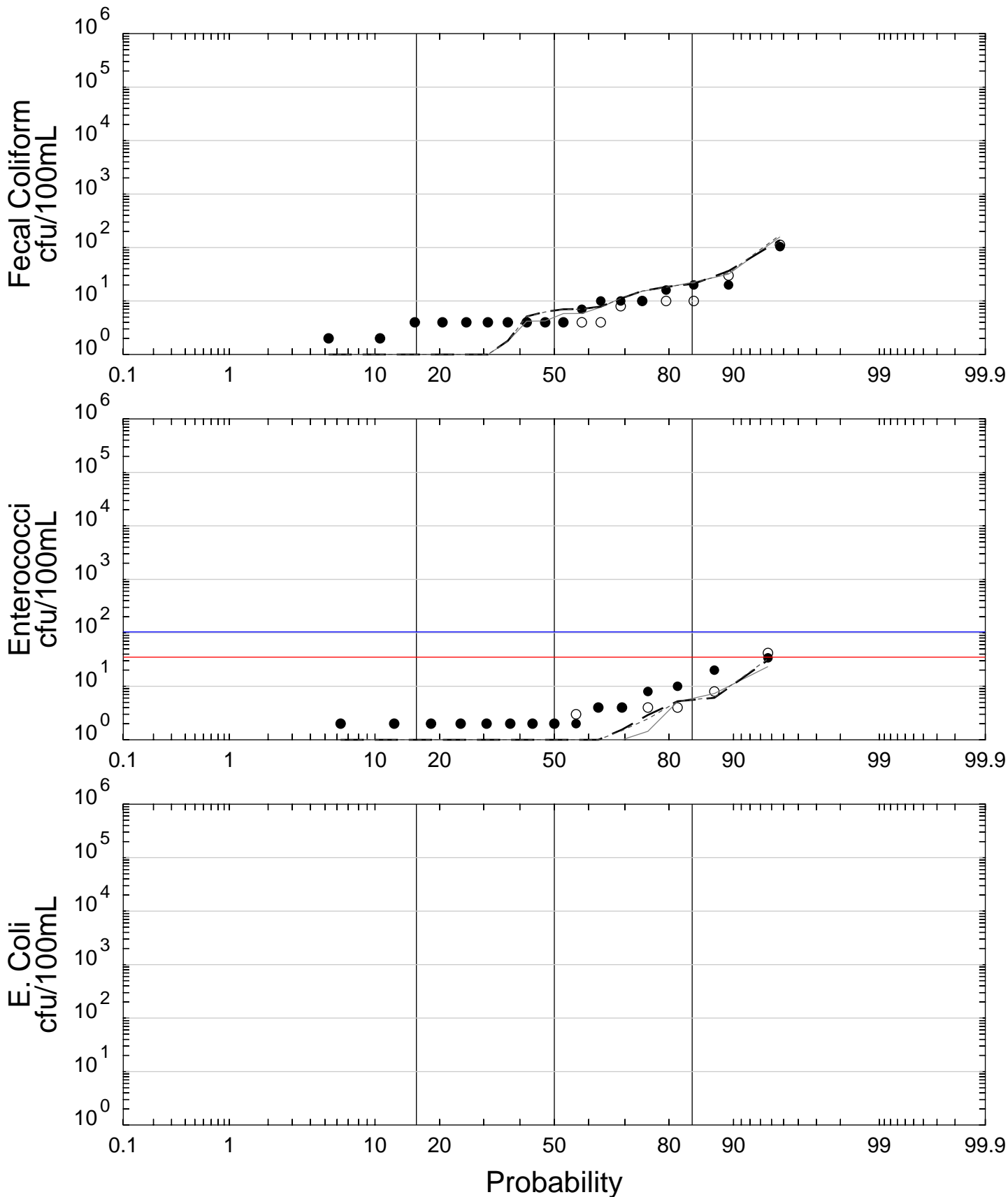
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# RARITAN BAY

SE1

## Station: 30



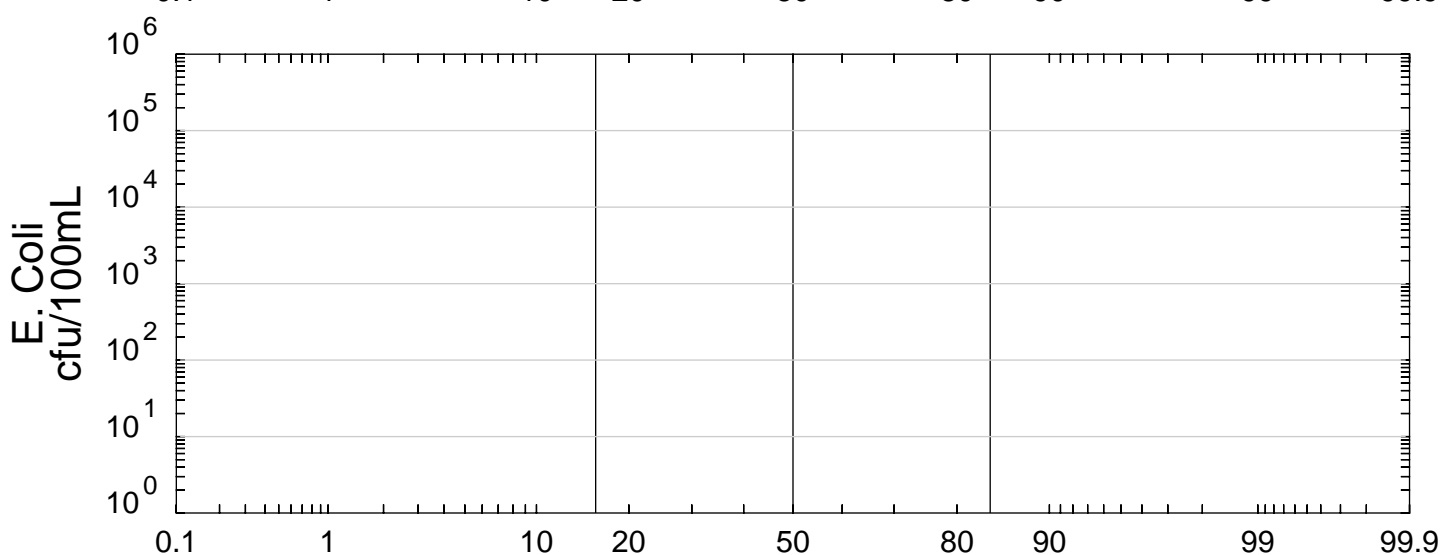
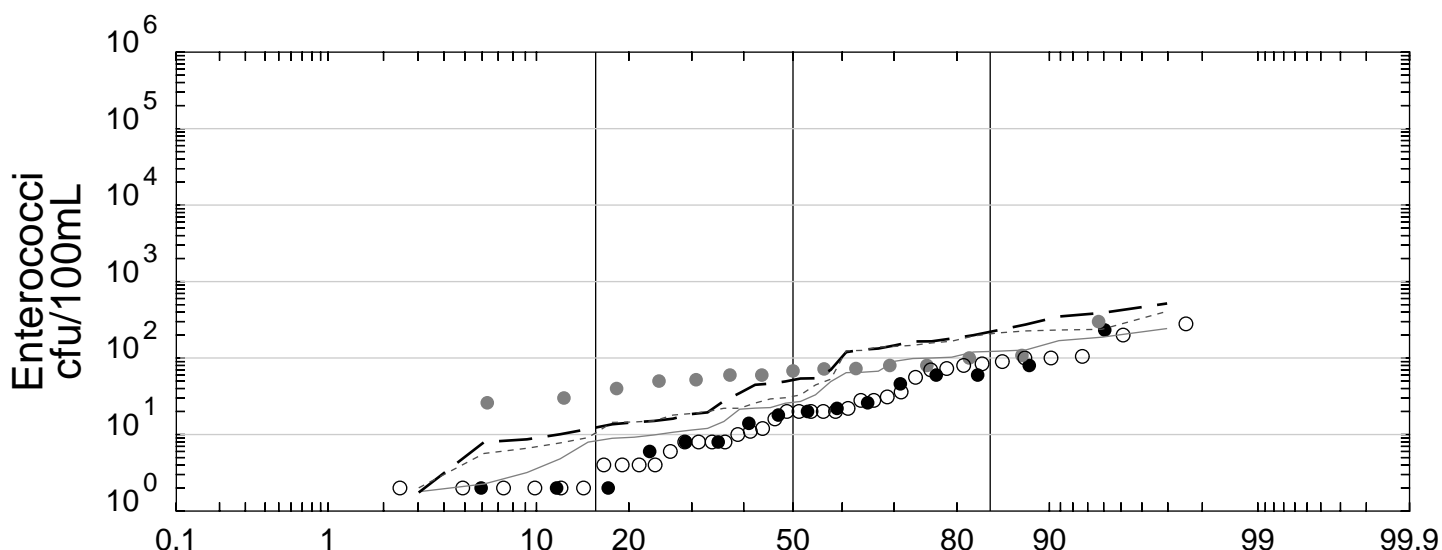
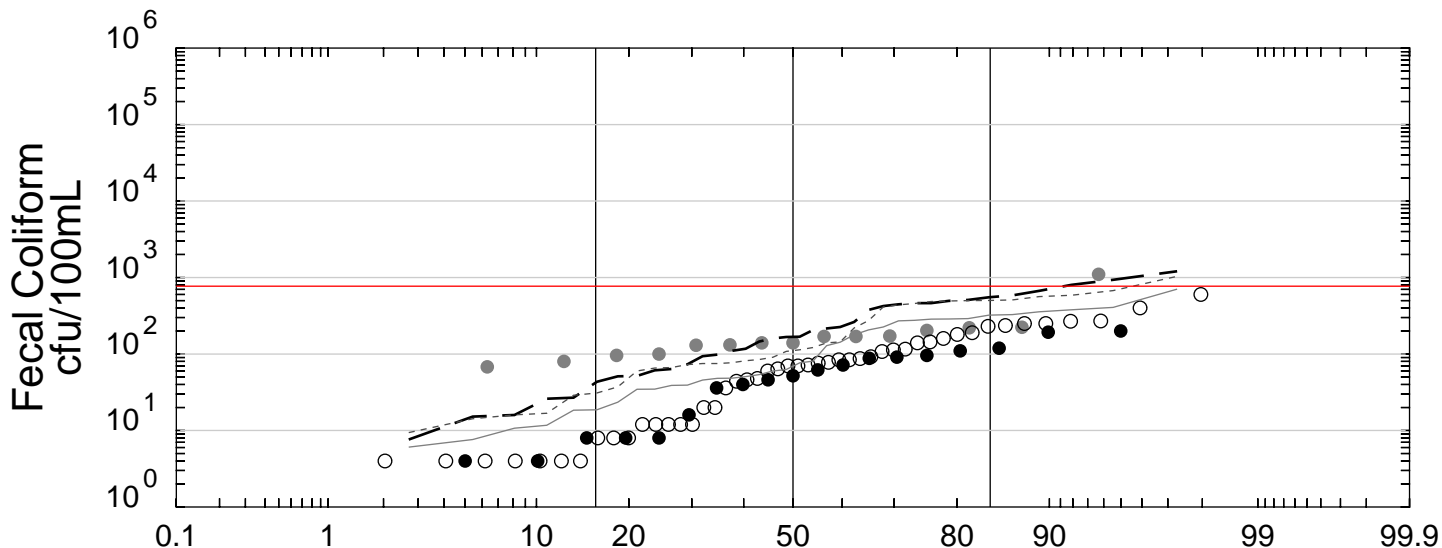
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HUDSON RIVER

SE2

## Station: 31



Probability

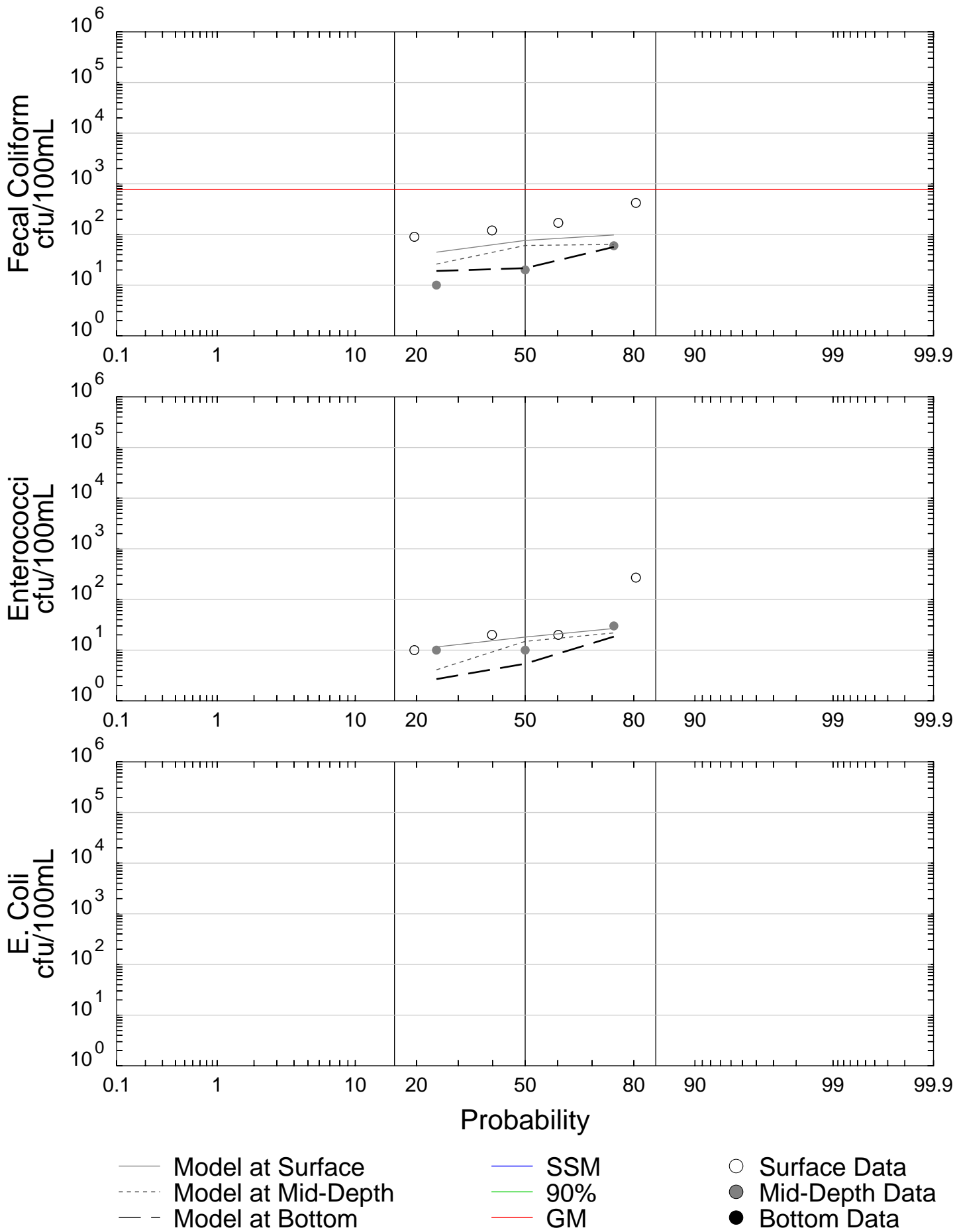
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HUDSON RIVER

# SE2

## Station: B5A



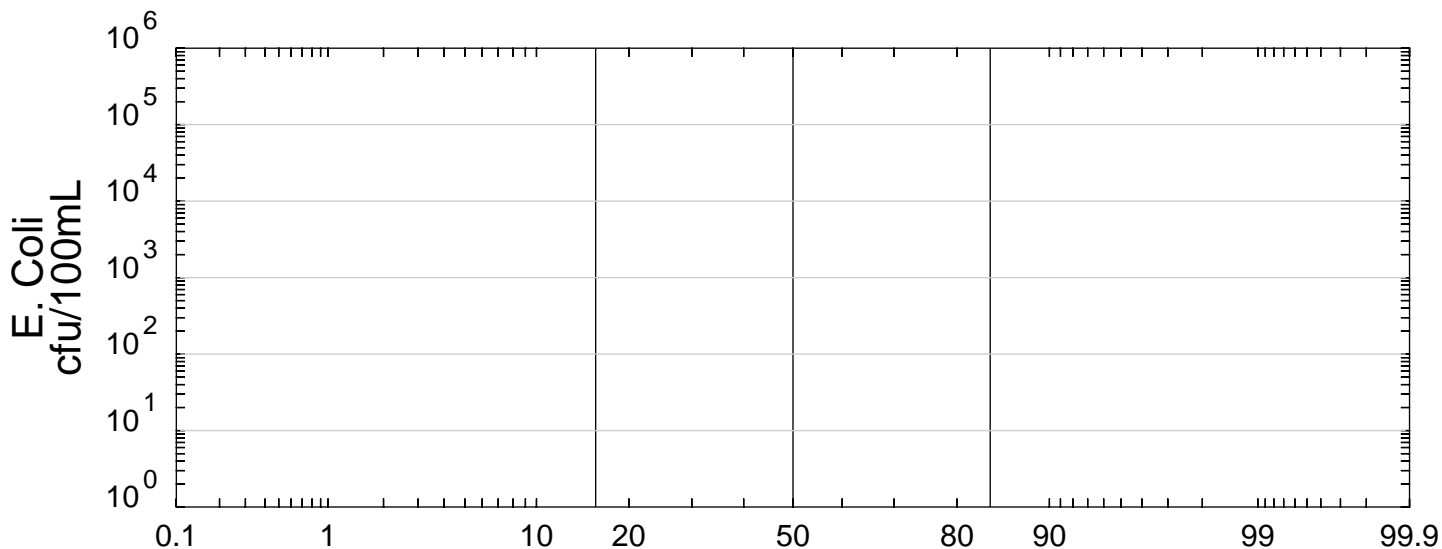
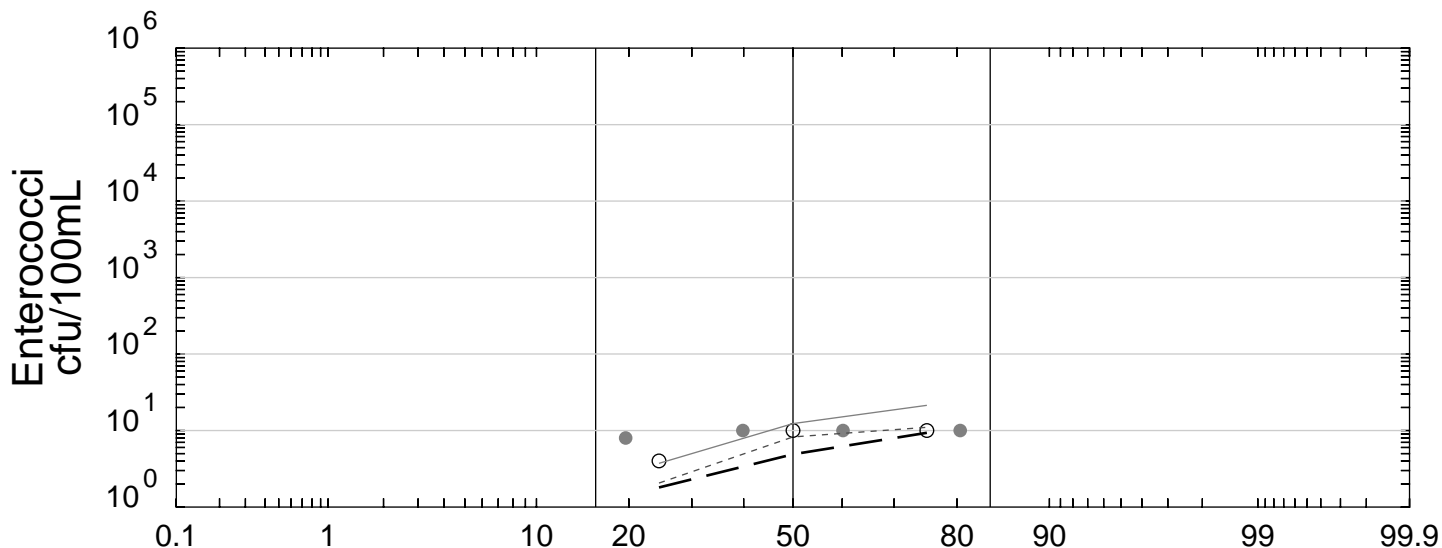
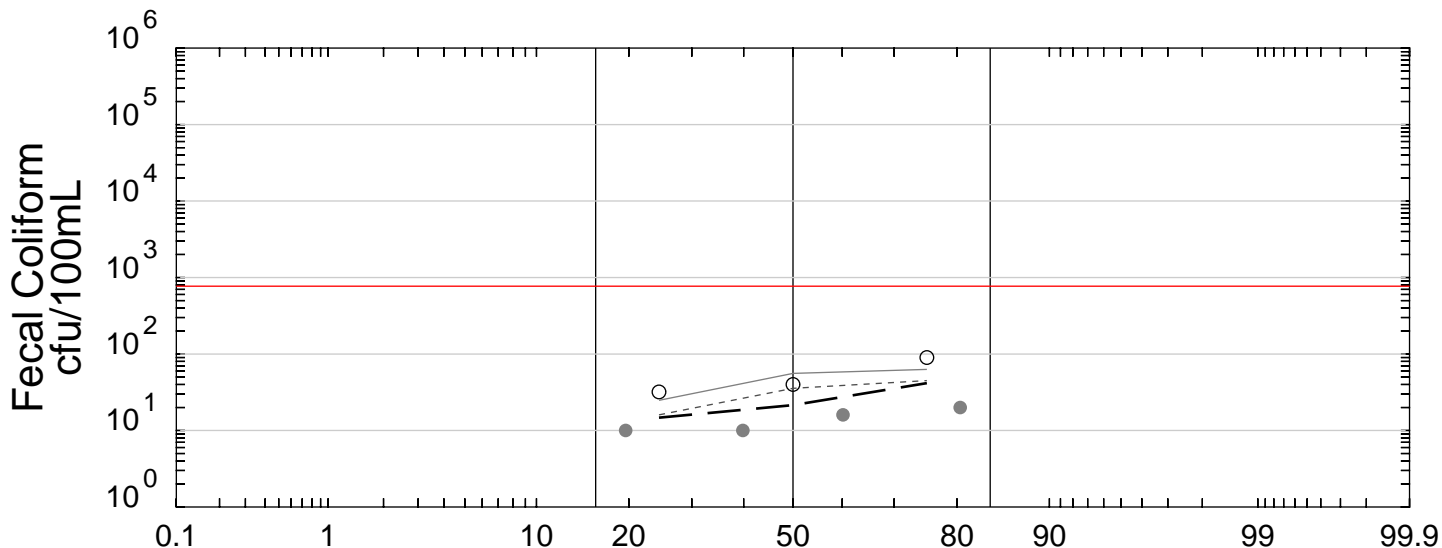
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# HUDSON RIVER

# SE2

## Station: B5B



Probability

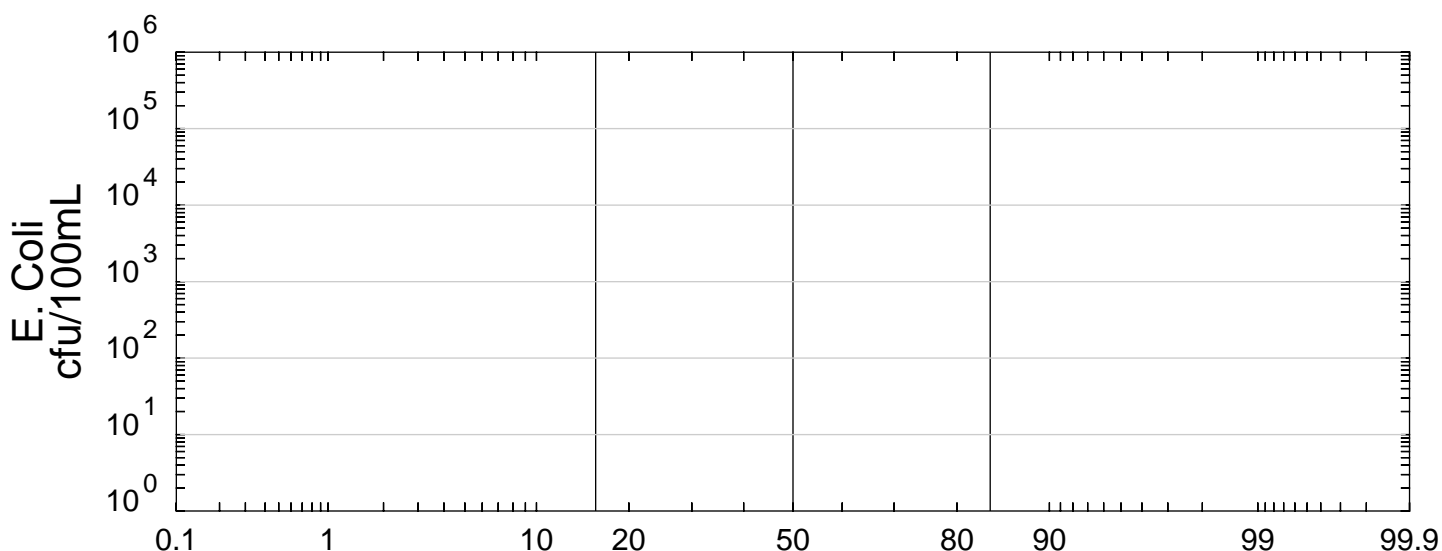
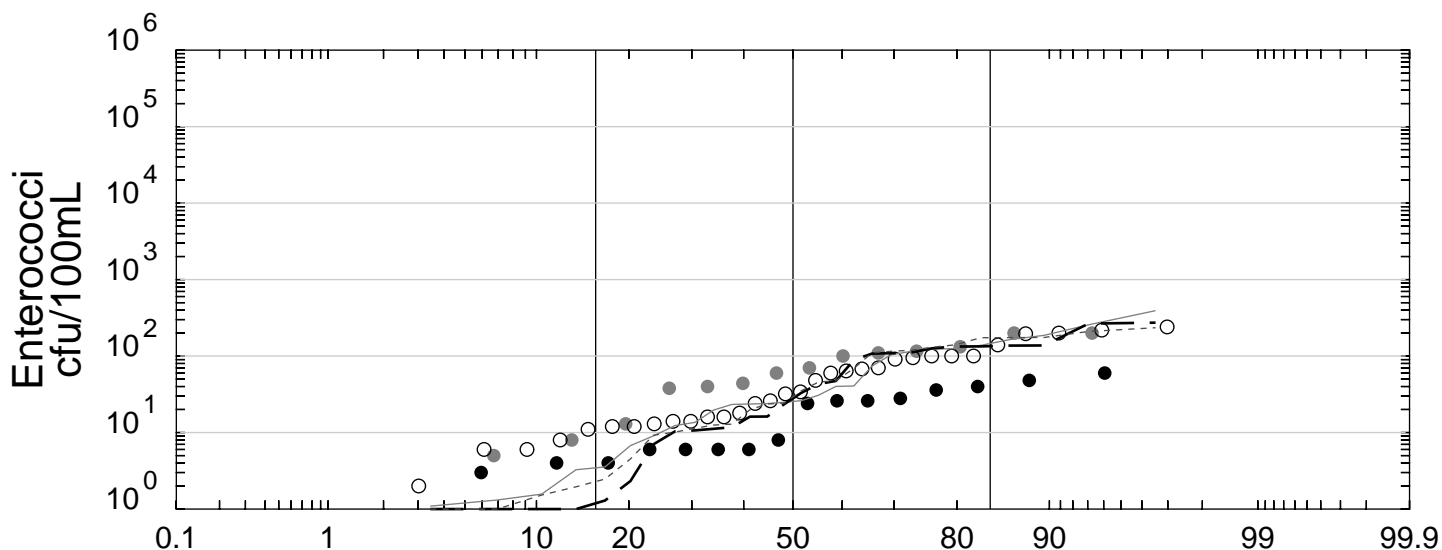
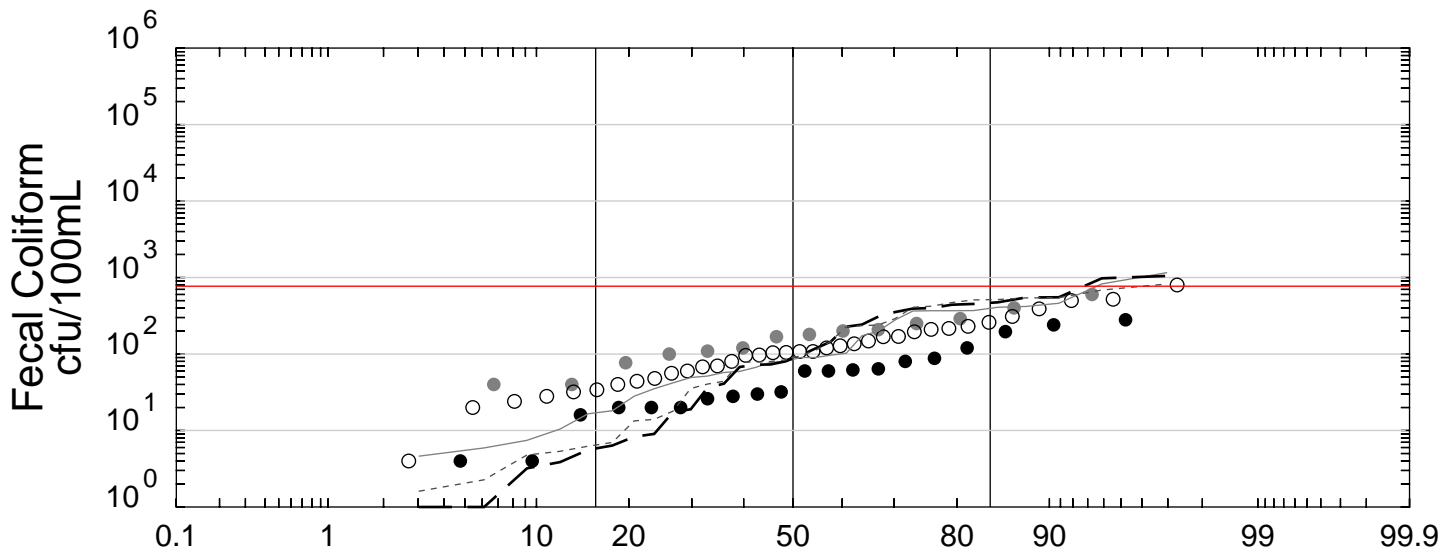
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

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# HUDSON RIVER

# SE2

## Station: 32



Probability

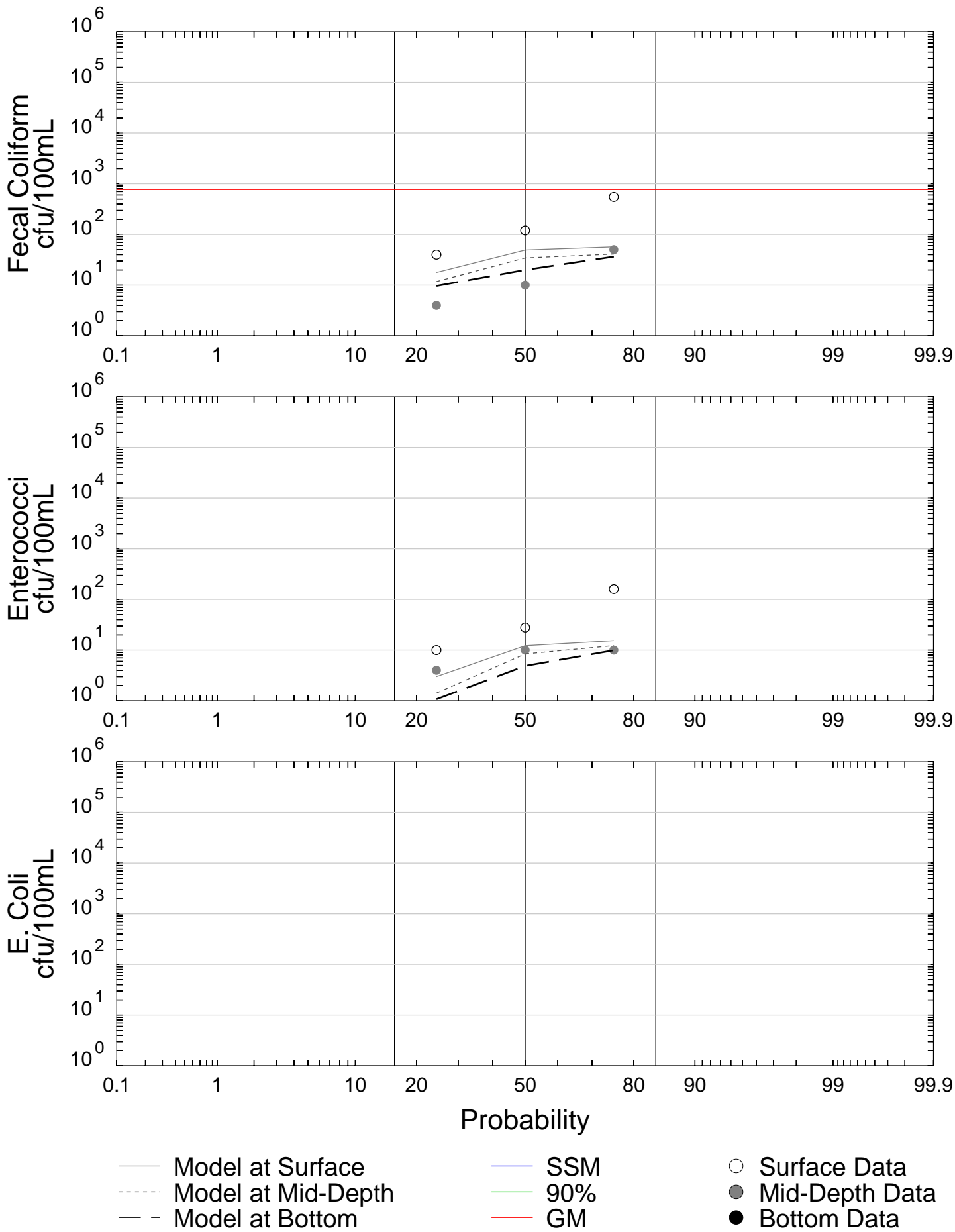
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- · - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

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# HUDSON RIVER

SE2

Station: B18A

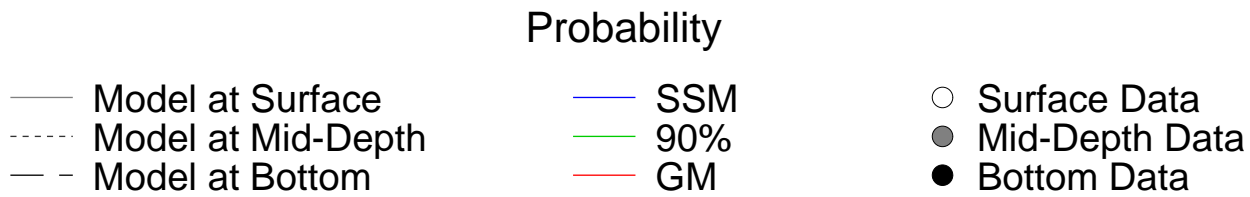
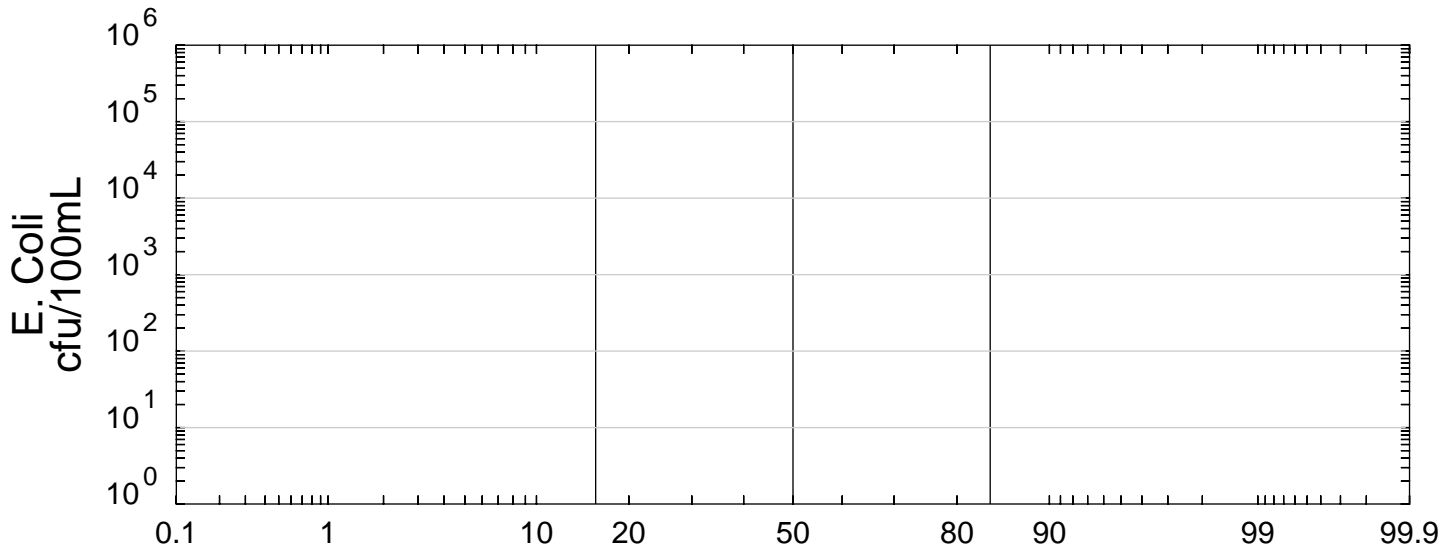
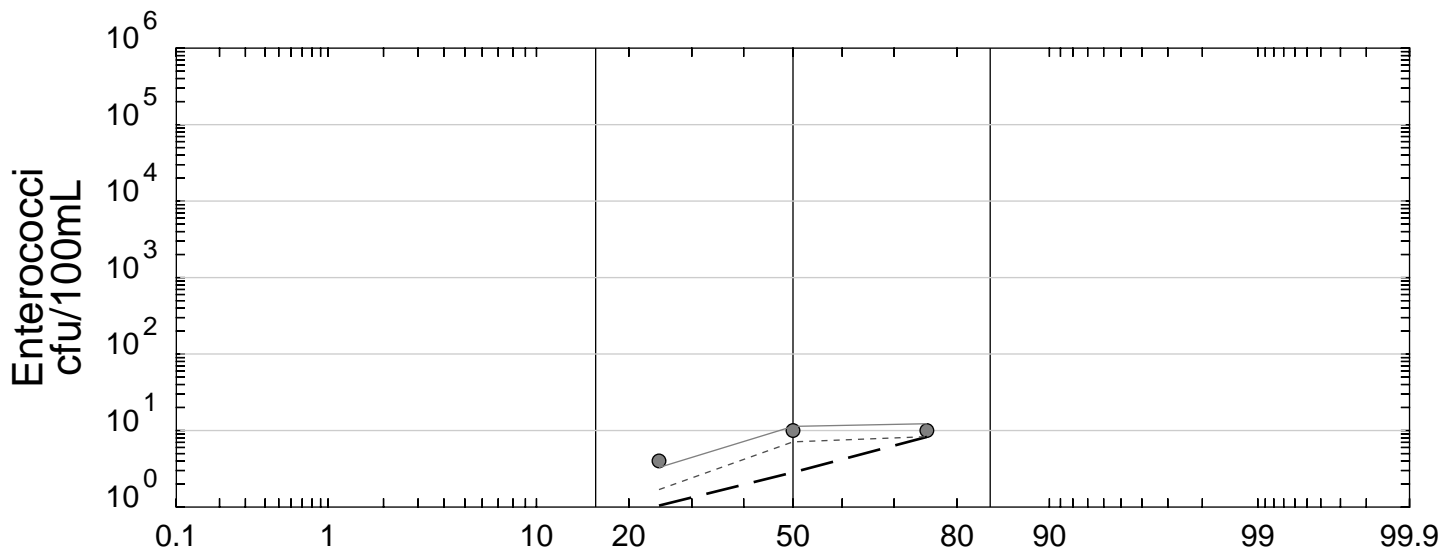
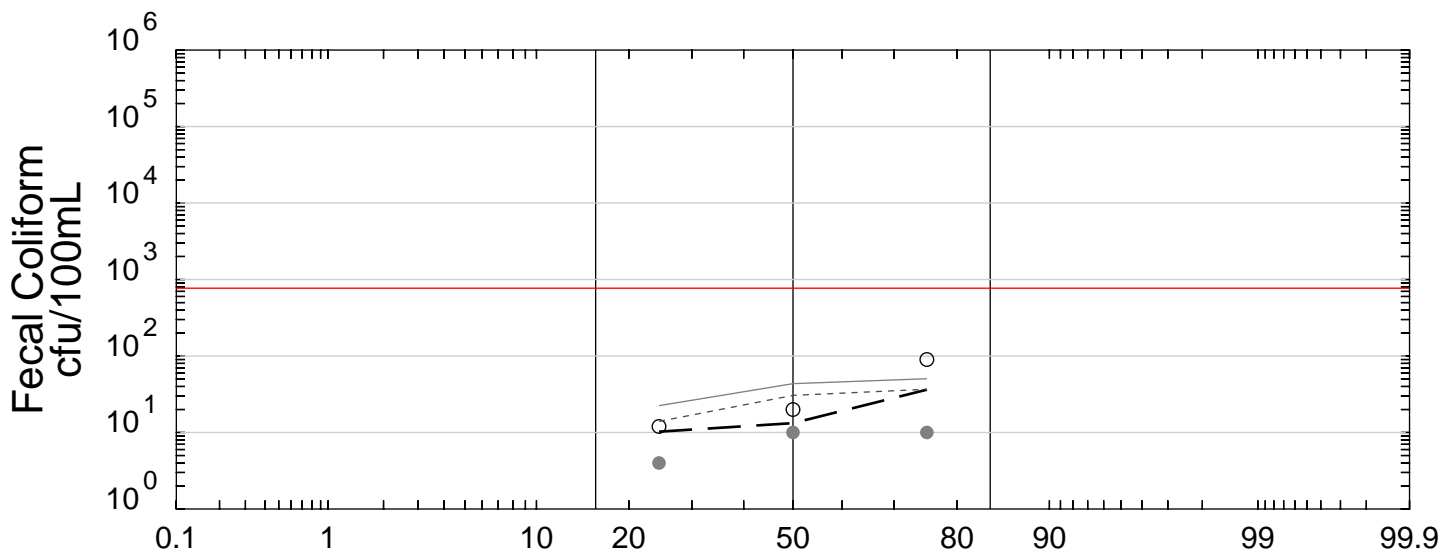


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# HUDSON RIVER

# SE2

## Station: B18B

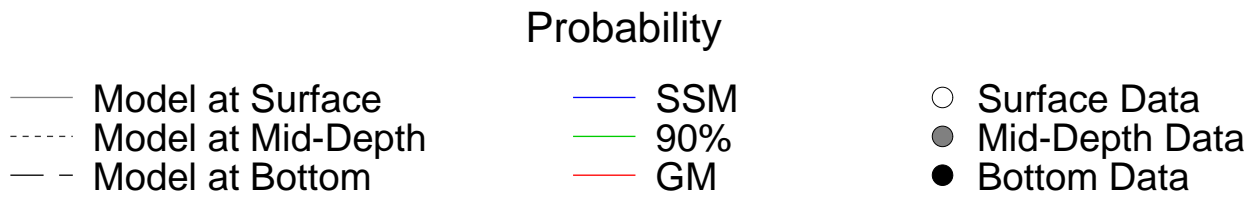
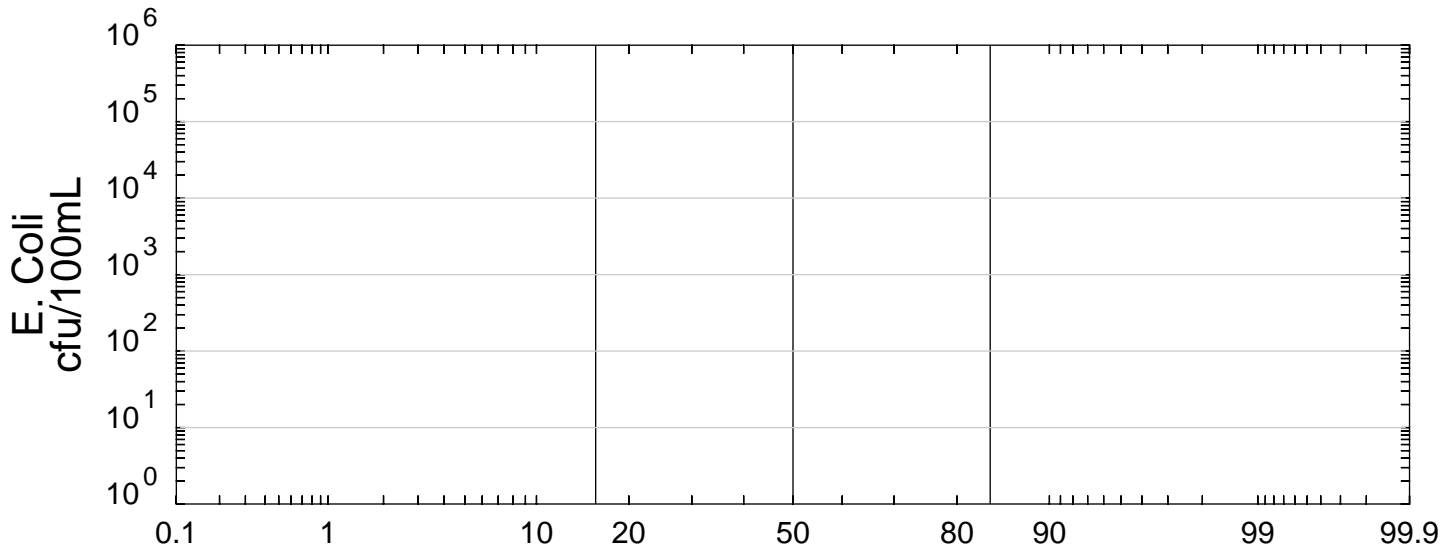
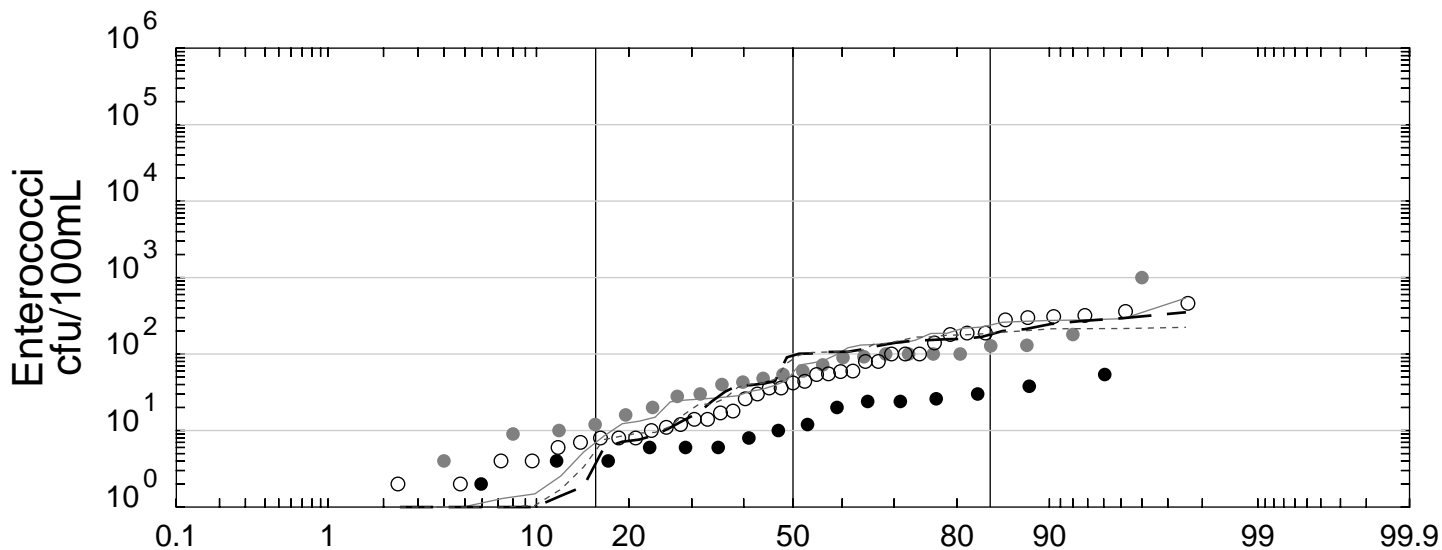
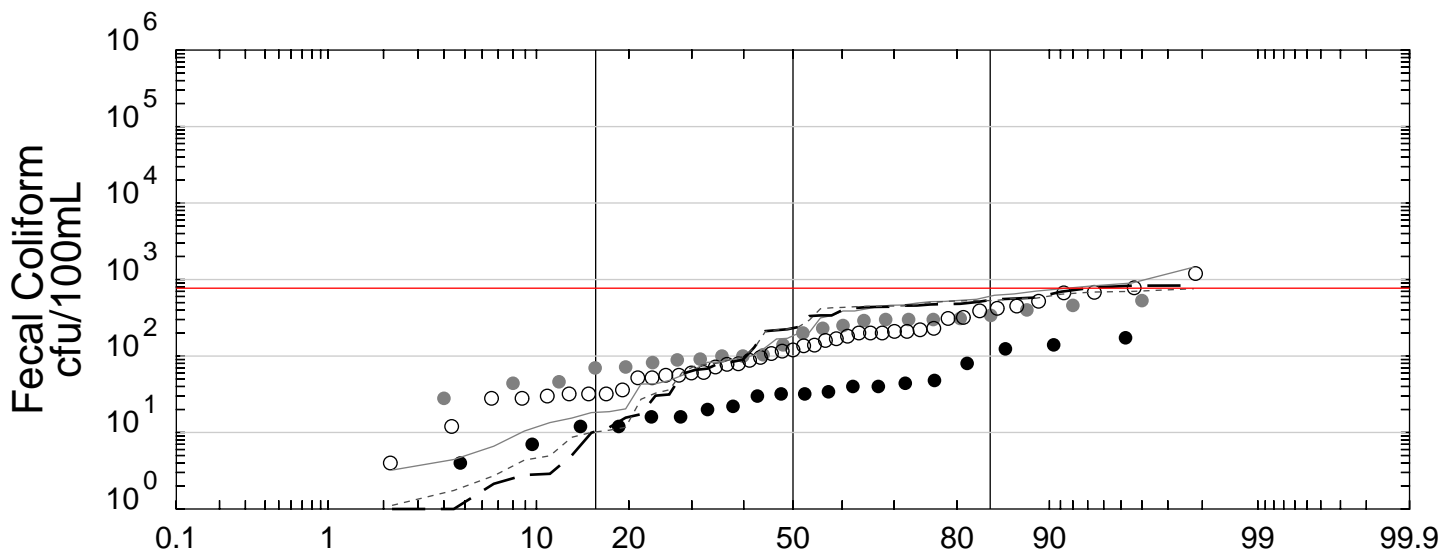


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# HUDSON RIVER

# SE2

## Station: 33

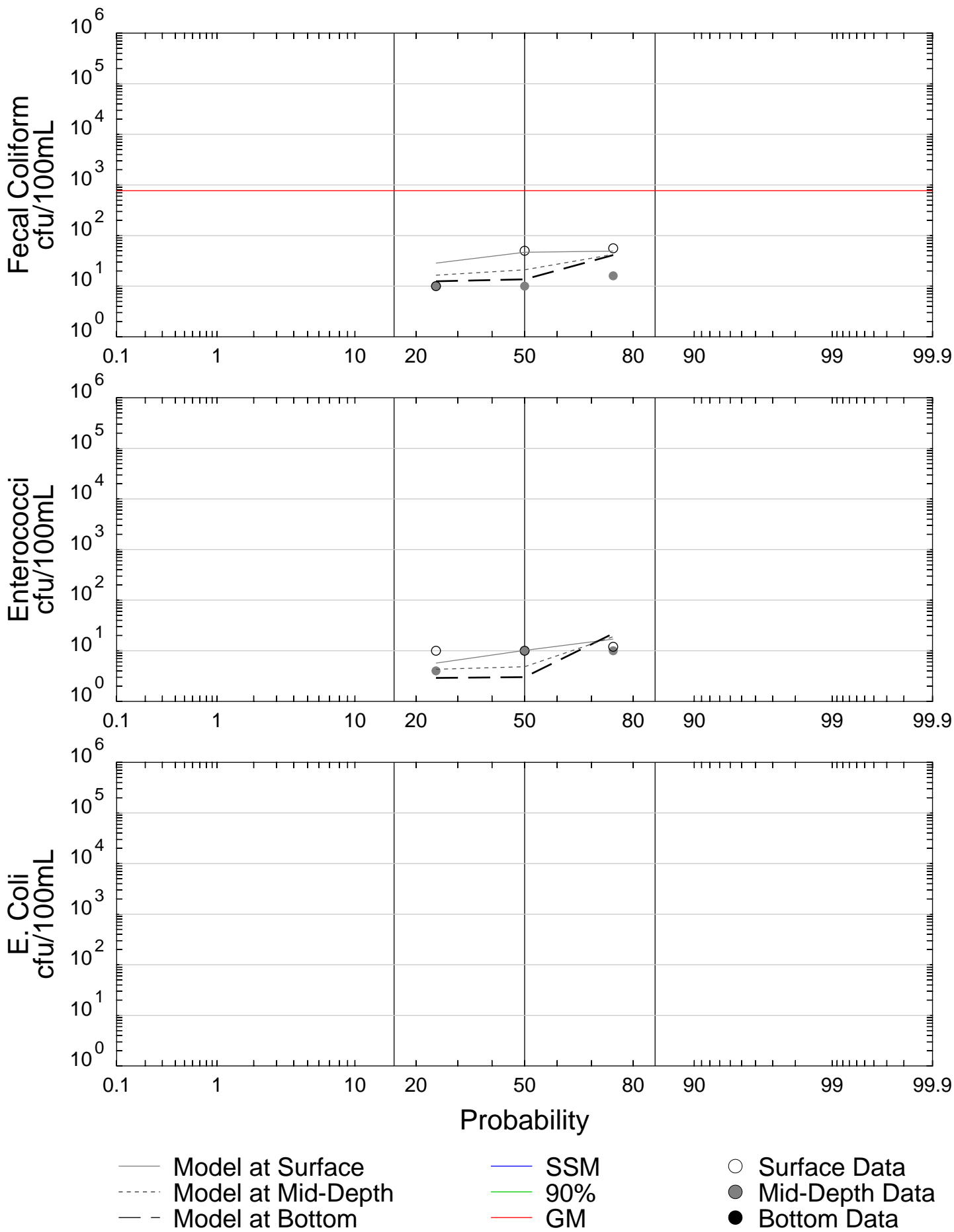


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# HUDSON RIVER

# SE2

## Station: B23A

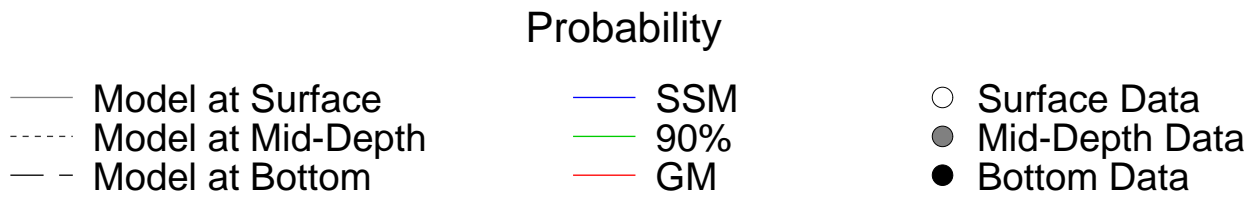
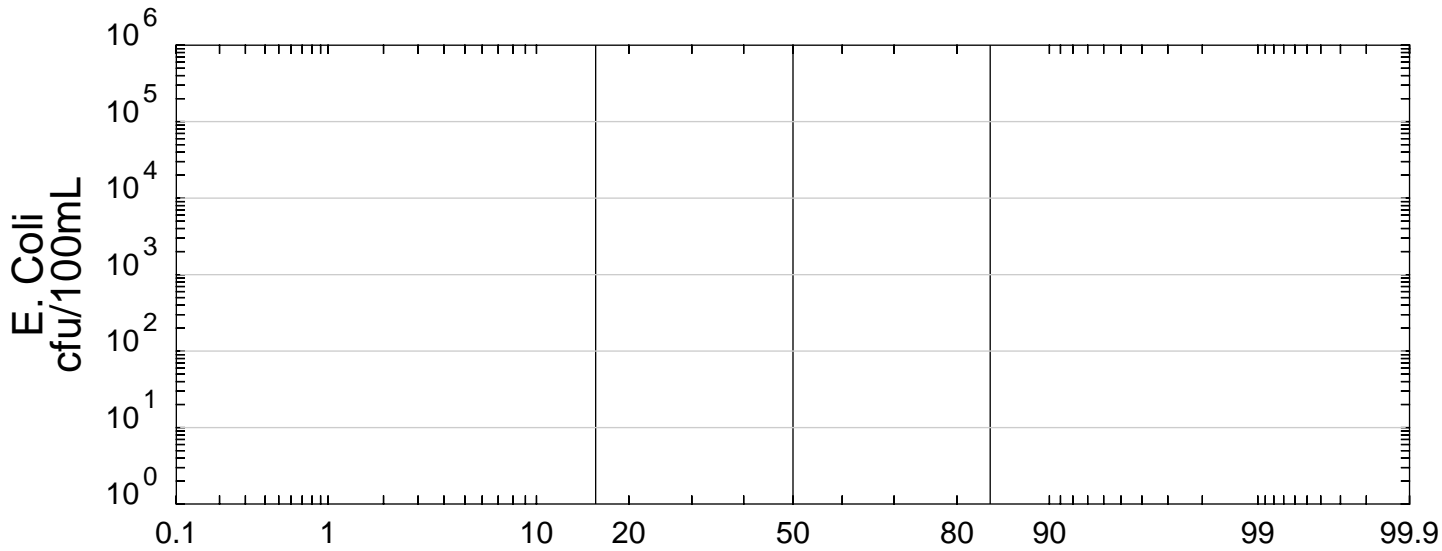
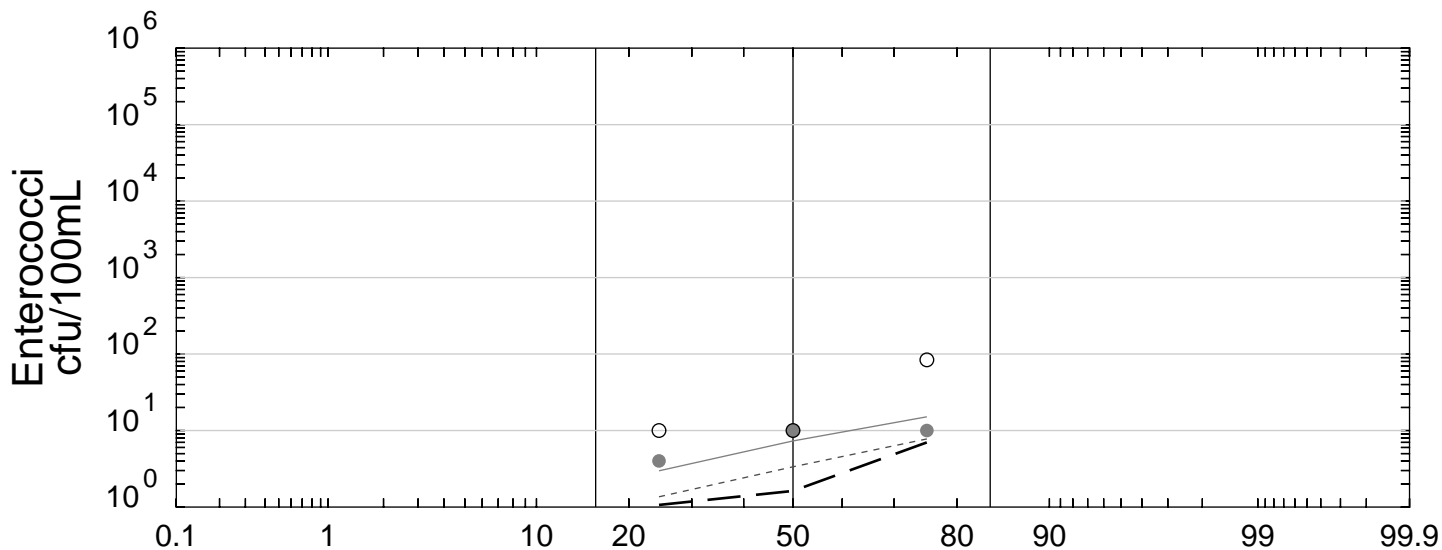
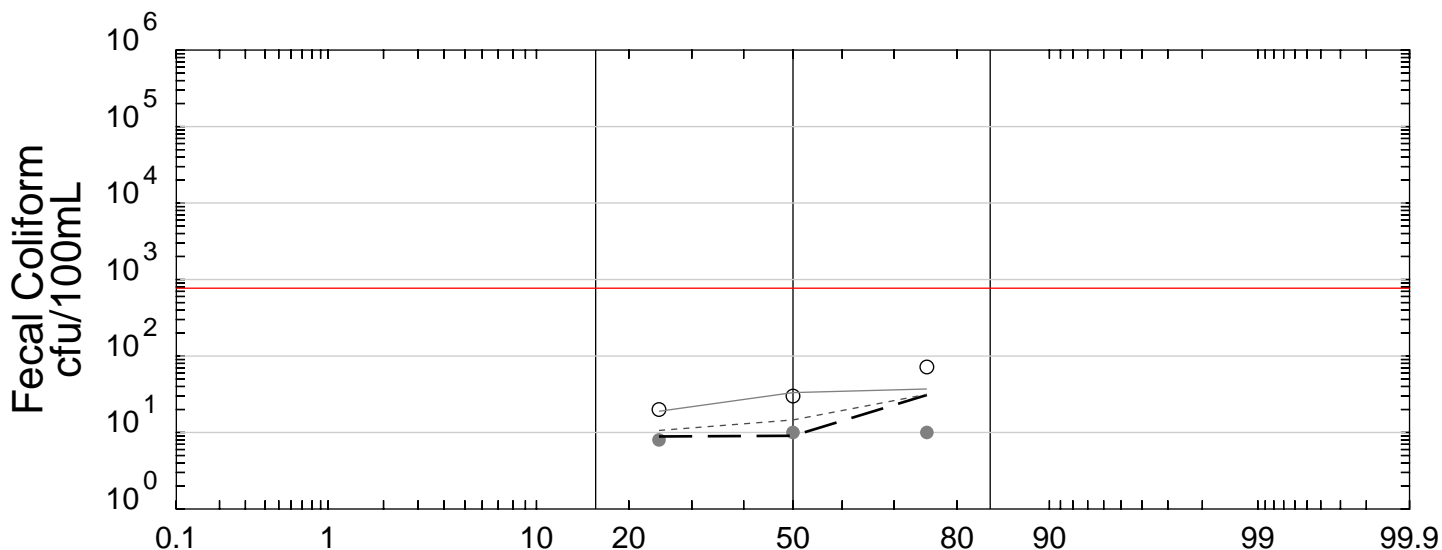


Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HUDSON RIVER

# SE2

## Station: B23B

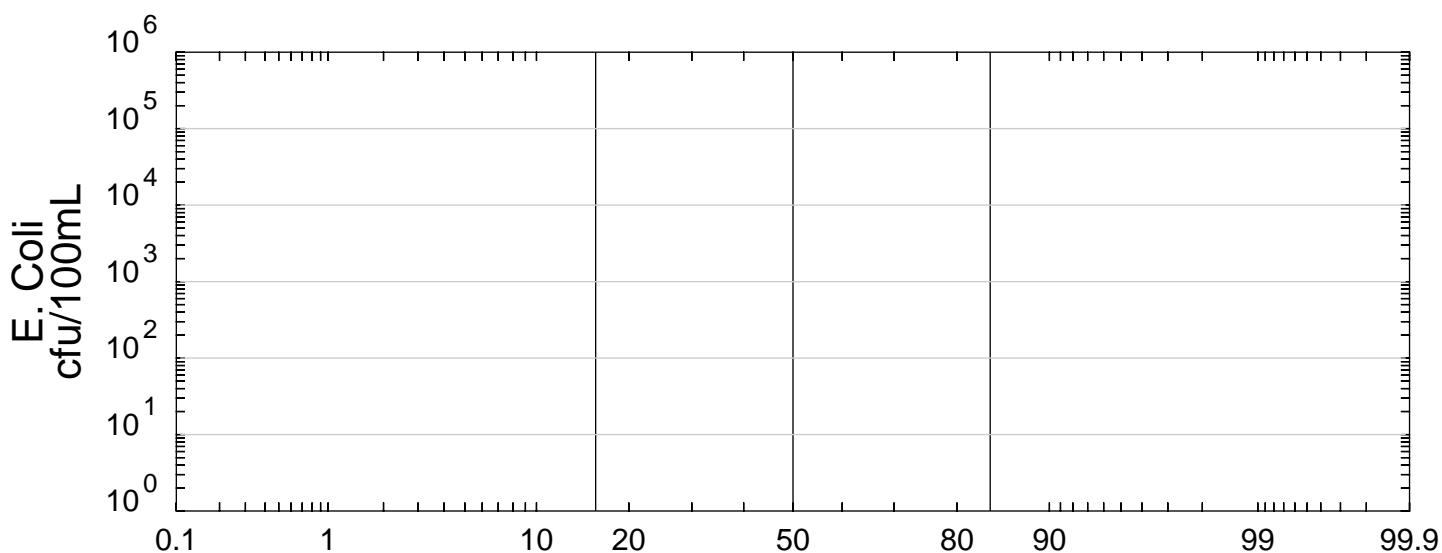
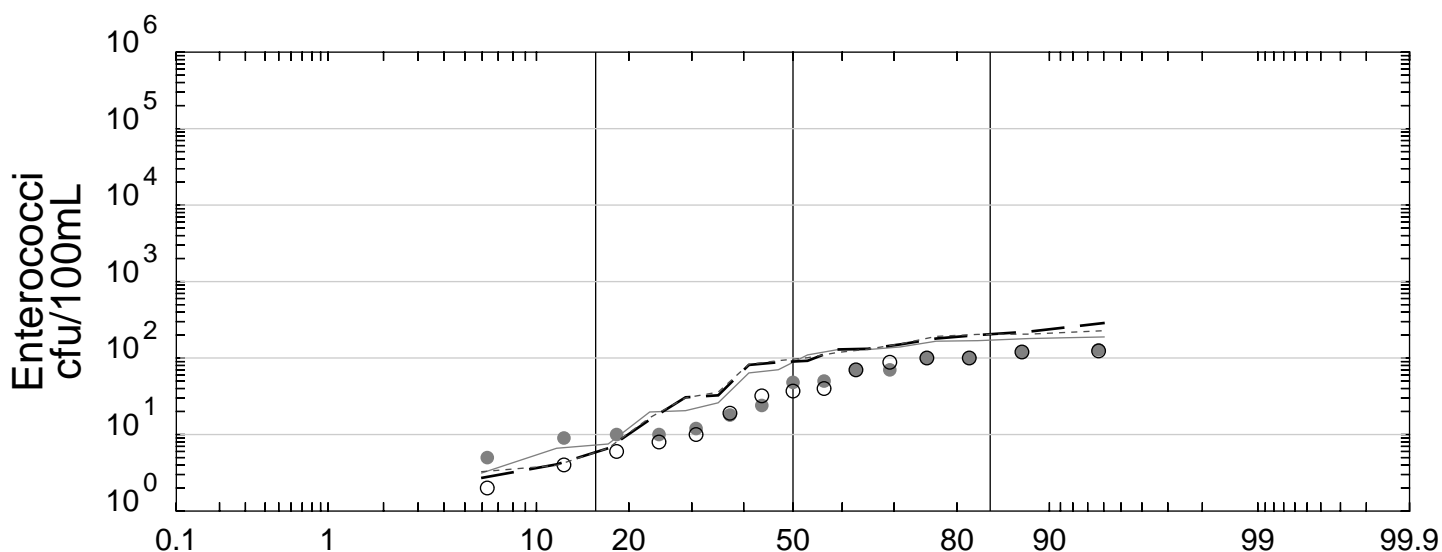
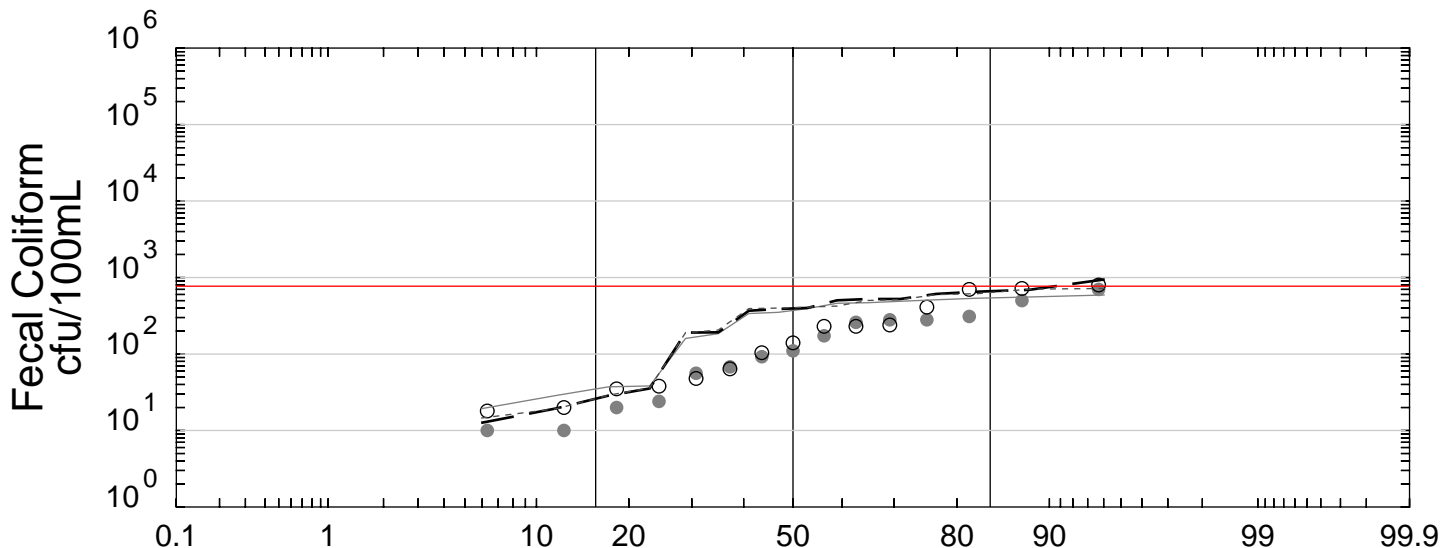


Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HUDSON RIVER

# SE2

## Station: B26



Probability

- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

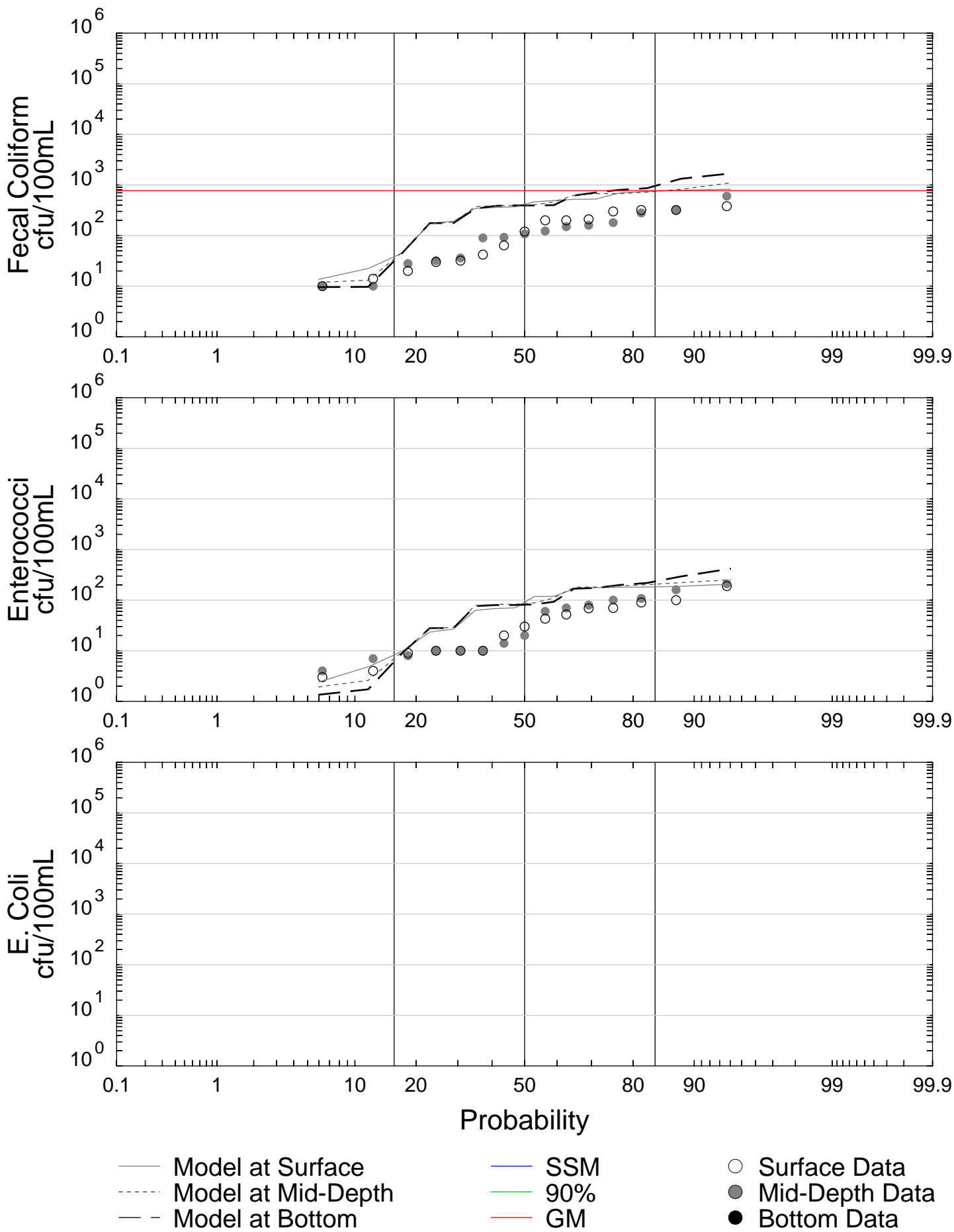
Model Results during data sampling hours only



# HUDSON RIVER

# SE2

## Station: B27

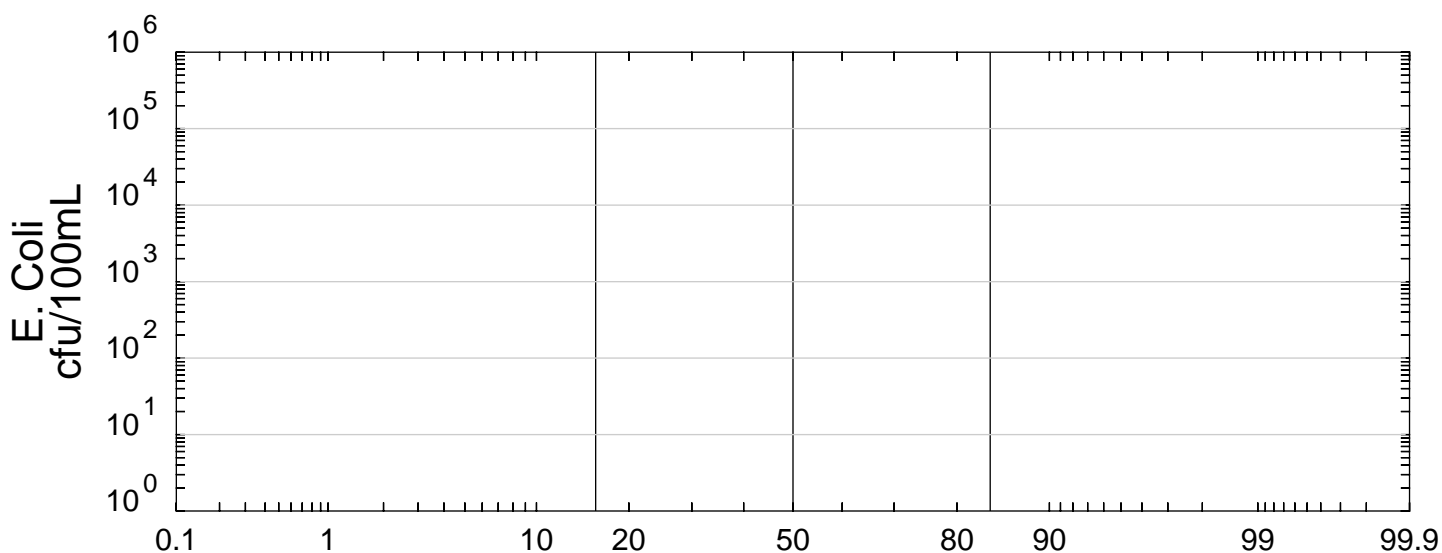
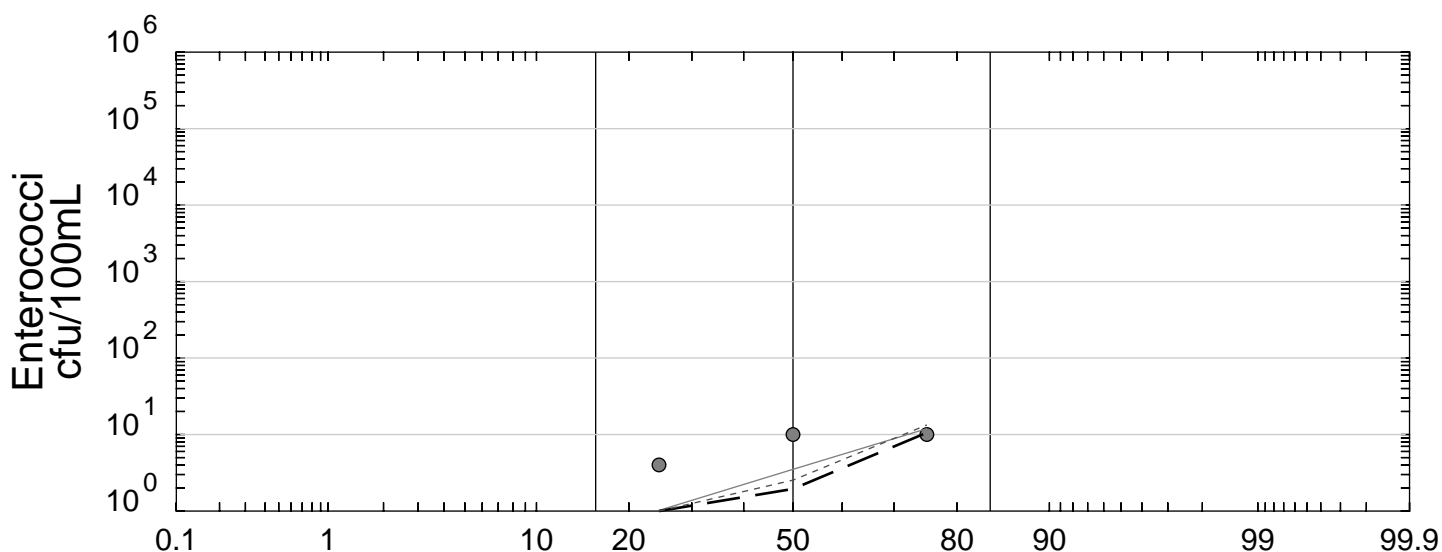
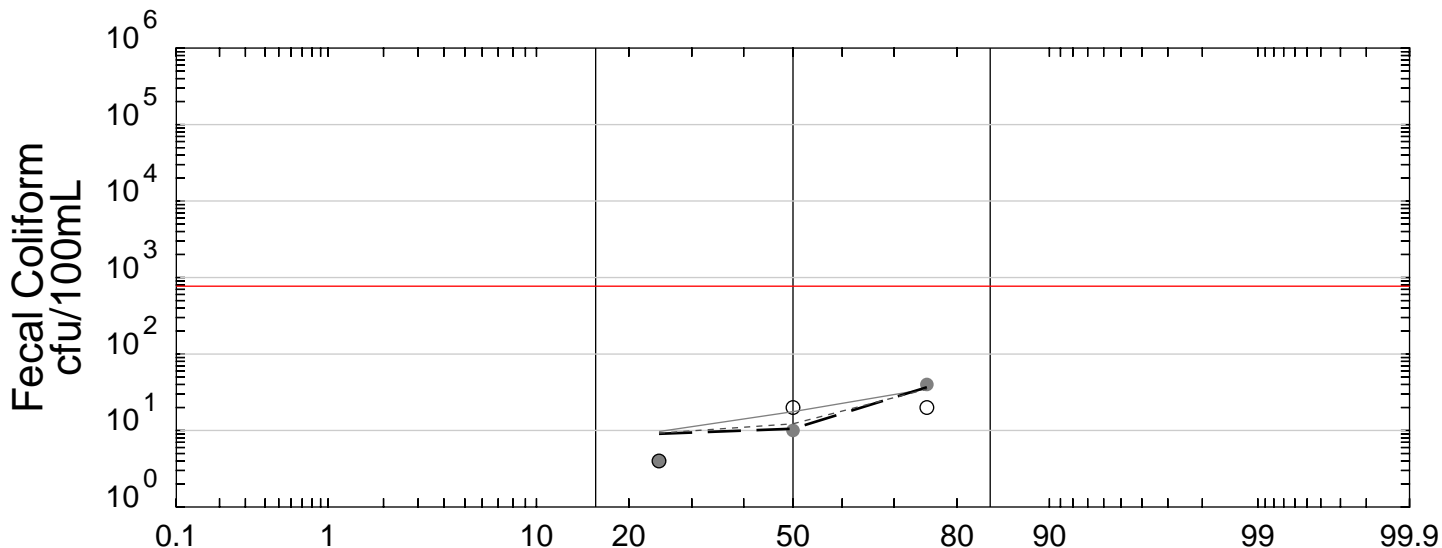


Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HUDSON RIVER

# SE2

## Station: B9



Probability

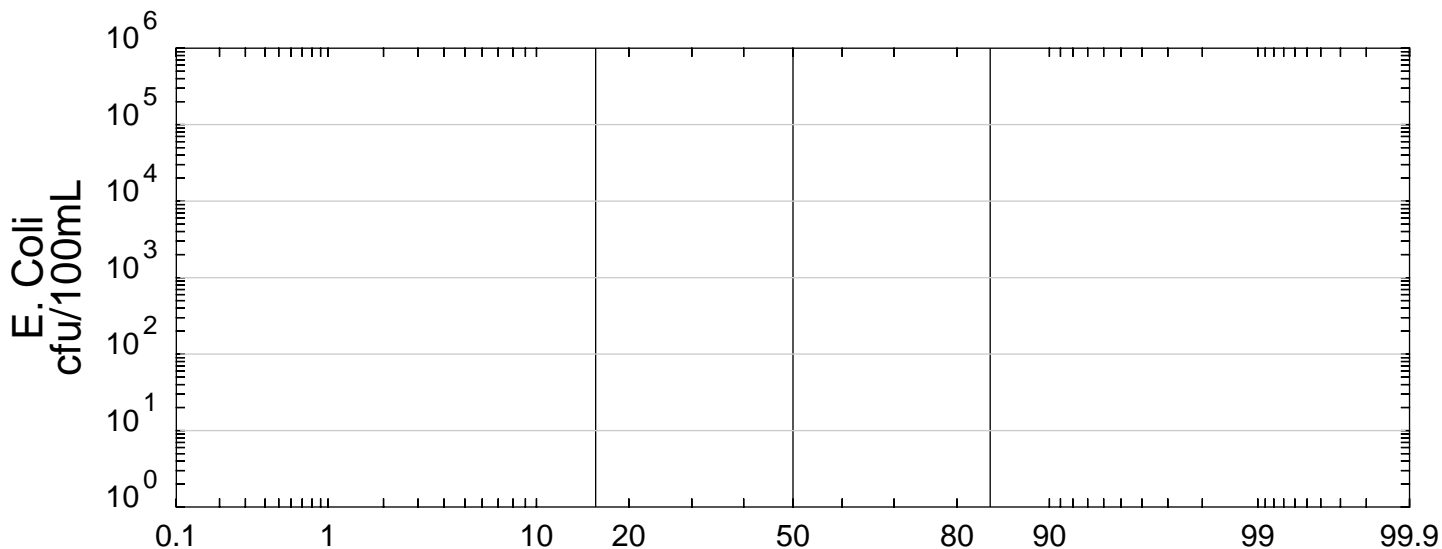
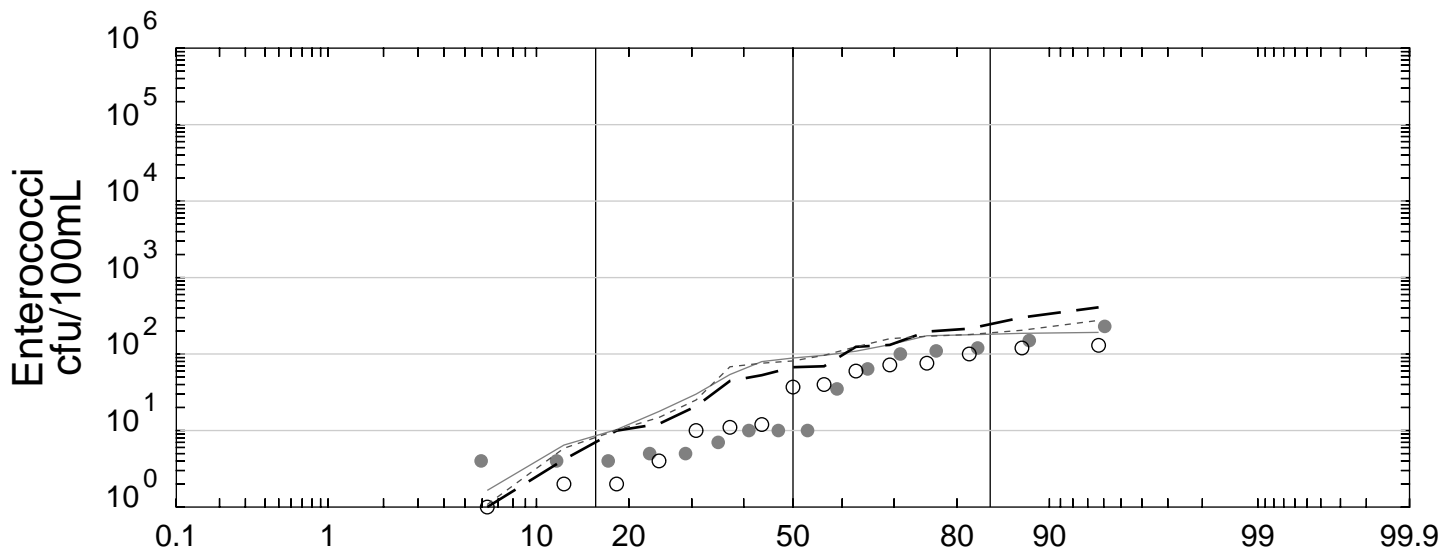
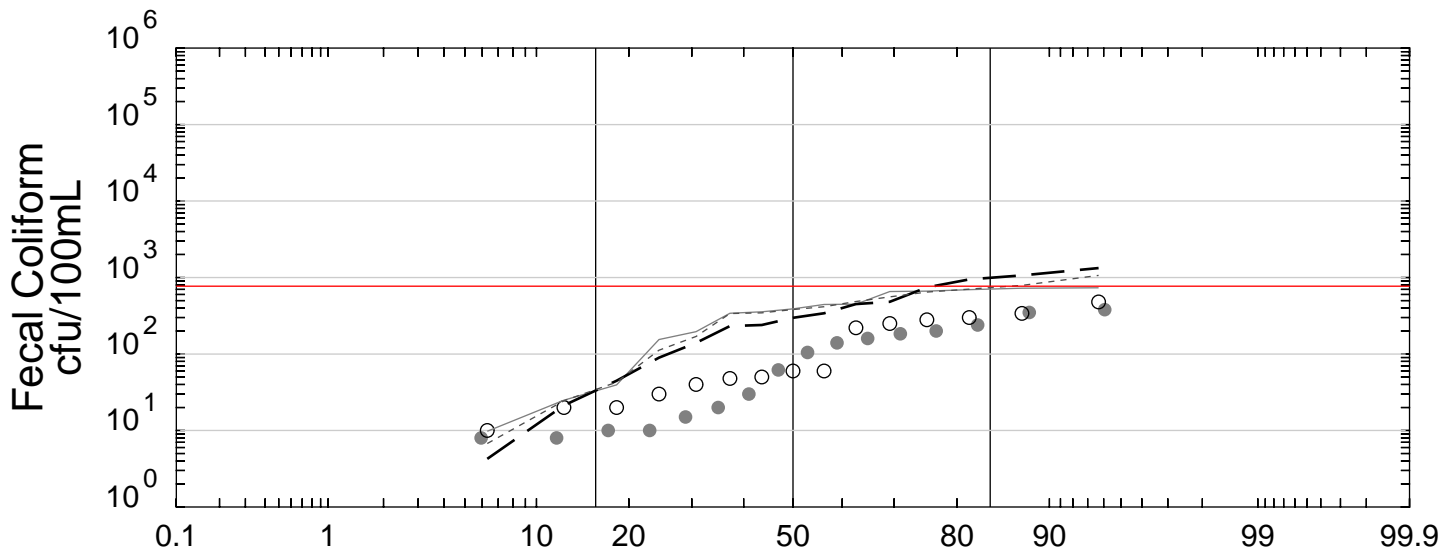
- Model at Surface
- SSM
- Surface Data
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- 90%
- Mid-Depth Data
- · - Model at Bottom
- GM
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HUDSON RIVER

# SE2

## Station: B28



Probability

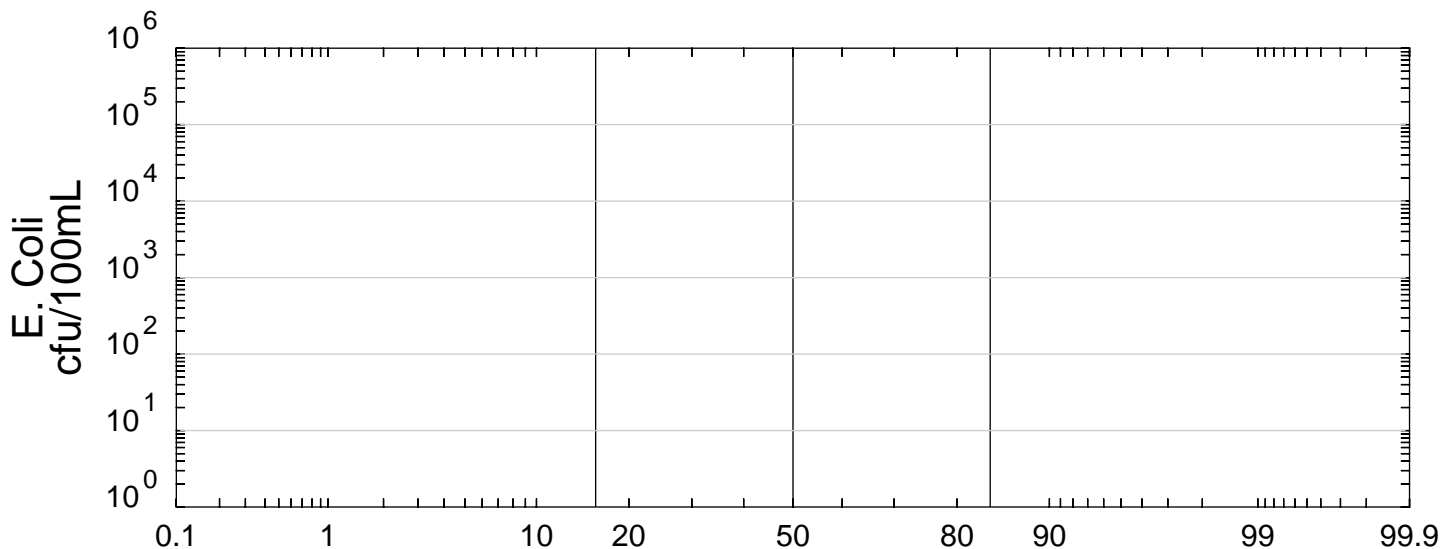
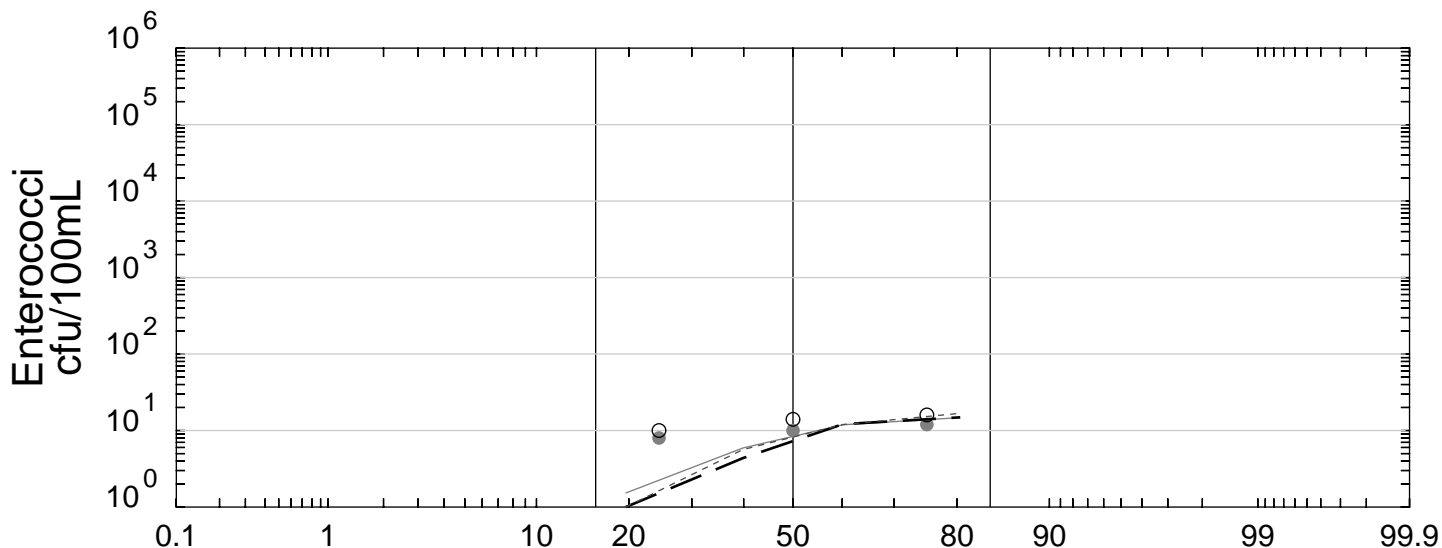
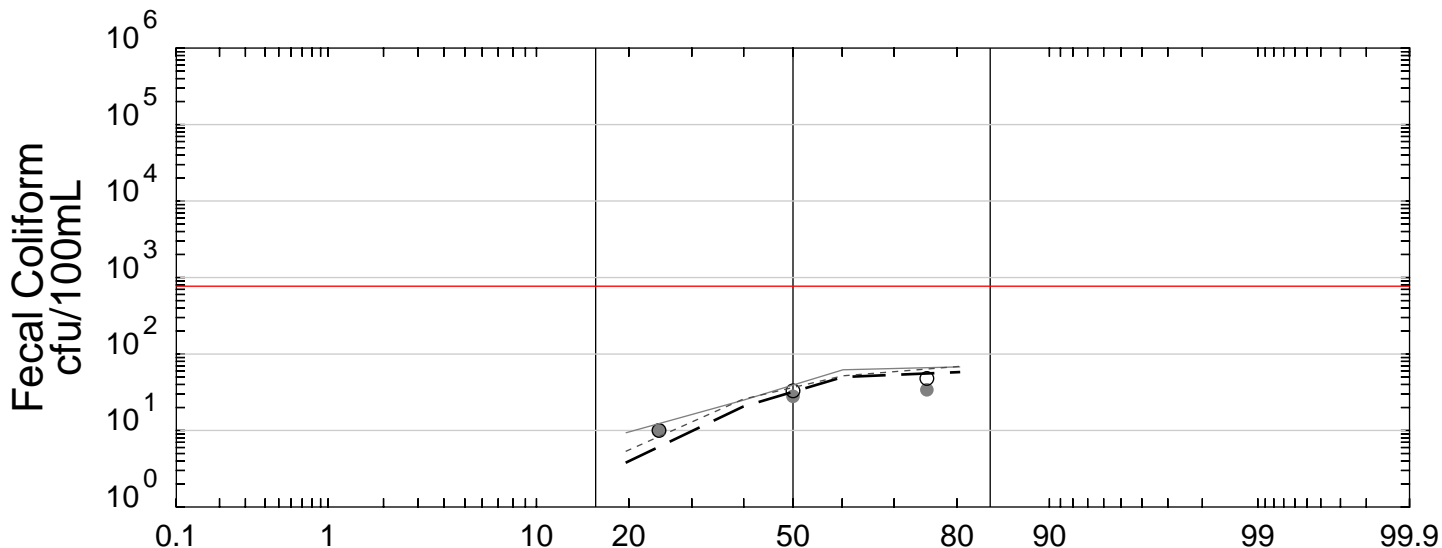
- Model at Surface
- Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HUDSON RIVER

# SE2

## Station: B21A



Probability

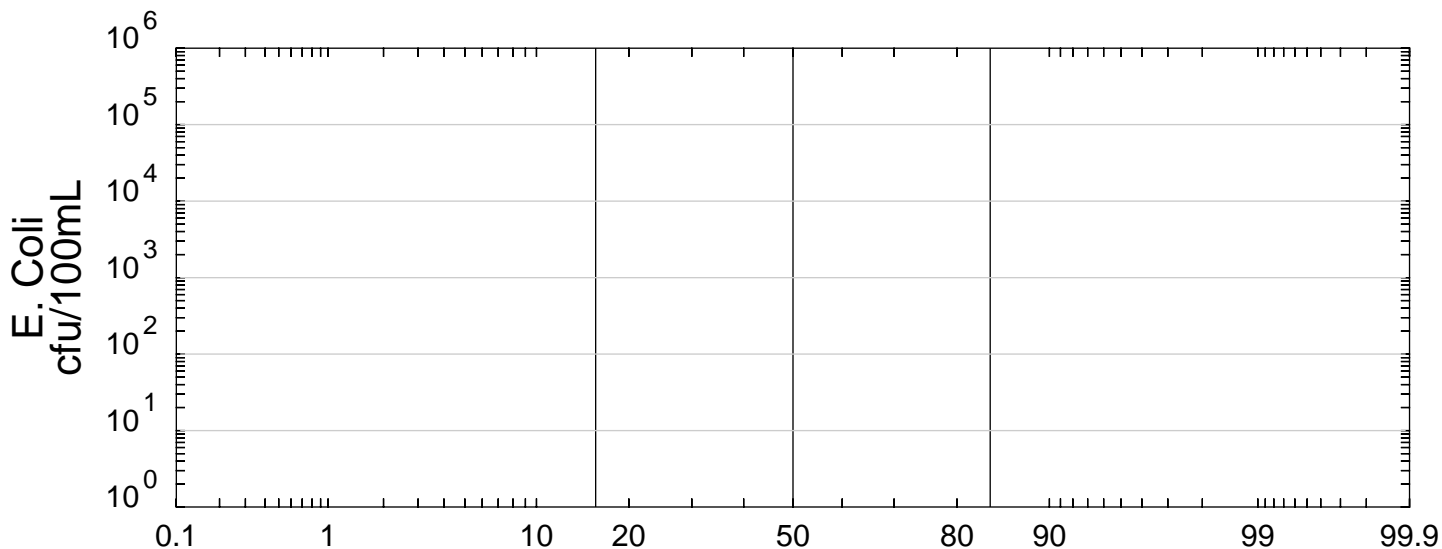
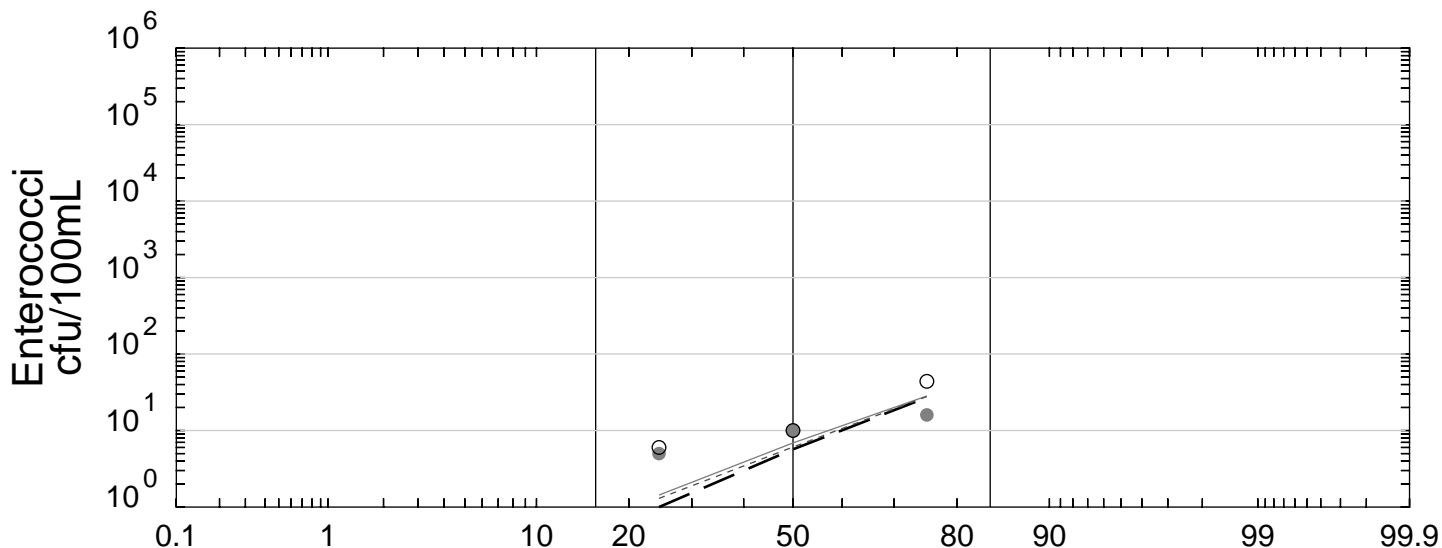
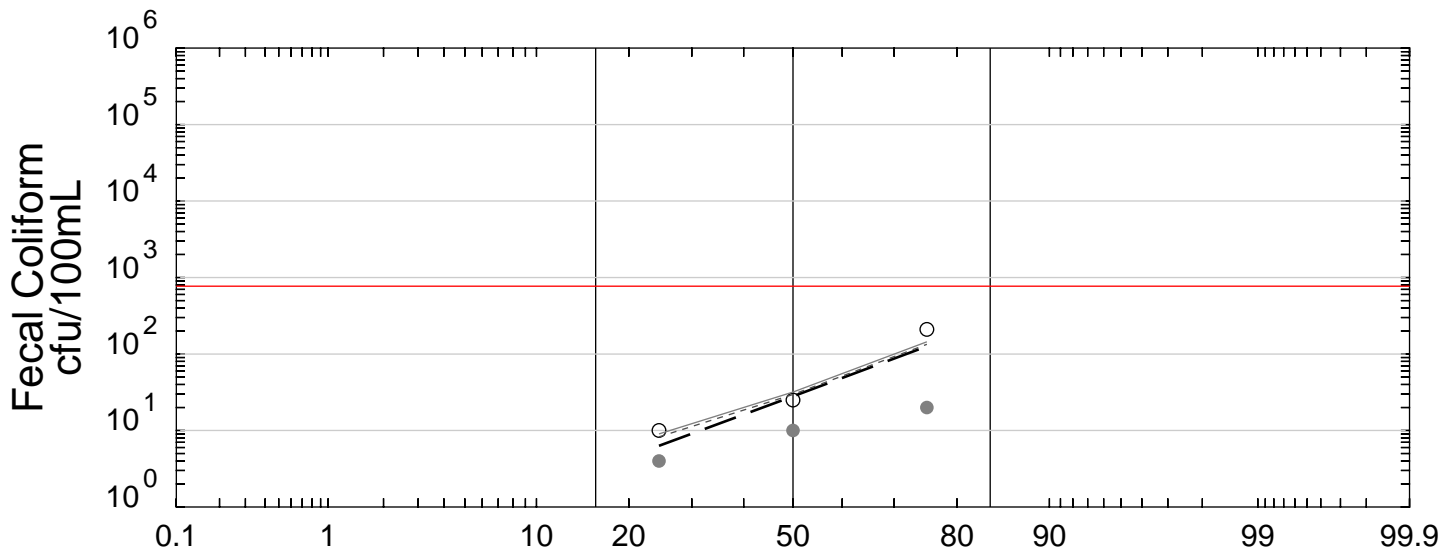
- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

Model Results during data sampling hours only

# HUDSON RIVER

# SE2

## Station: B21B



Probability

- Model at Surface
- - - Model at Mid-Depth
- - - Model at Bottom
- SSM
- 90%
- GM
- Surface Data
- Mid-Depth Data
- Bottom Data

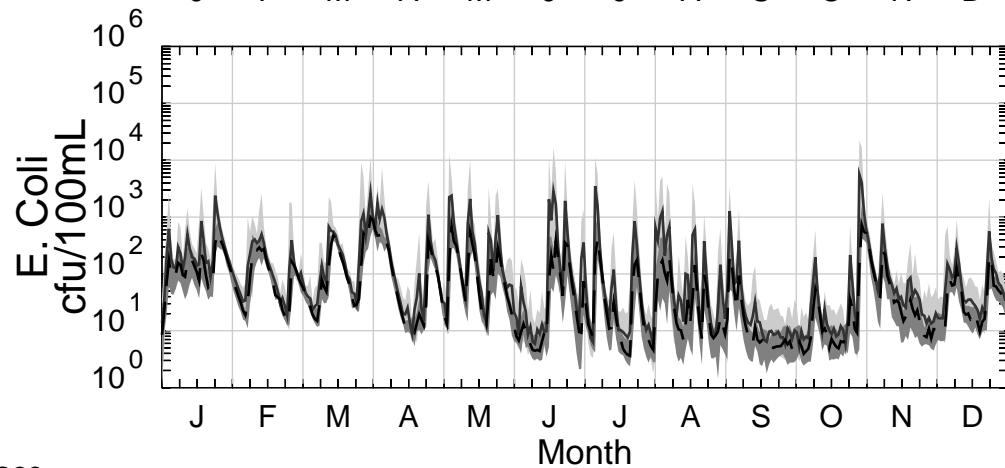
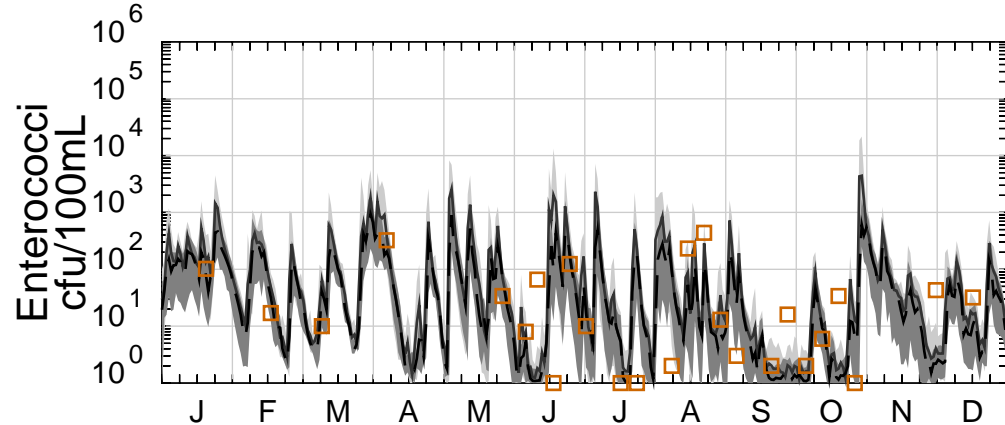
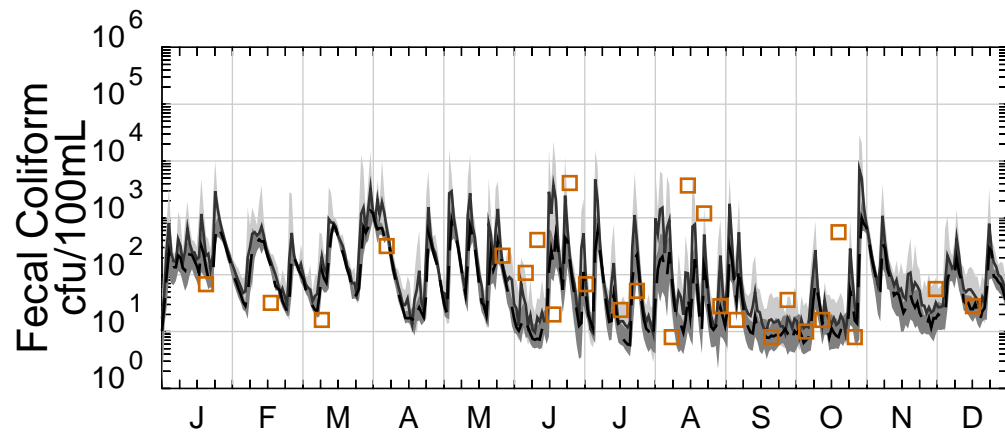
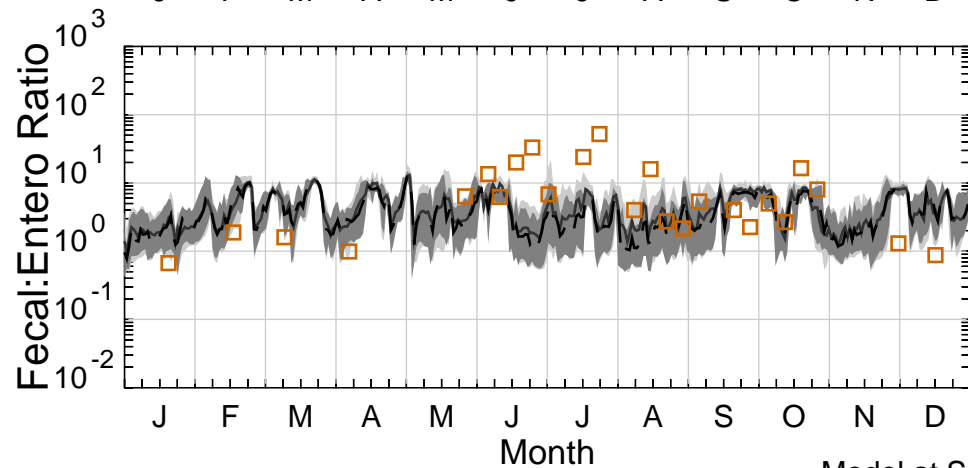
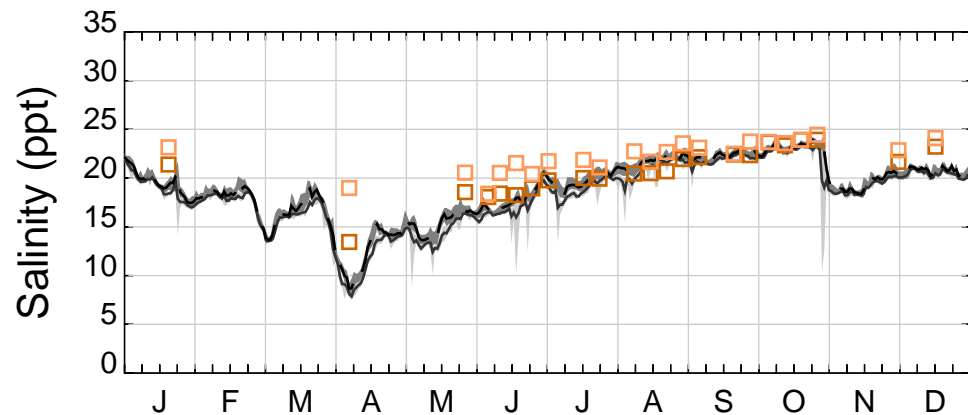
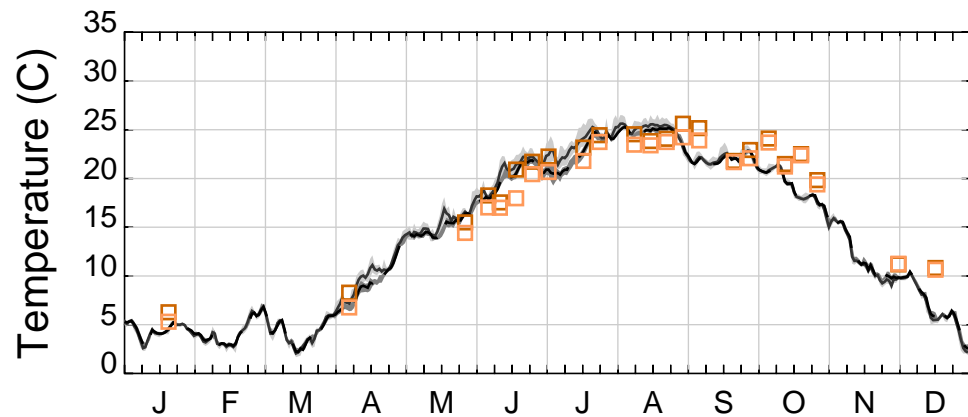
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## Appendix F-8

Validation Annual Time-Series Figures with NYCDEP Harbor Survey Data

# Staten Island AK Railroad Bridge

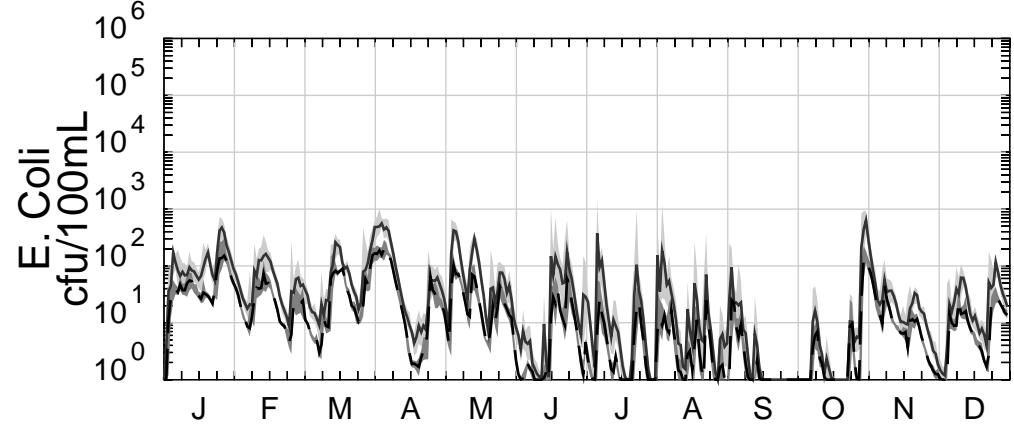
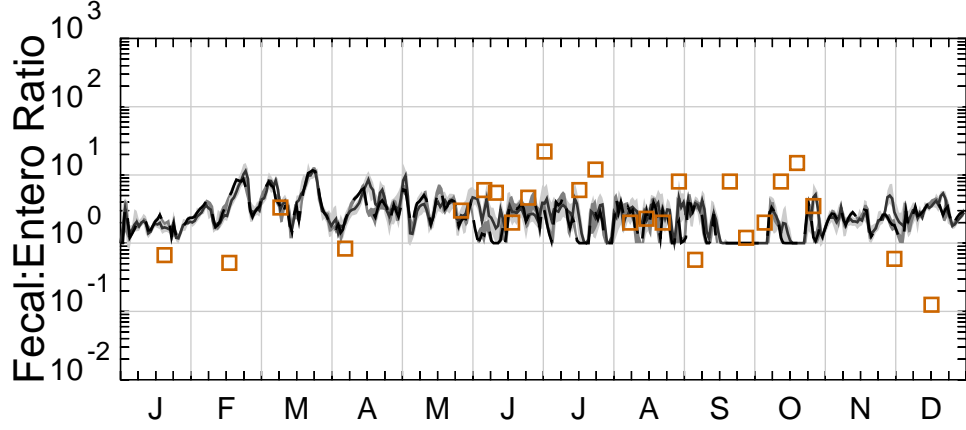
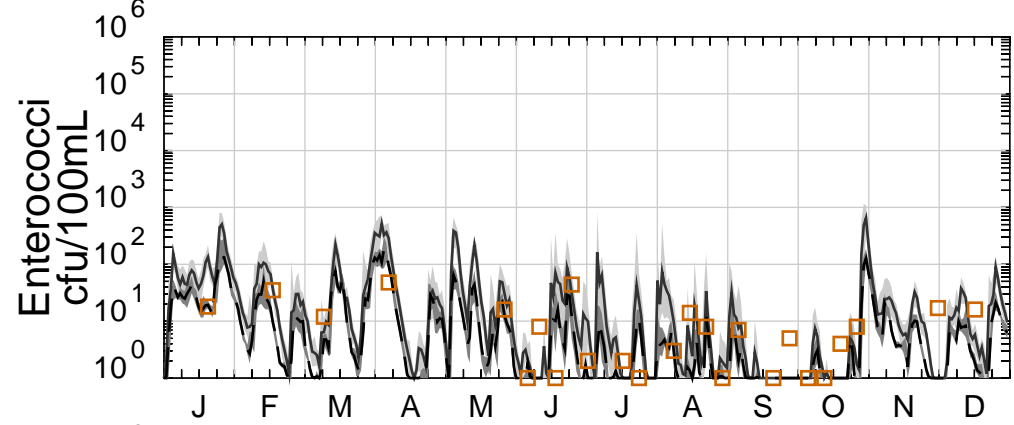
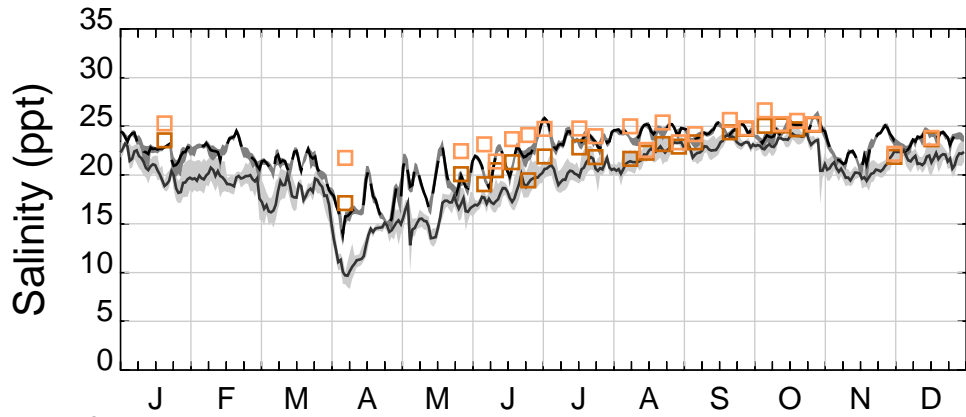
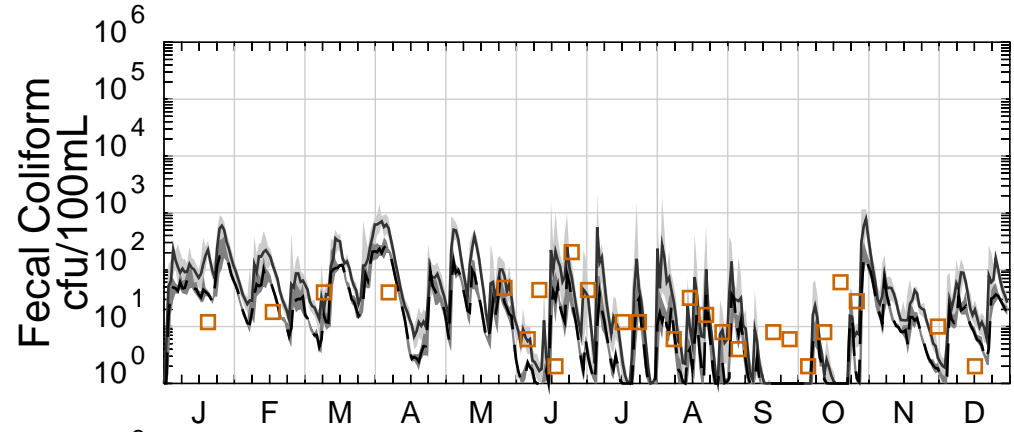
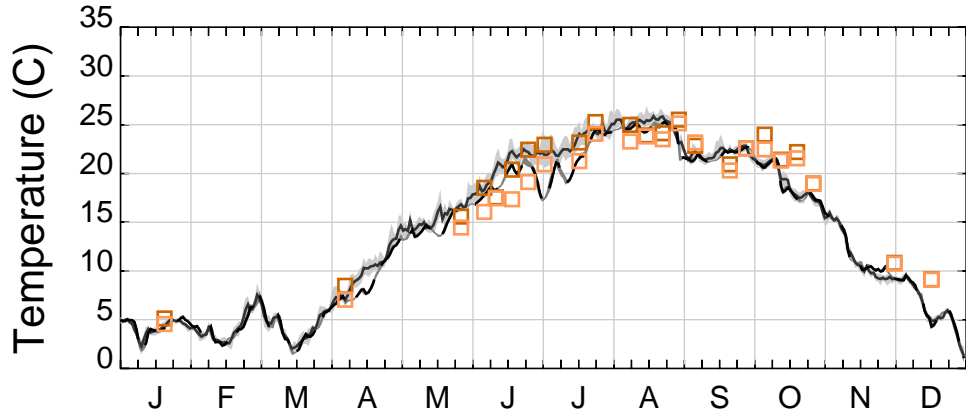
Station: K3



Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- - Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Bottom HS Data
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

**Station: K5**



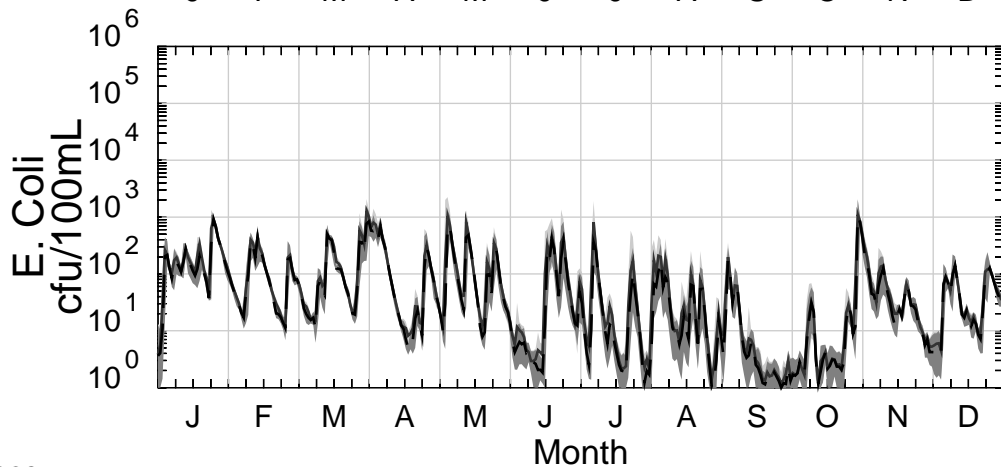
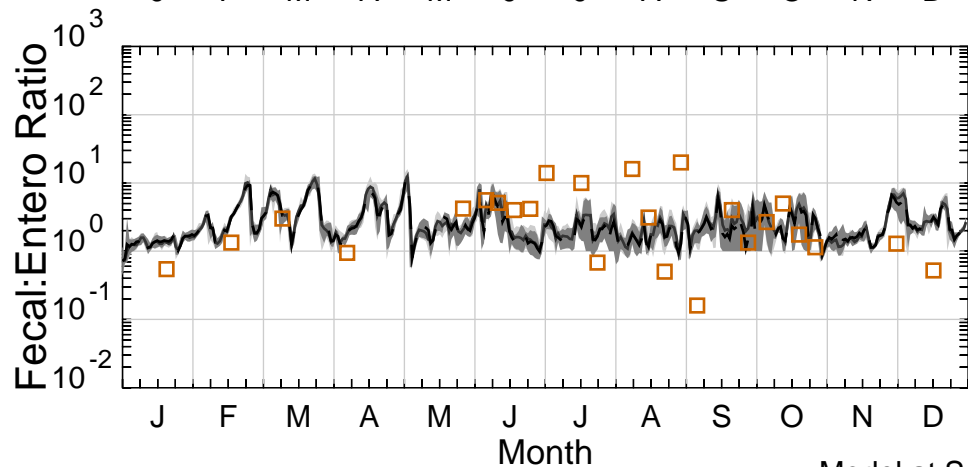
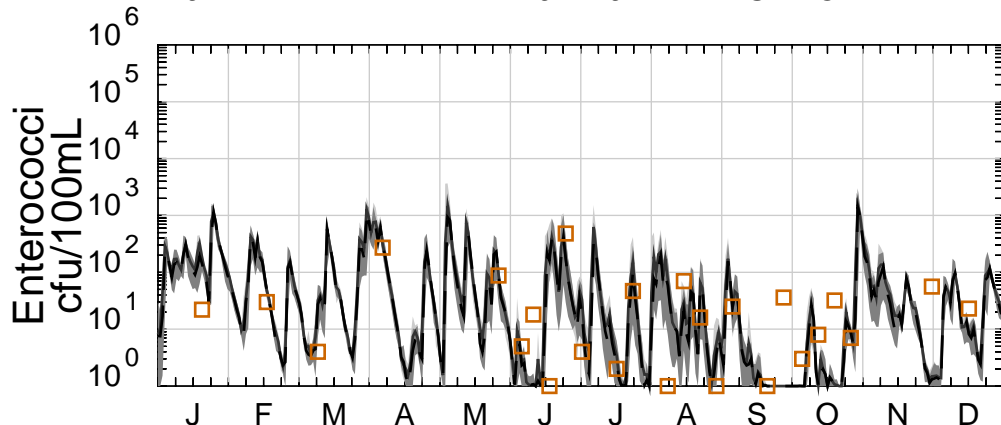
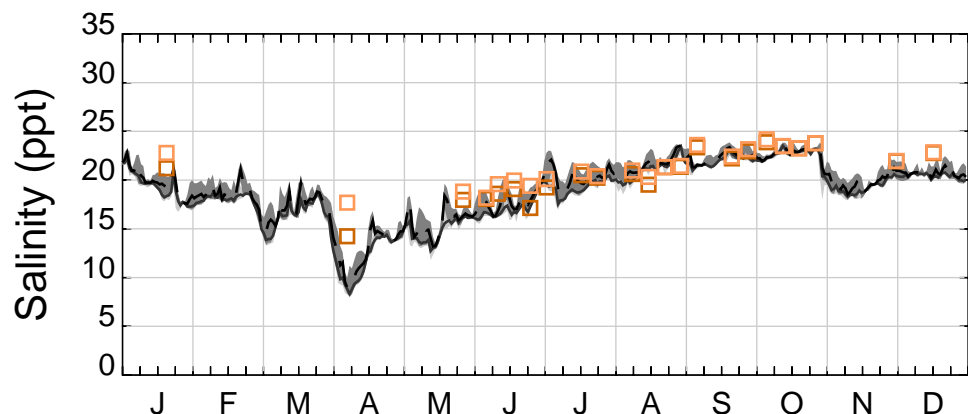
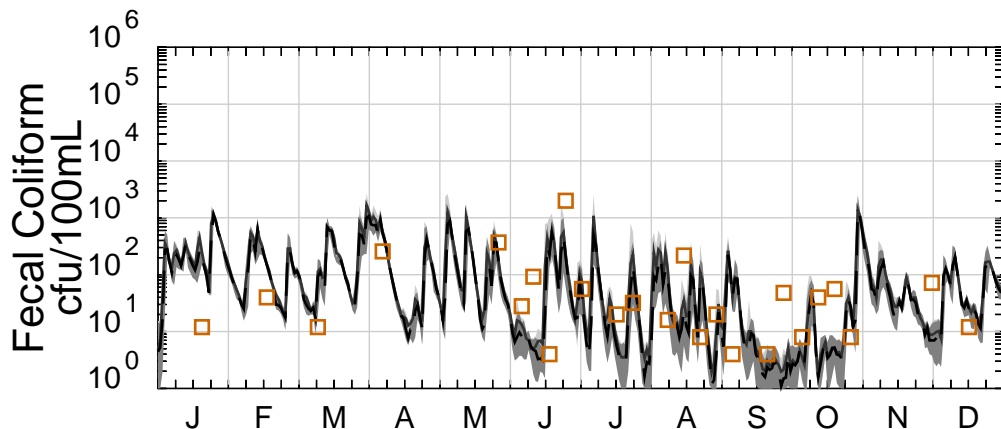
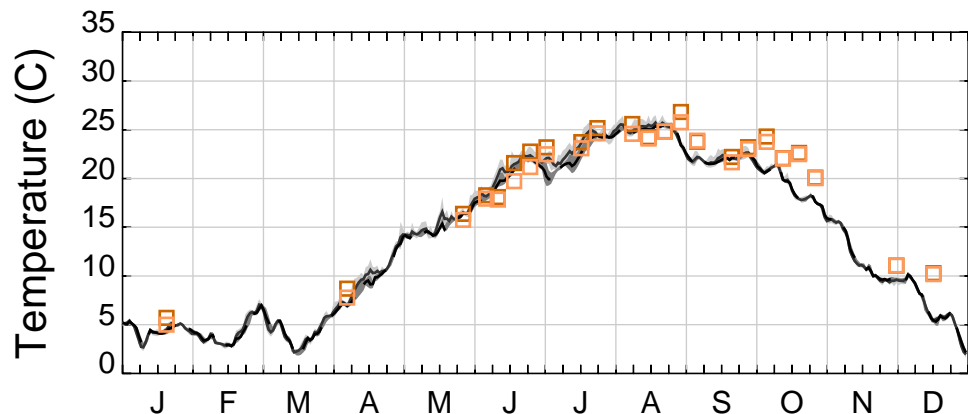
Model = 2017  
 Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- - Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Bottom HS Data
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data



# Staten Island Fresh Kills

Station: K4

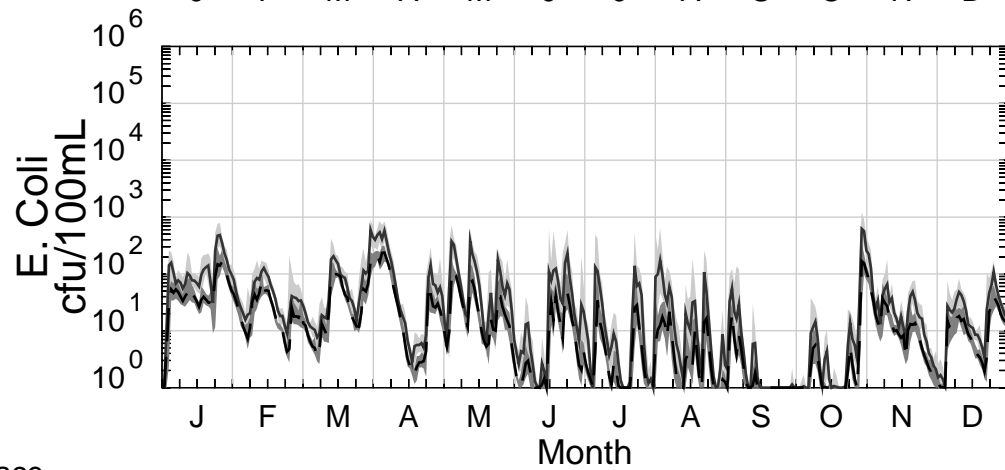
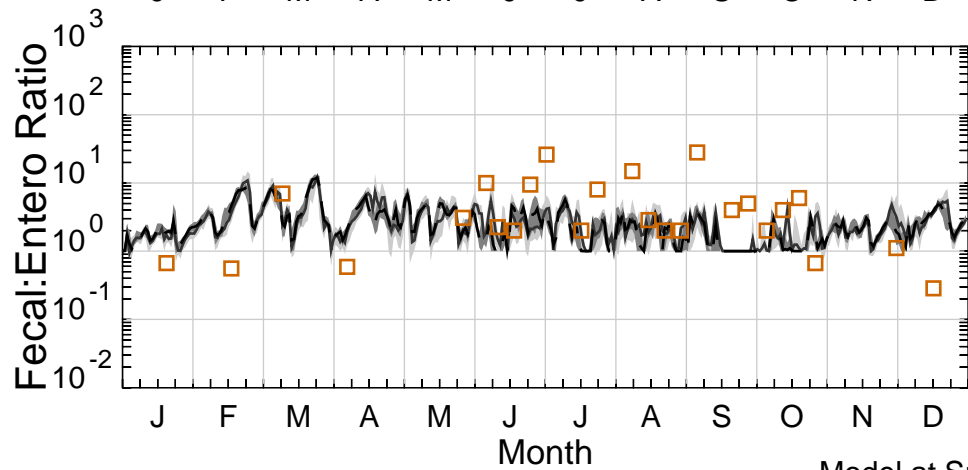
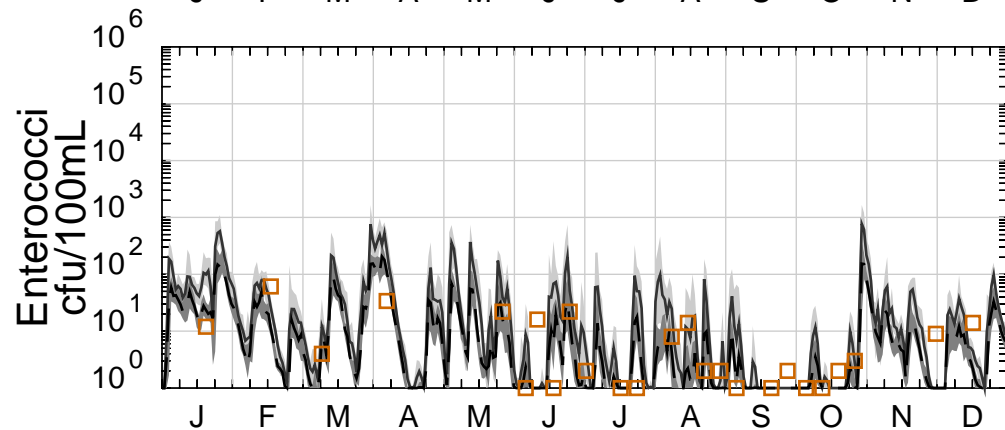
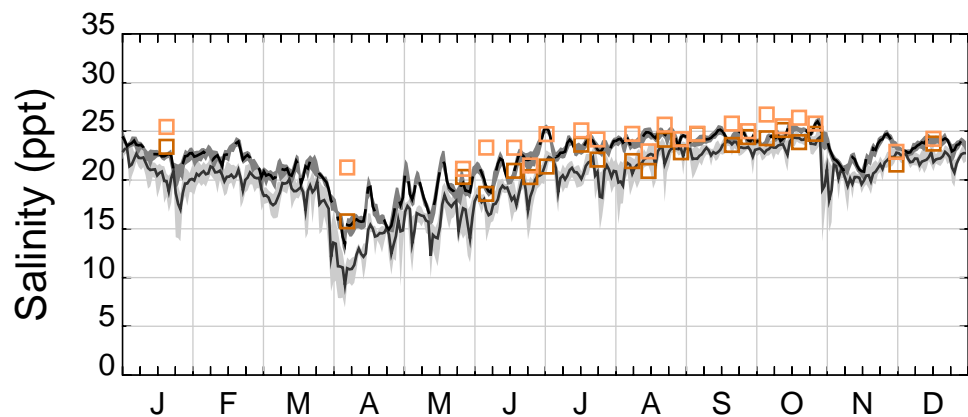
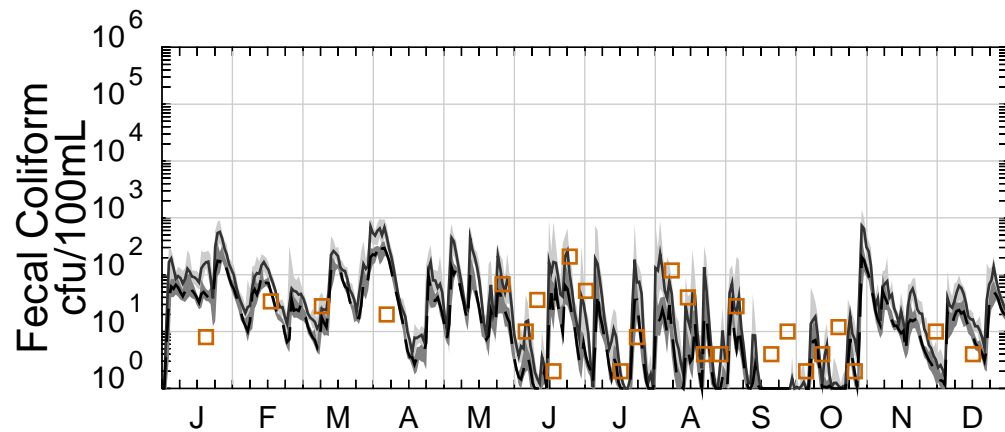
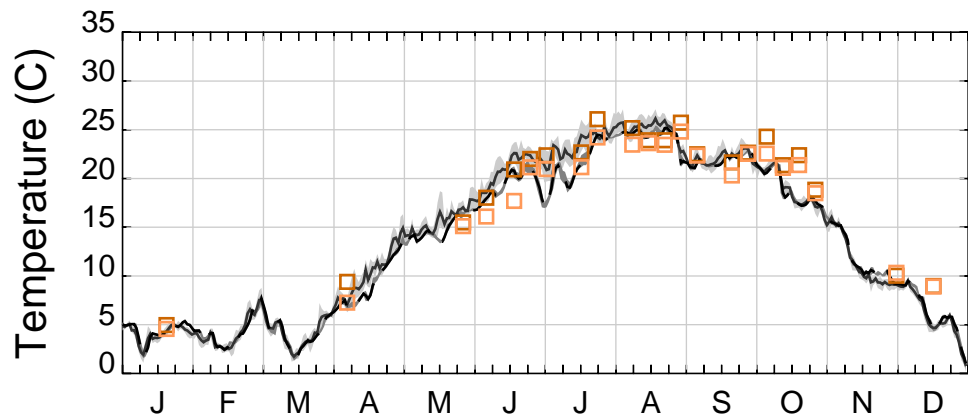


Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Bottom HS Data
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Staten Island Raritan River

Station: K5A

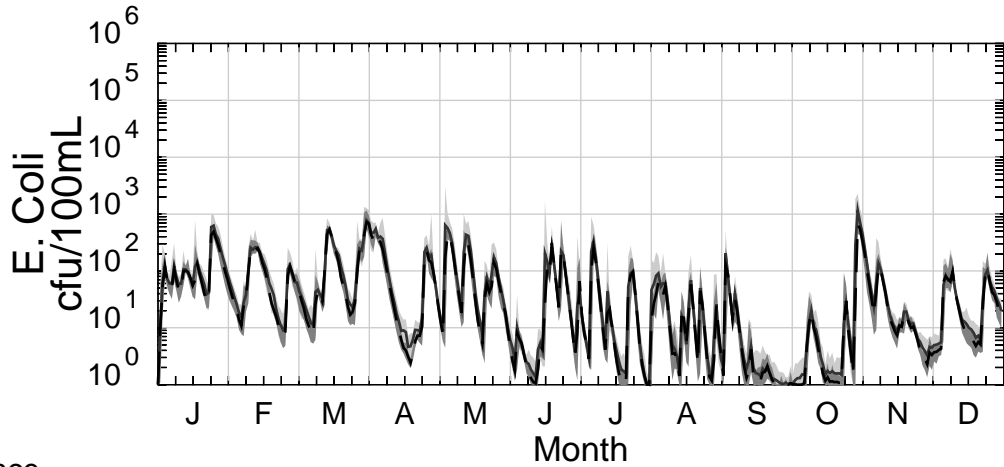
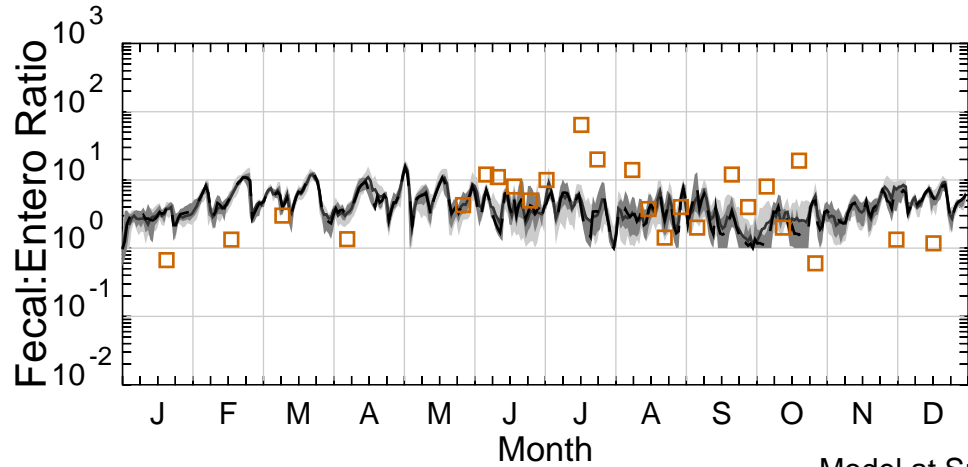
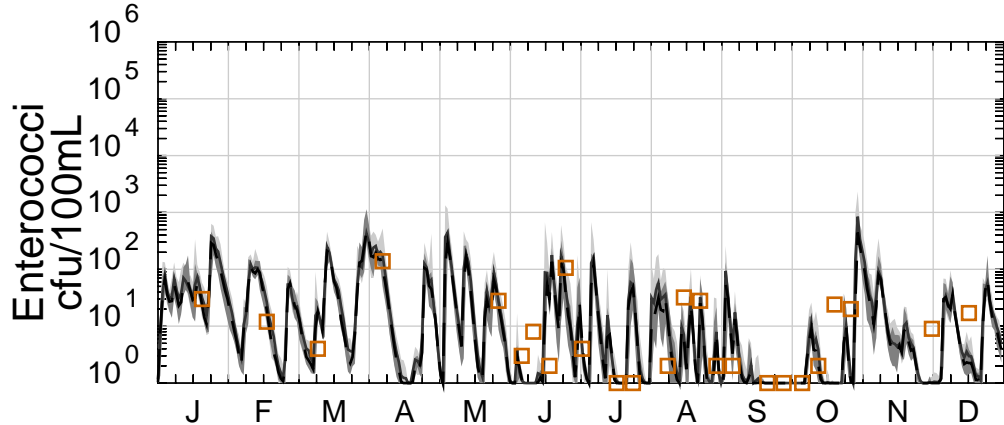
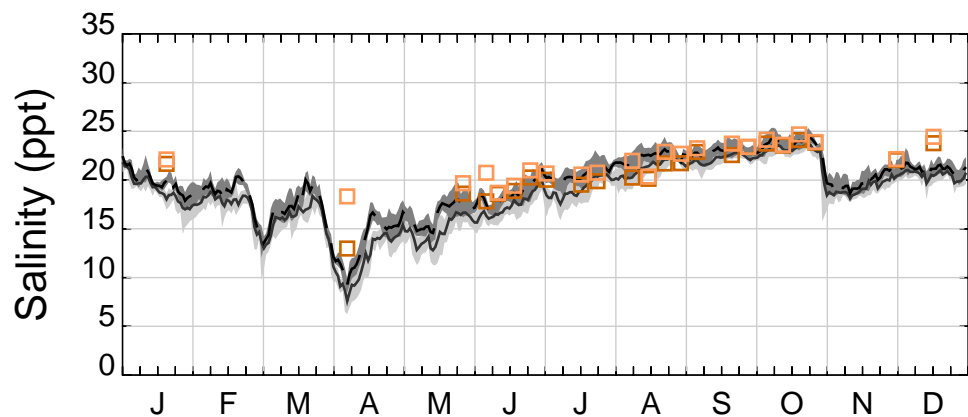
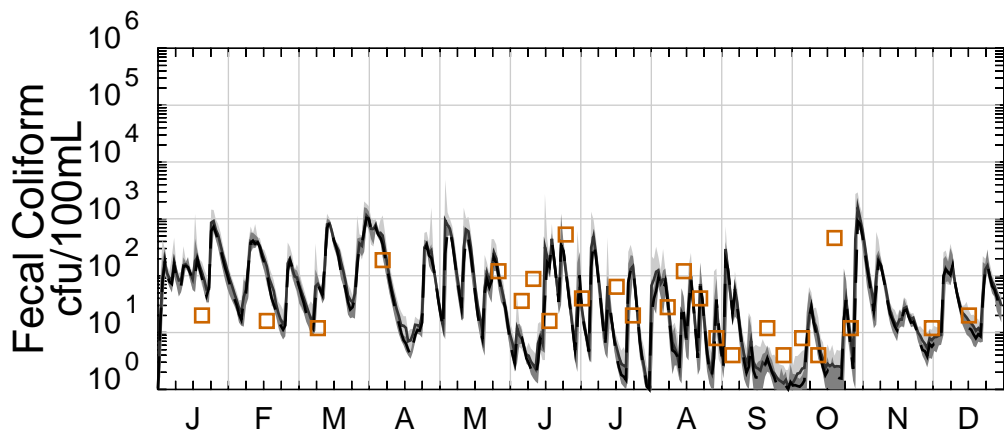
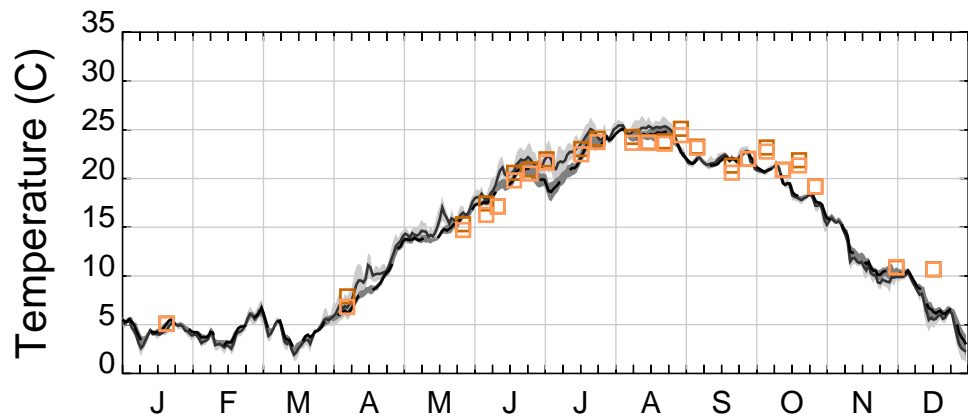


Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Bottom HS Data
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Staten Island Shooters Island

Station: K2

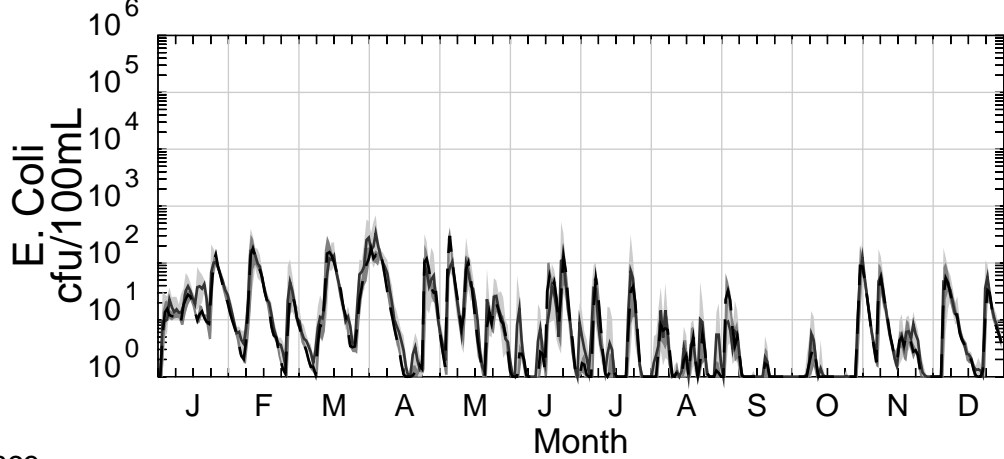
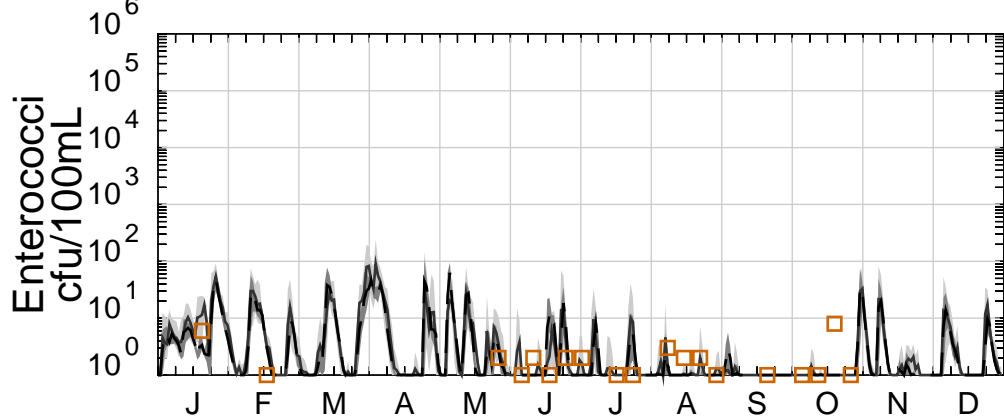
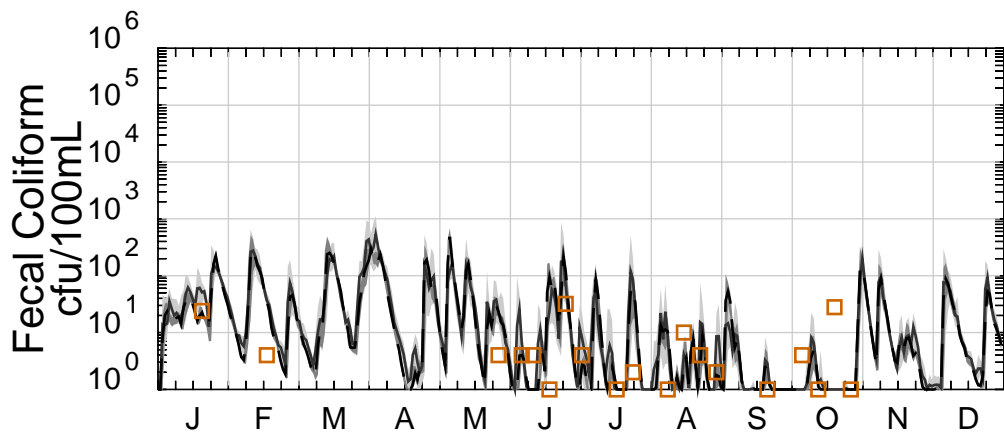
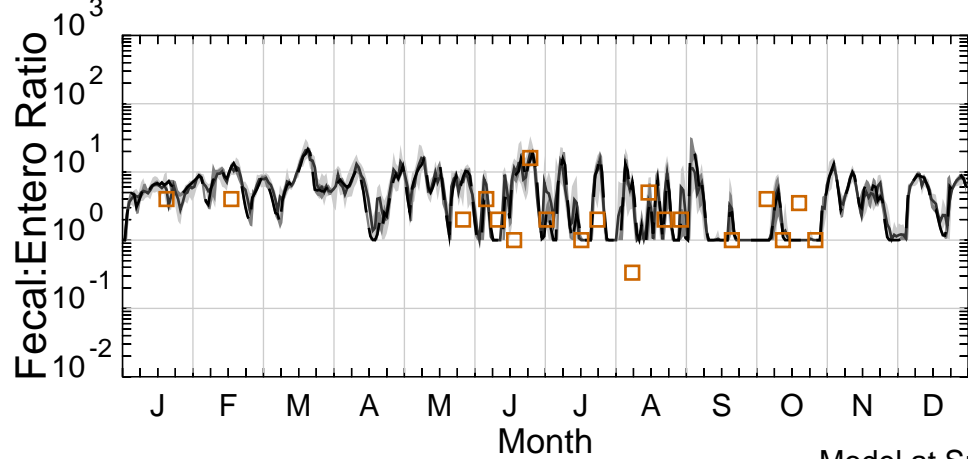
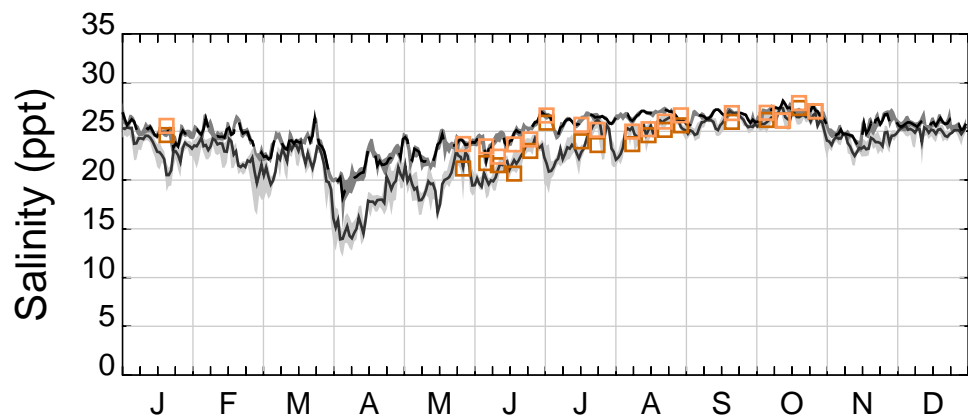
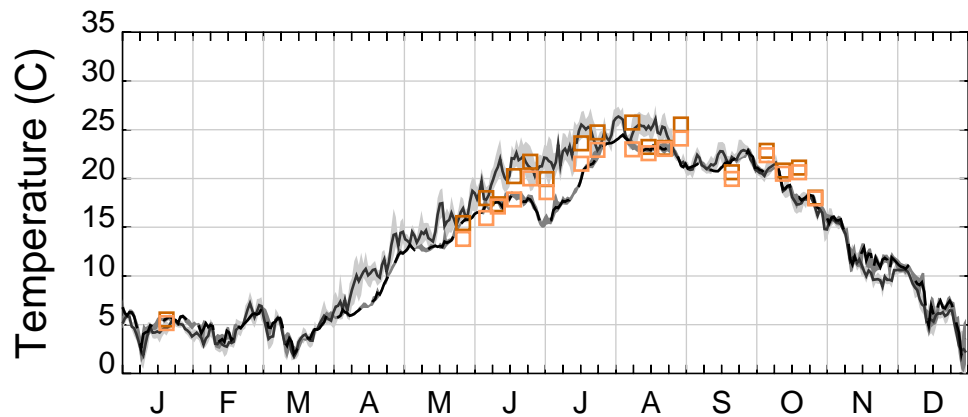


Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Bottom HS Data
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

# Staten Island Old Orchard Light

Station: K6

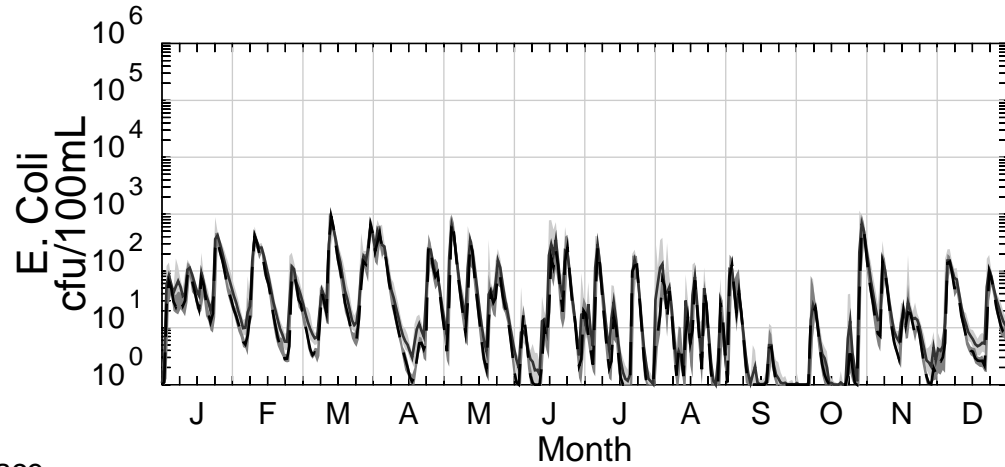
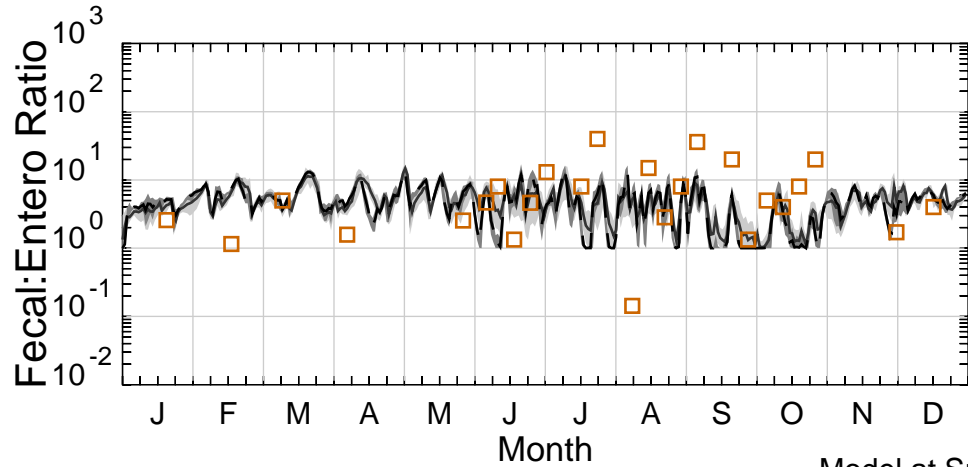
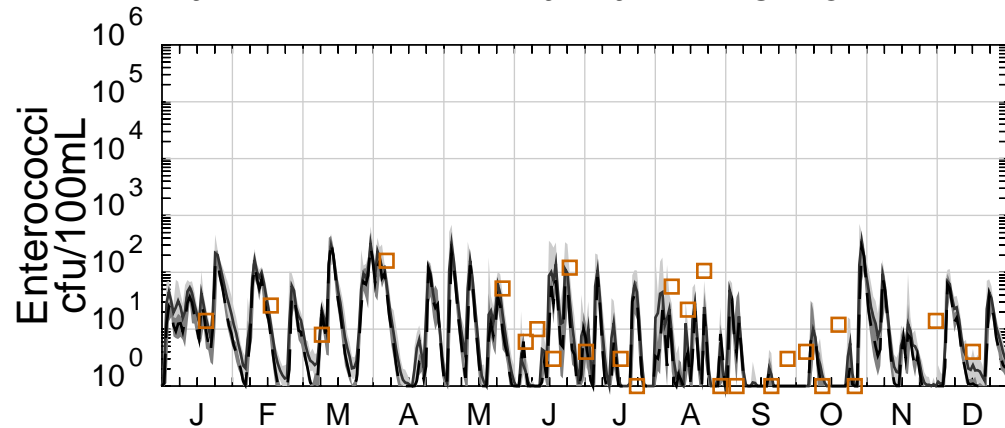
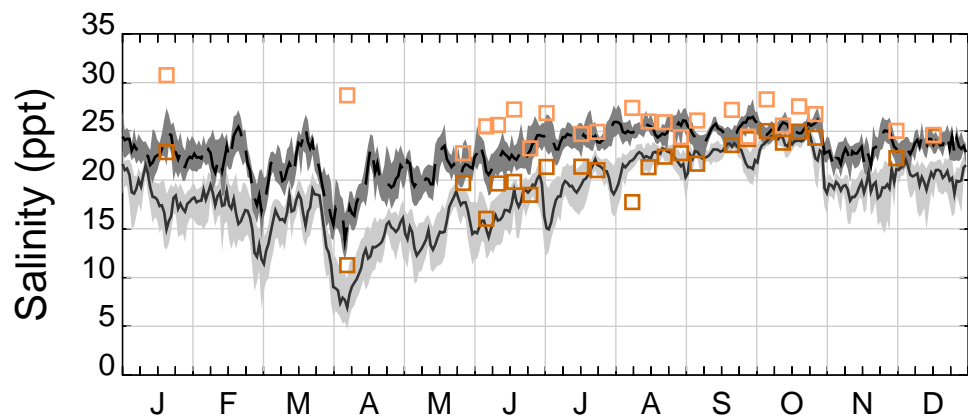
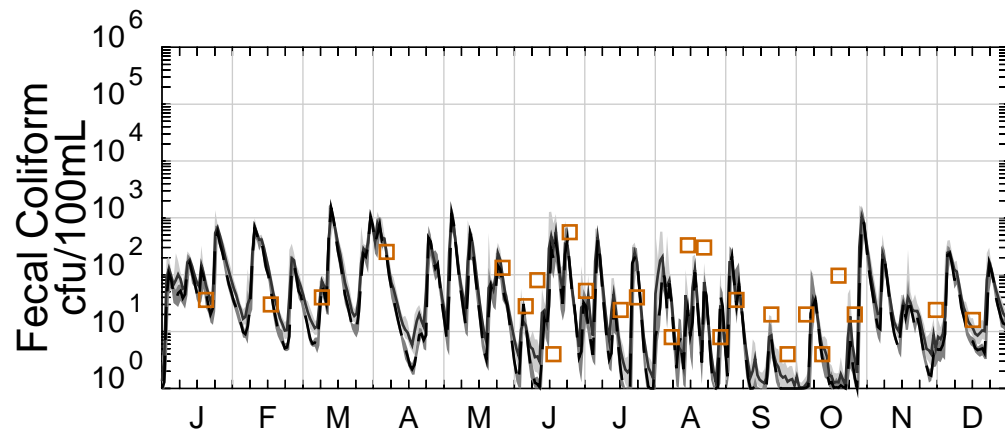
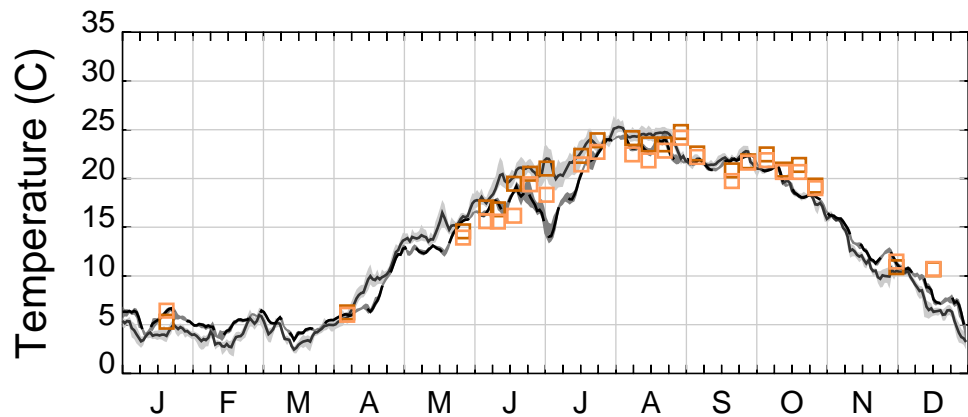


Model = 2017  
Data = 2017

- Model at Surface
- Model at Bottom
- Model Daily Average at Surface
- - Model Daily Average at Bottom
- Surface/Bottom HS Data
- Surface/Mid-depth HDR Data
- Surface/Mid/Bottom NJHDG Data

Staten Island  
St. George

Station: K1

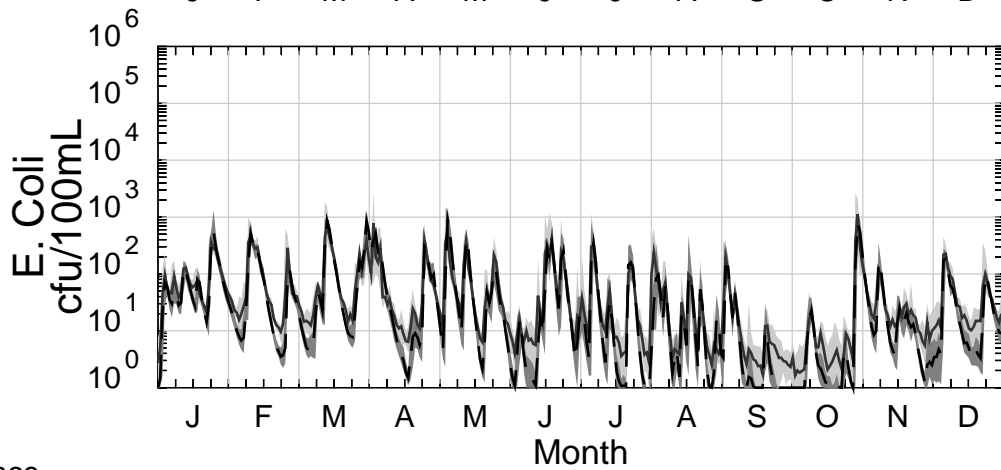
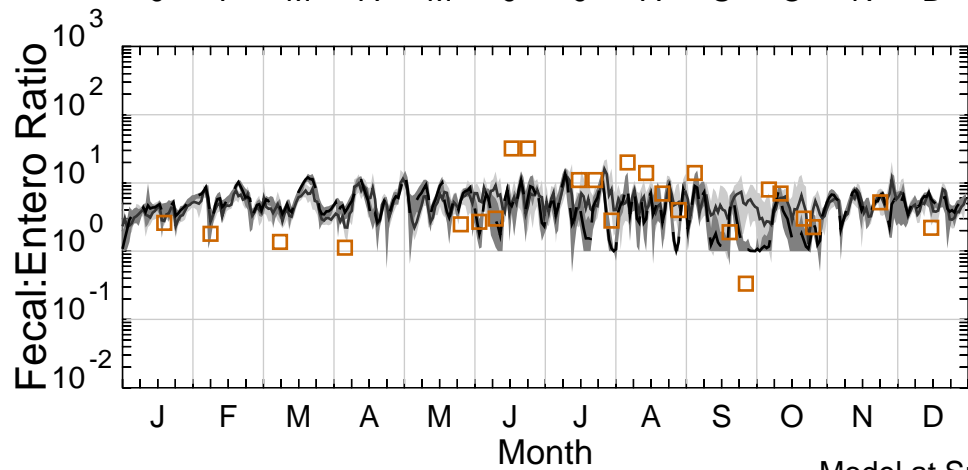
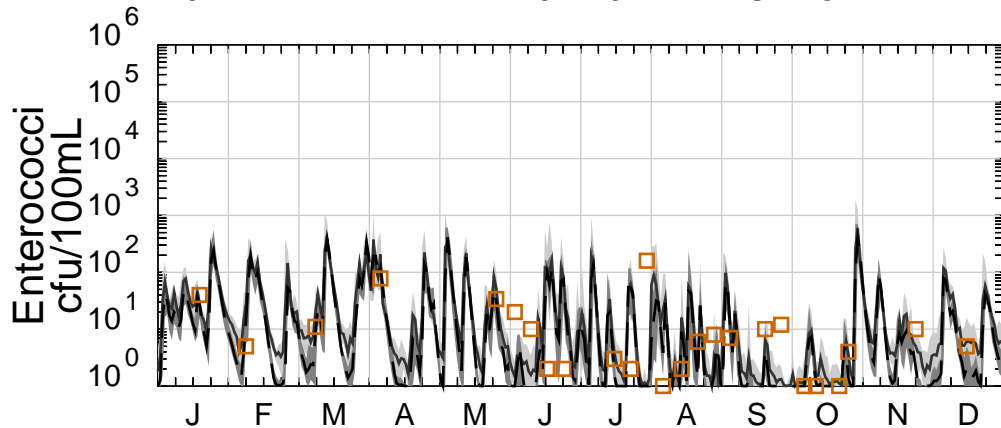
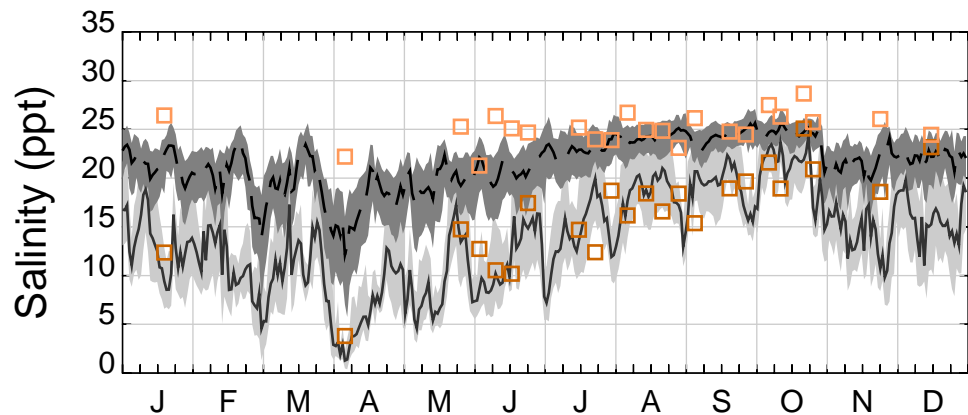
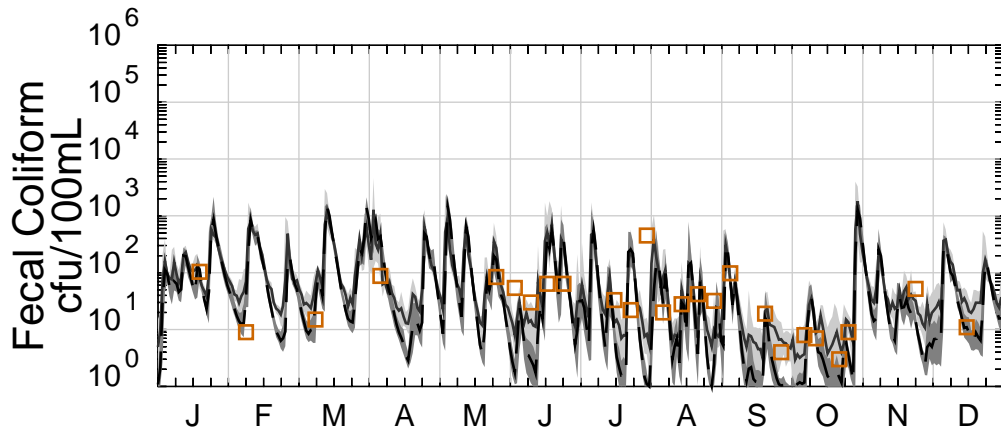
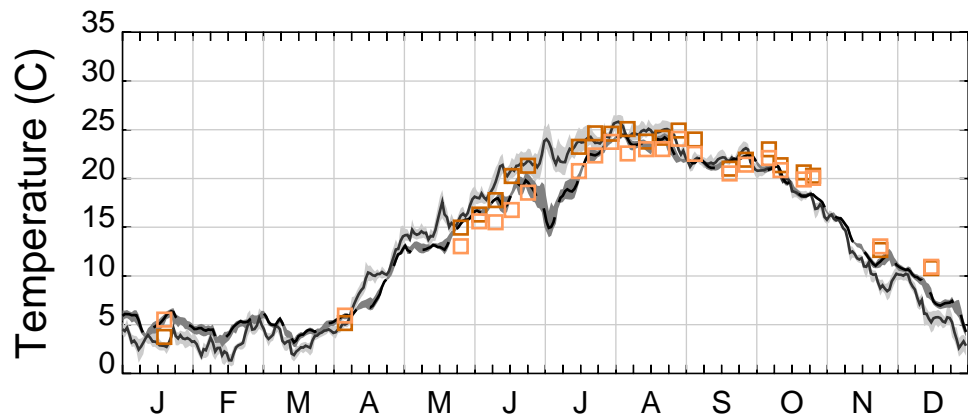


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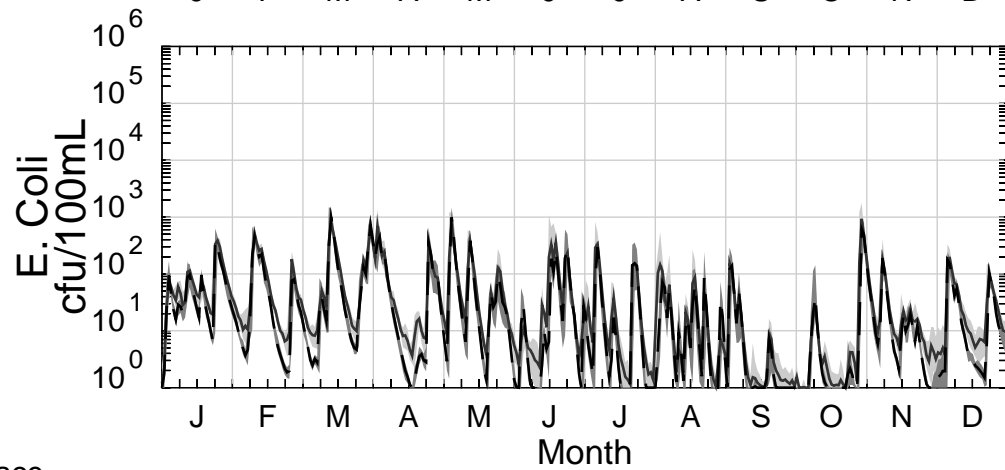
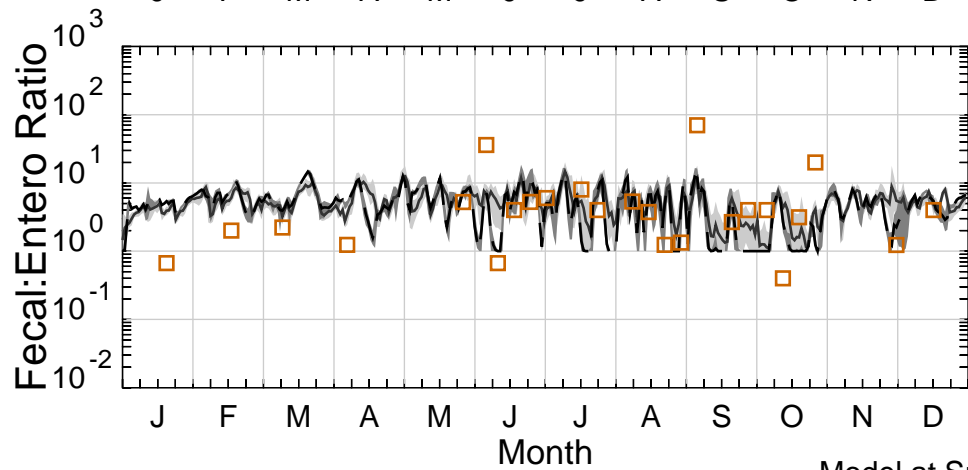
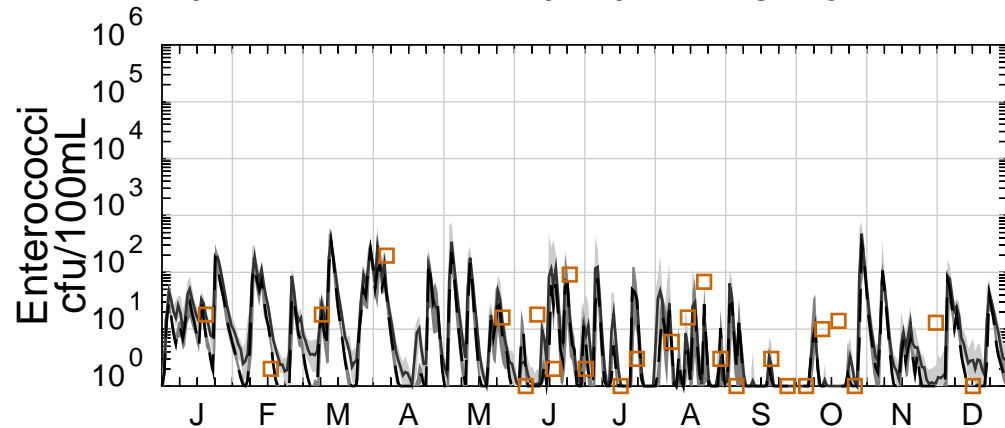
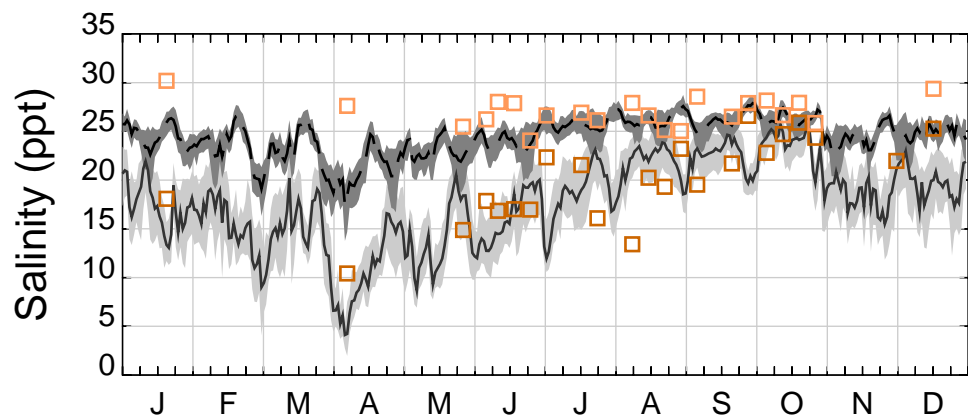
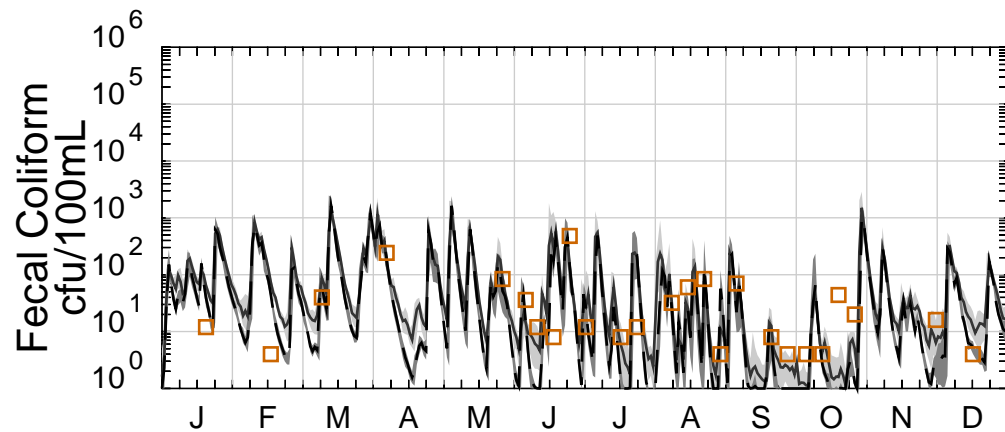
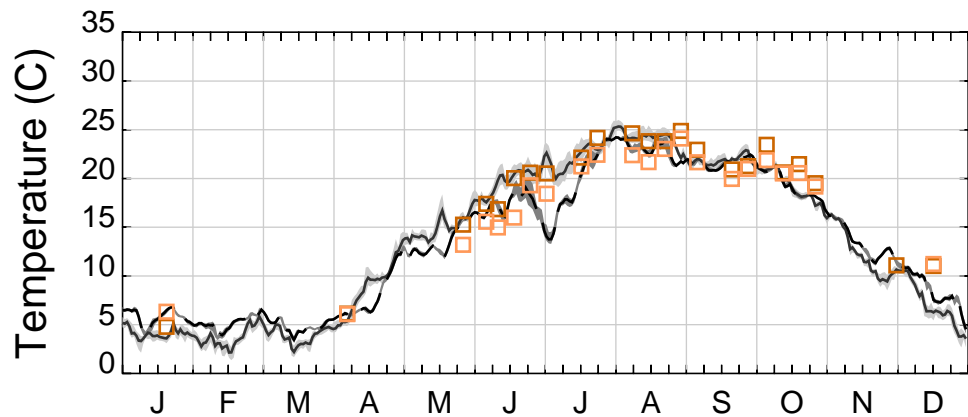
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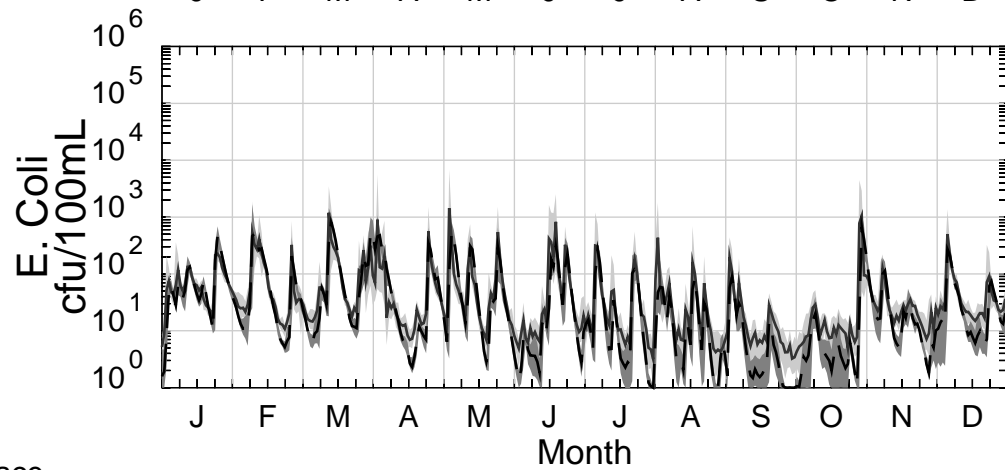
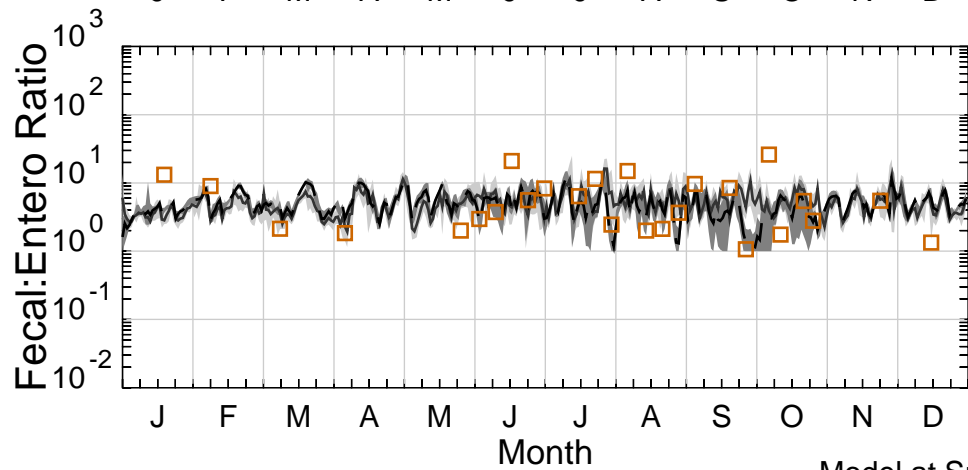
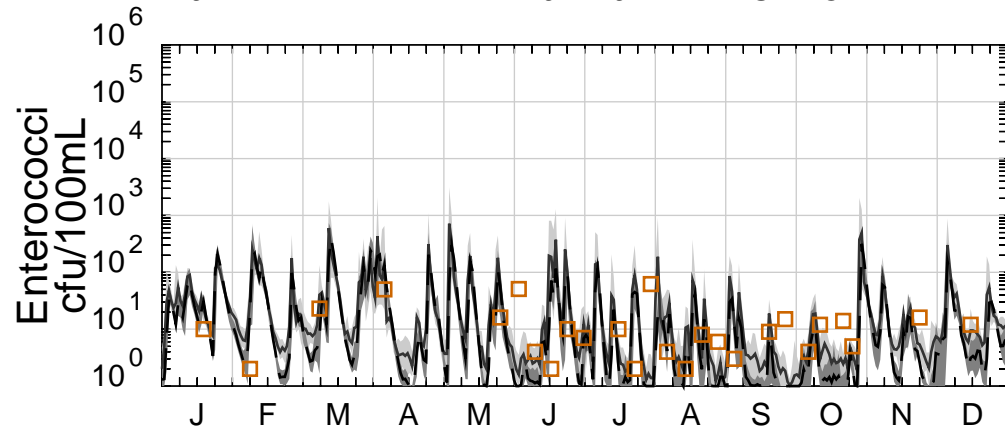
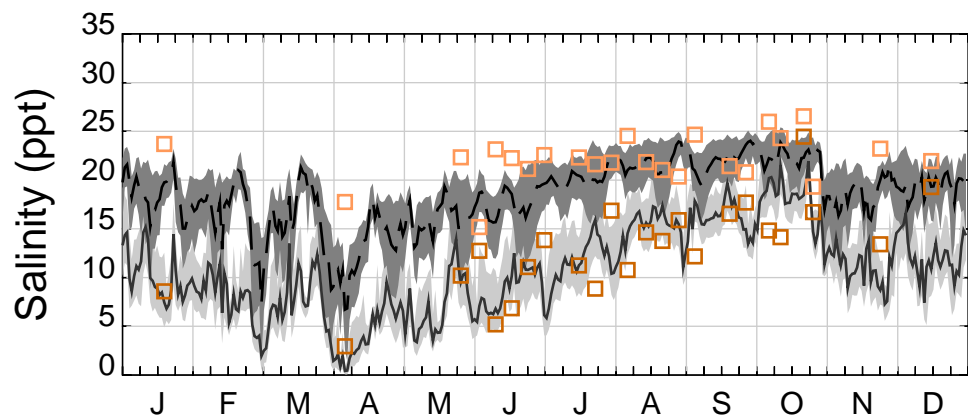
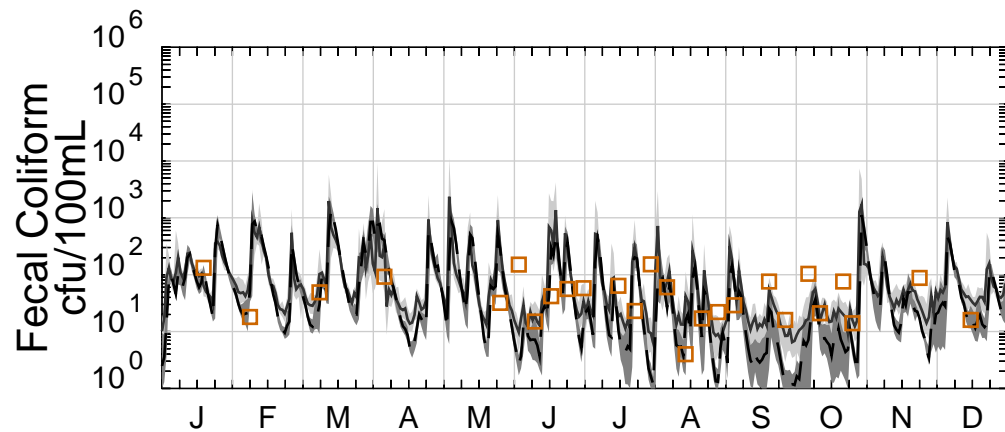
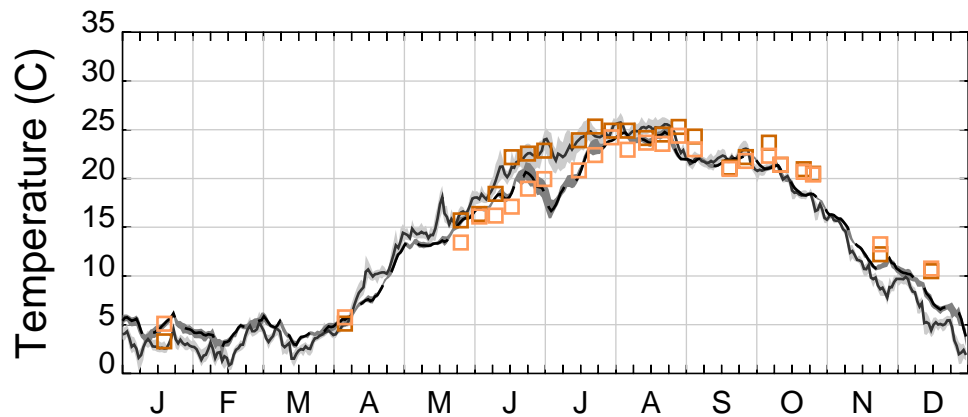


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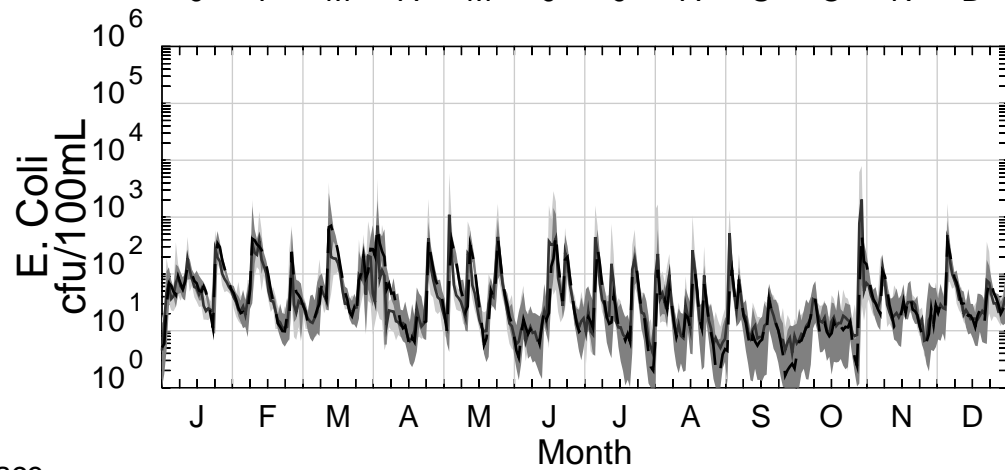
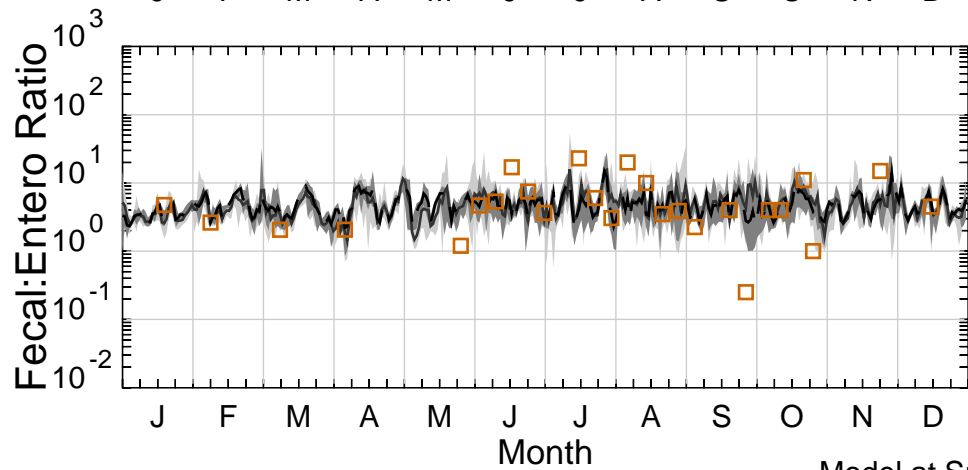
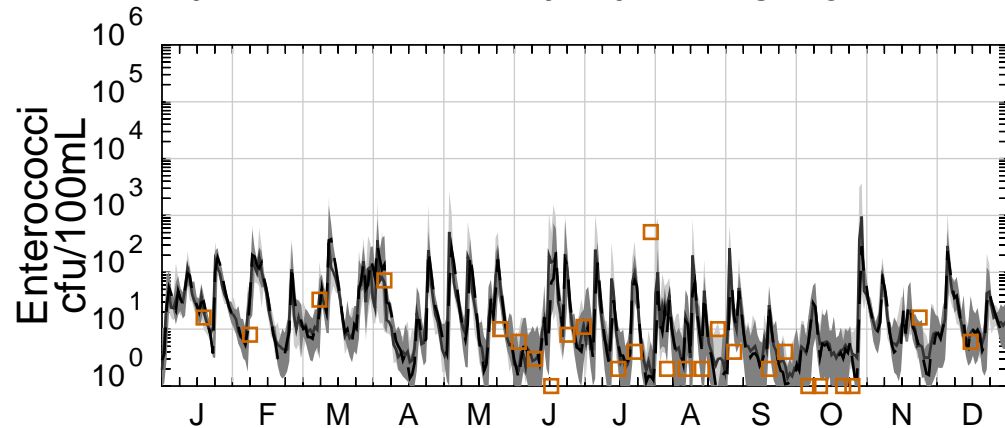
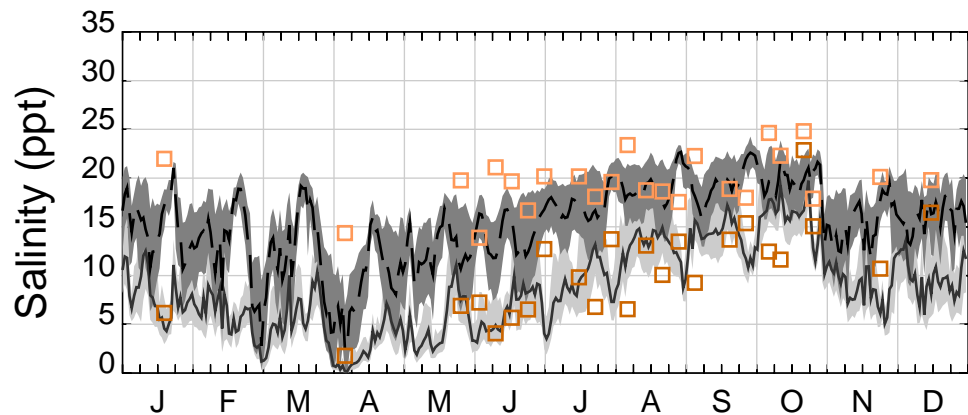
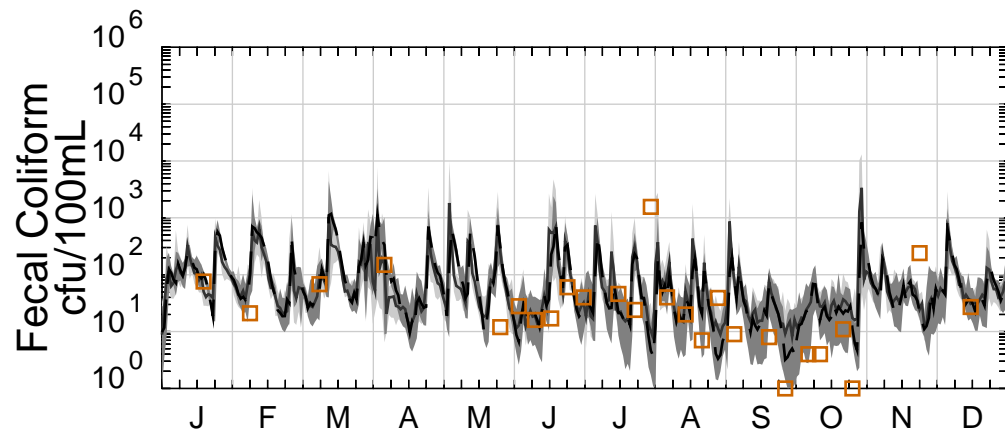
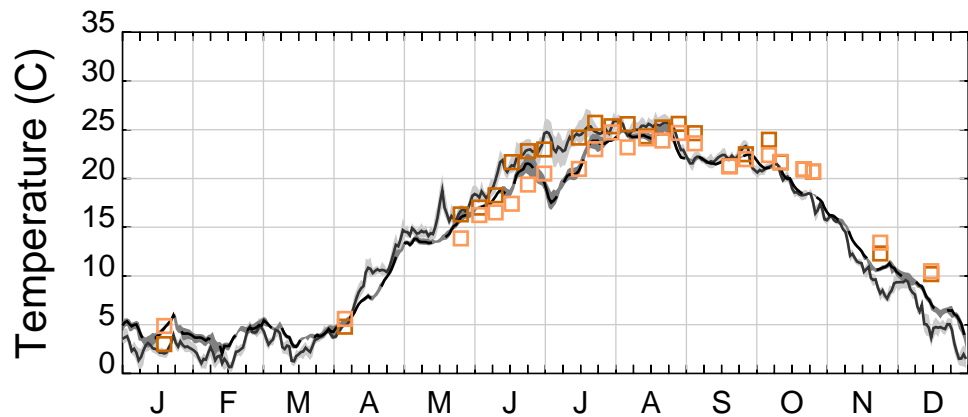
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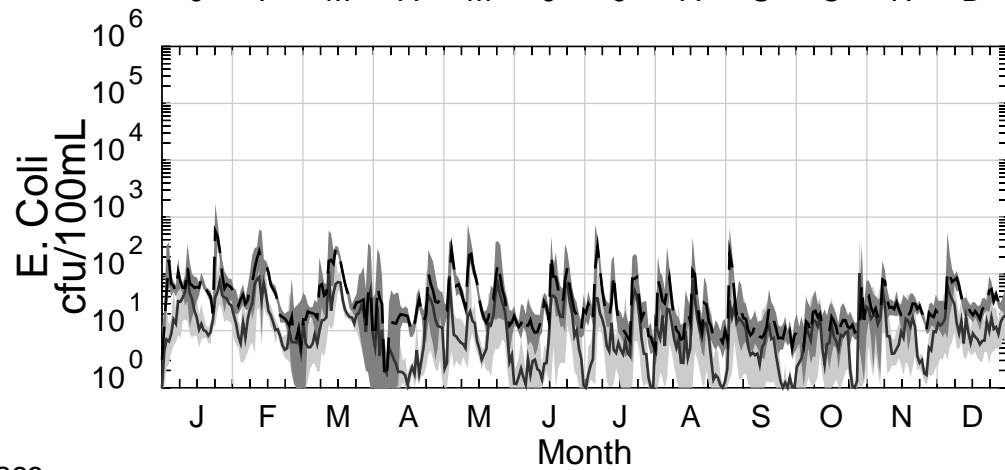
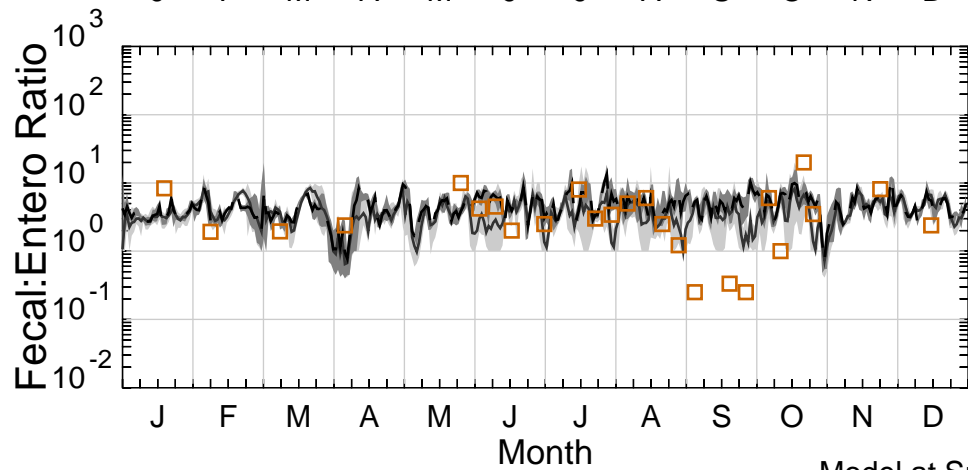
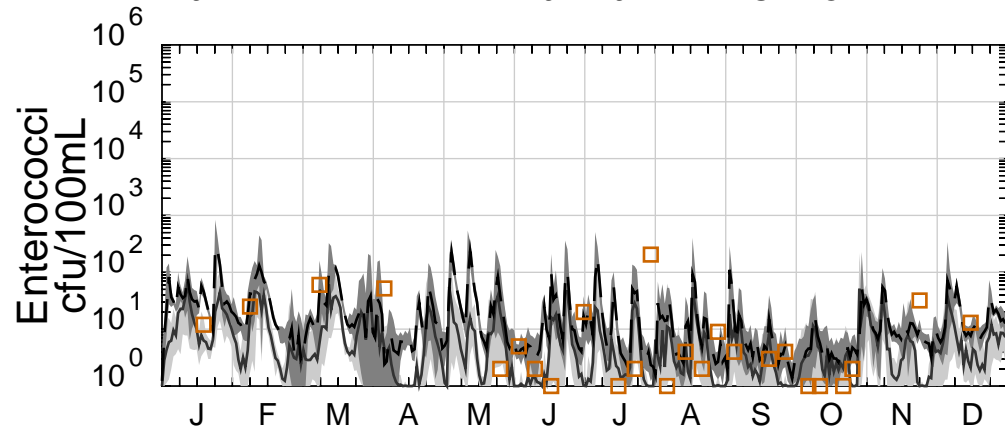
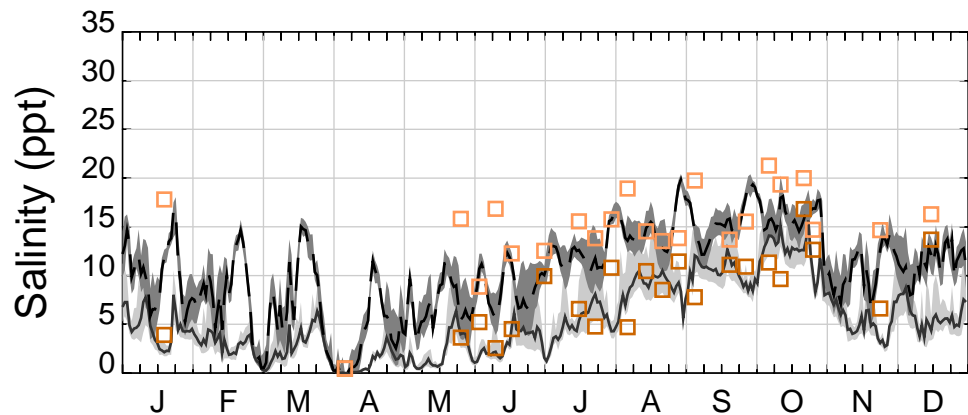
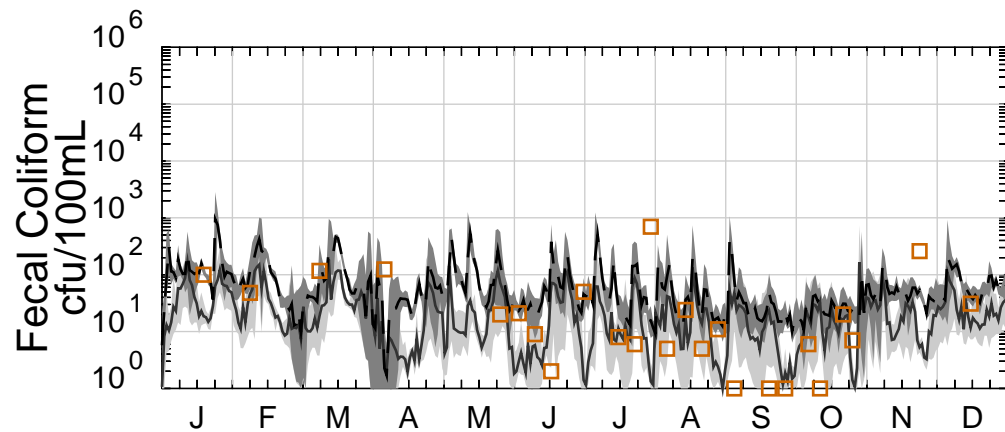
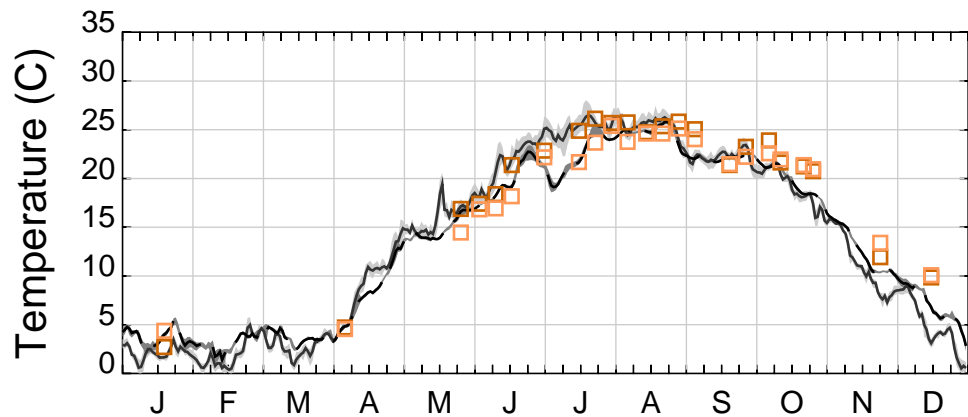


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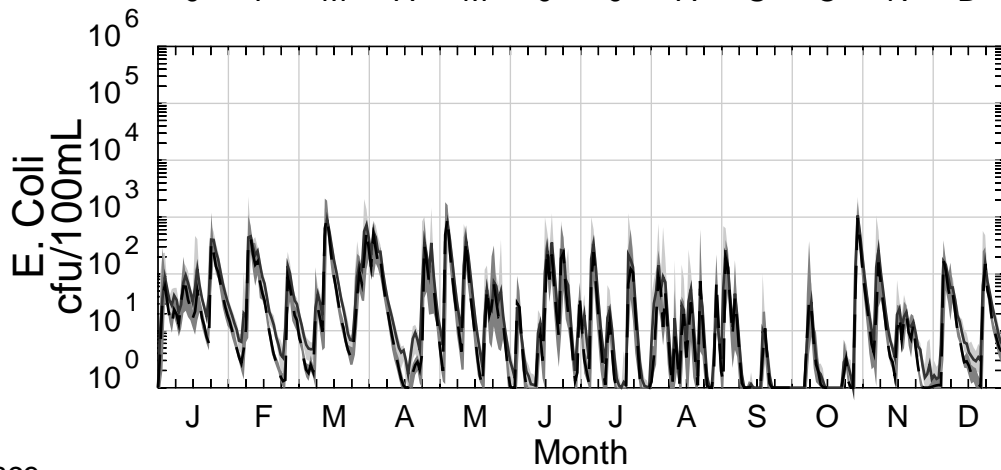
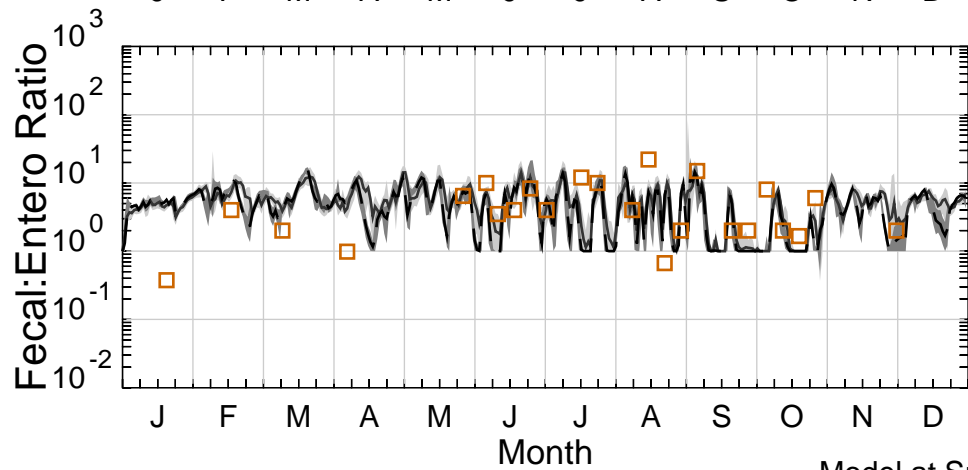
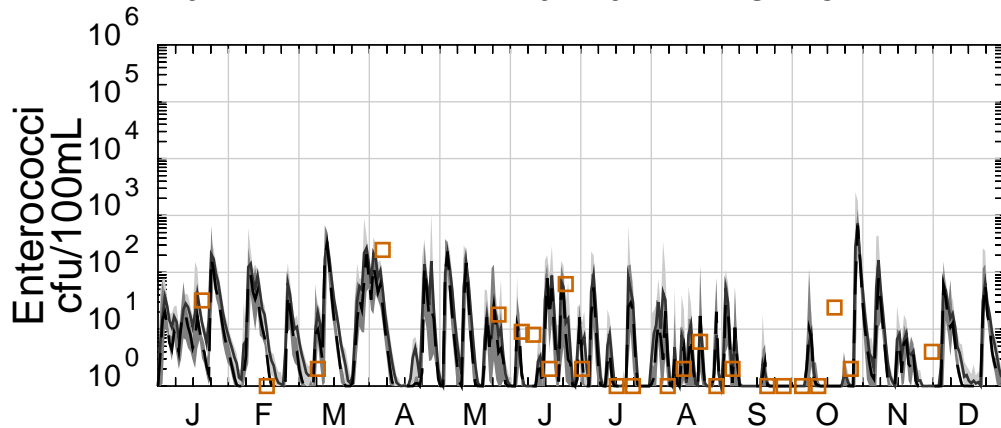
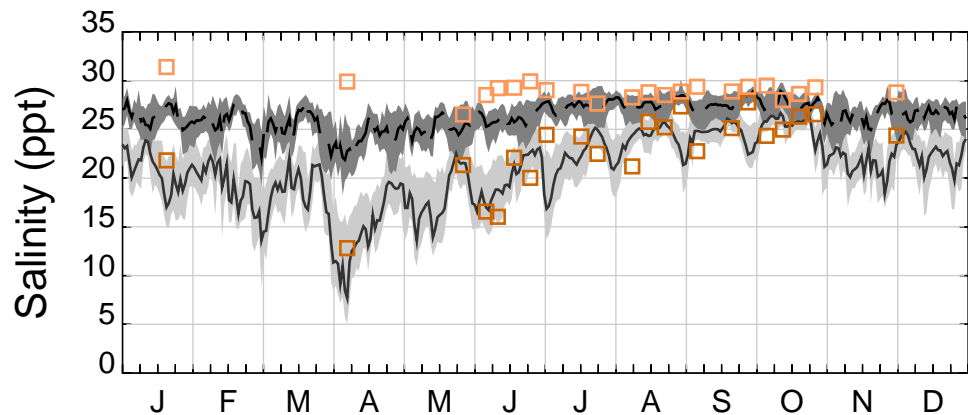
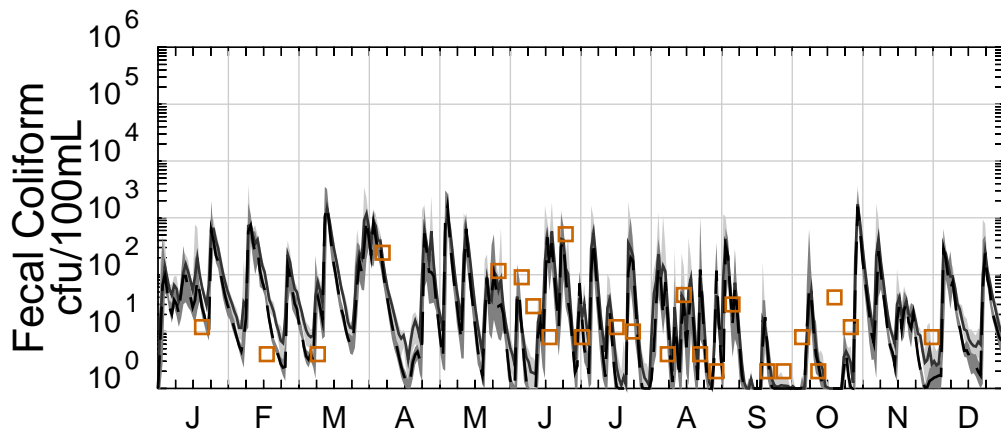
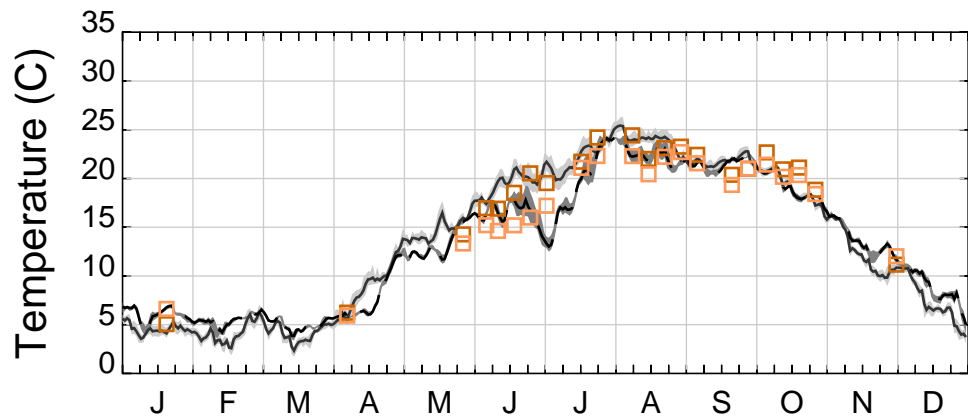
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# Jamaica Bay Coney Is. Outfall

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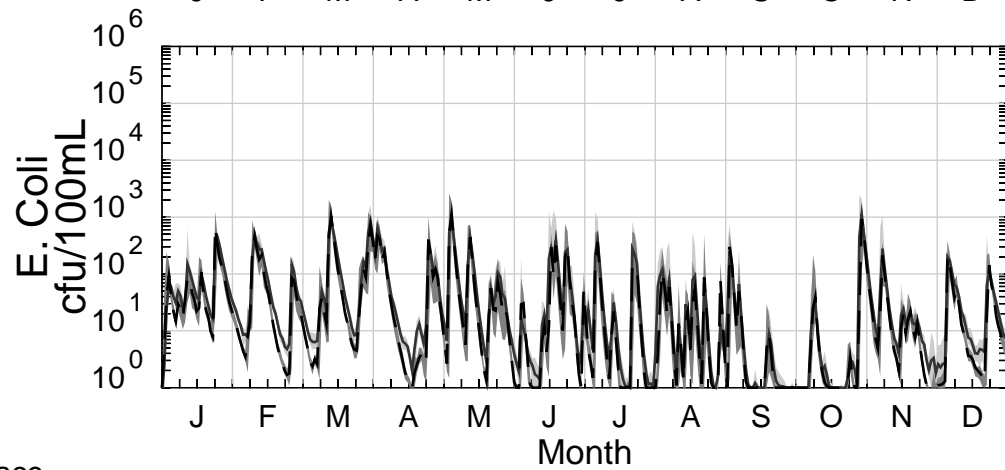
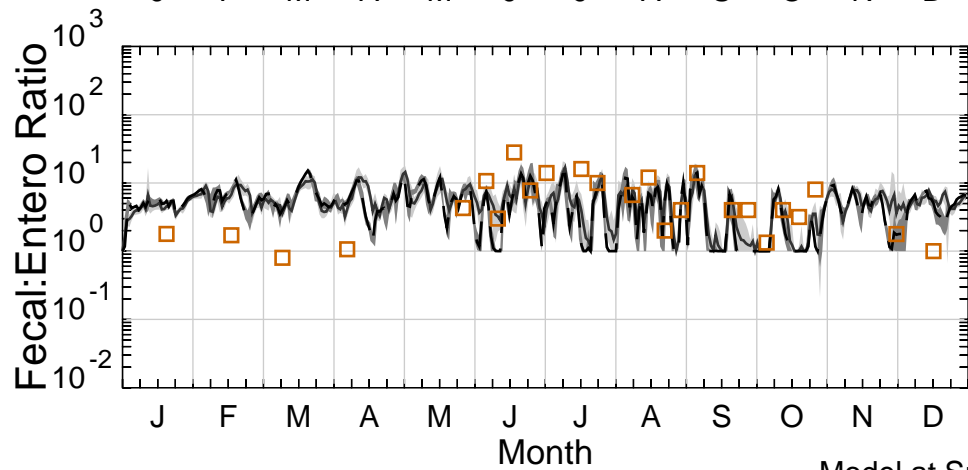
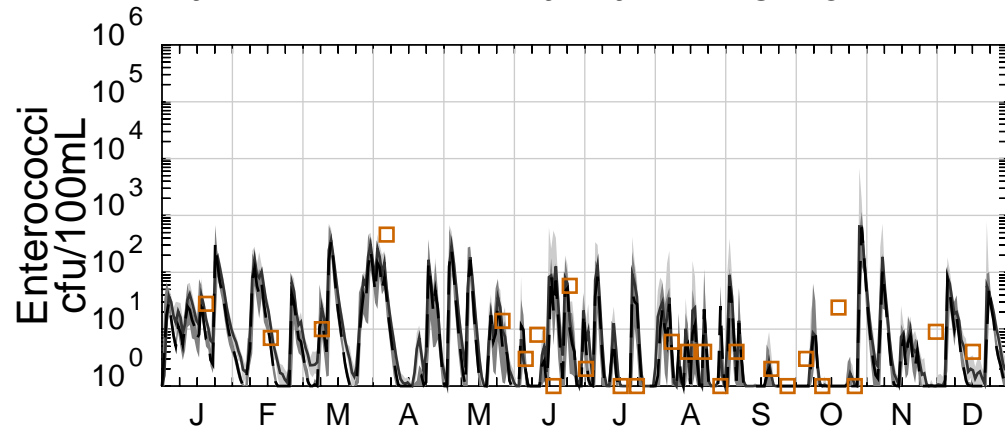
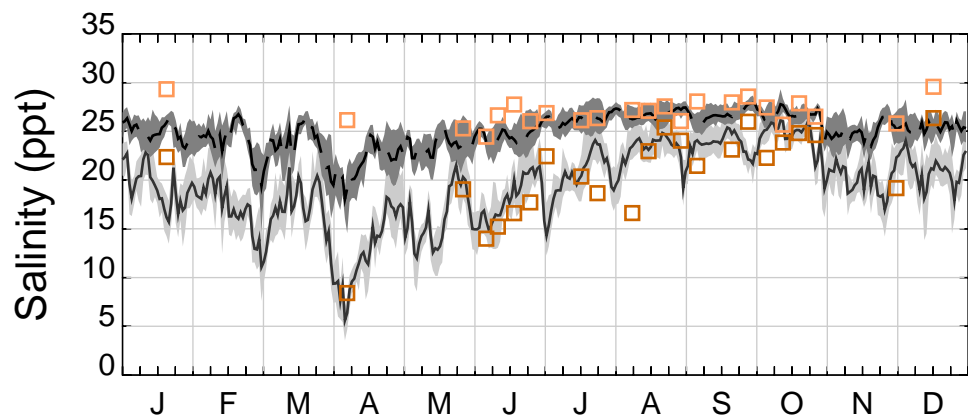
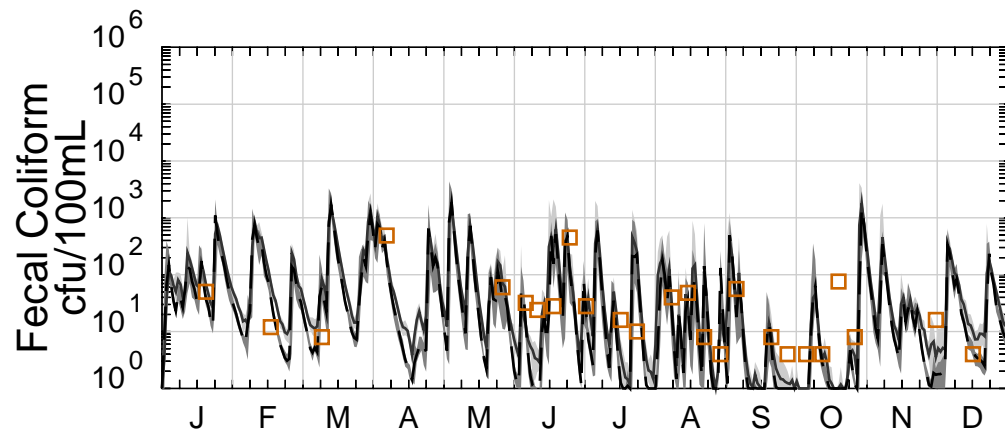
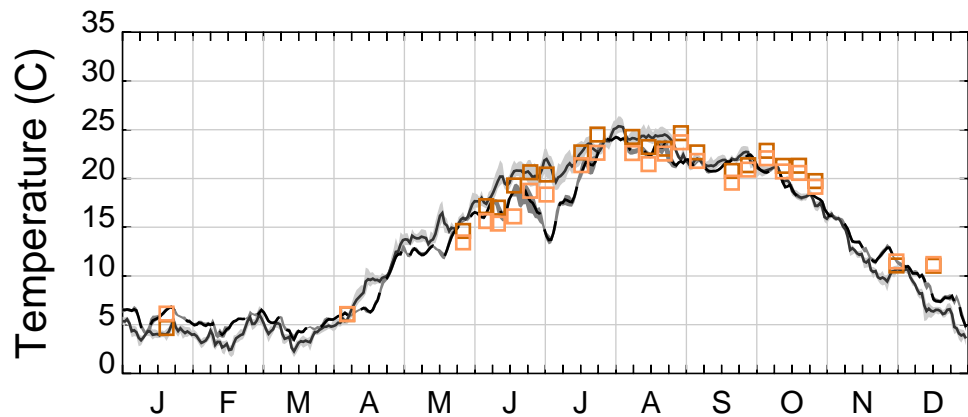
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# Hudson Robbins Reef

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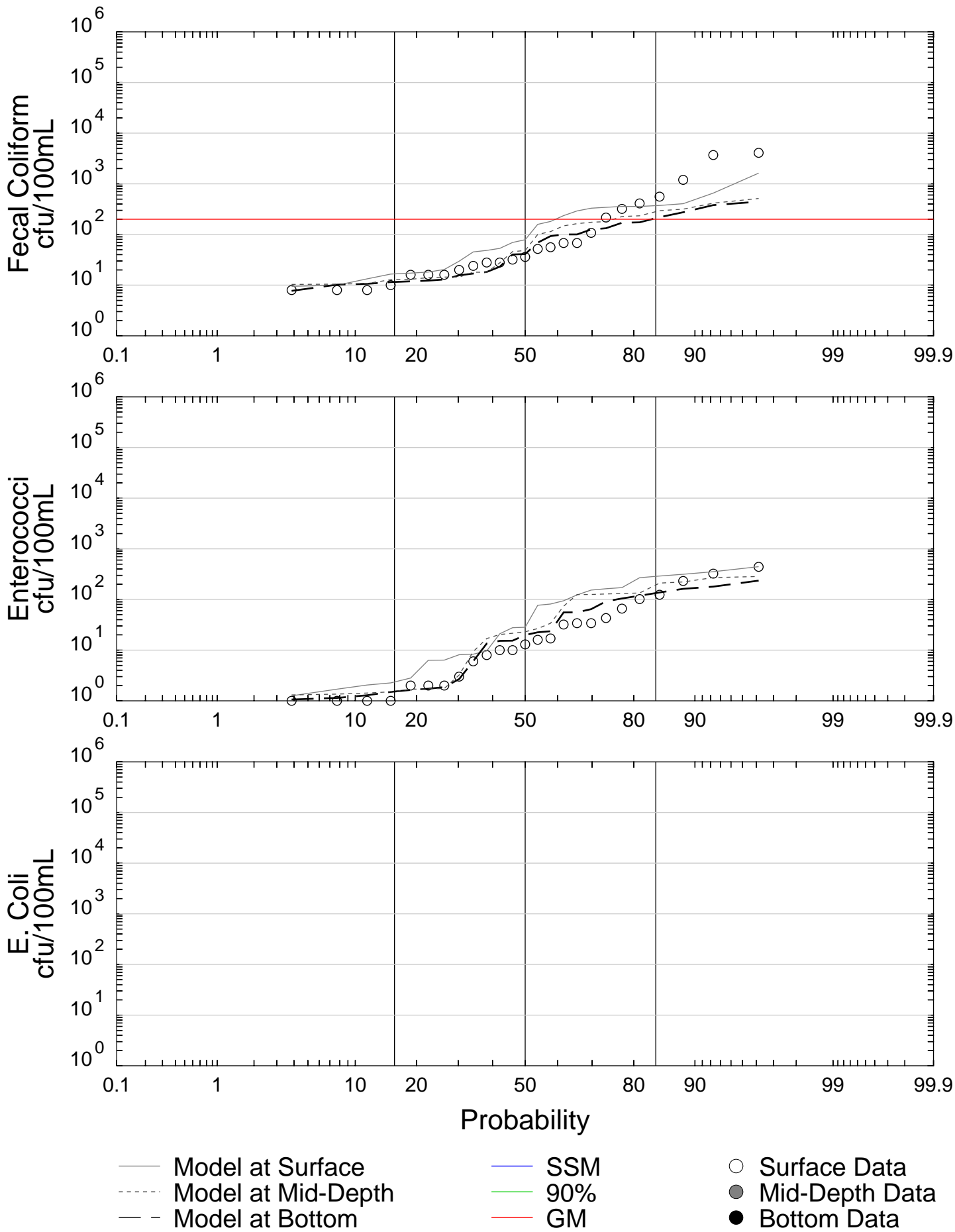


## Appendix F-9

Validation Probability Figures  
with NYCDEP Harbor Survey  
Data

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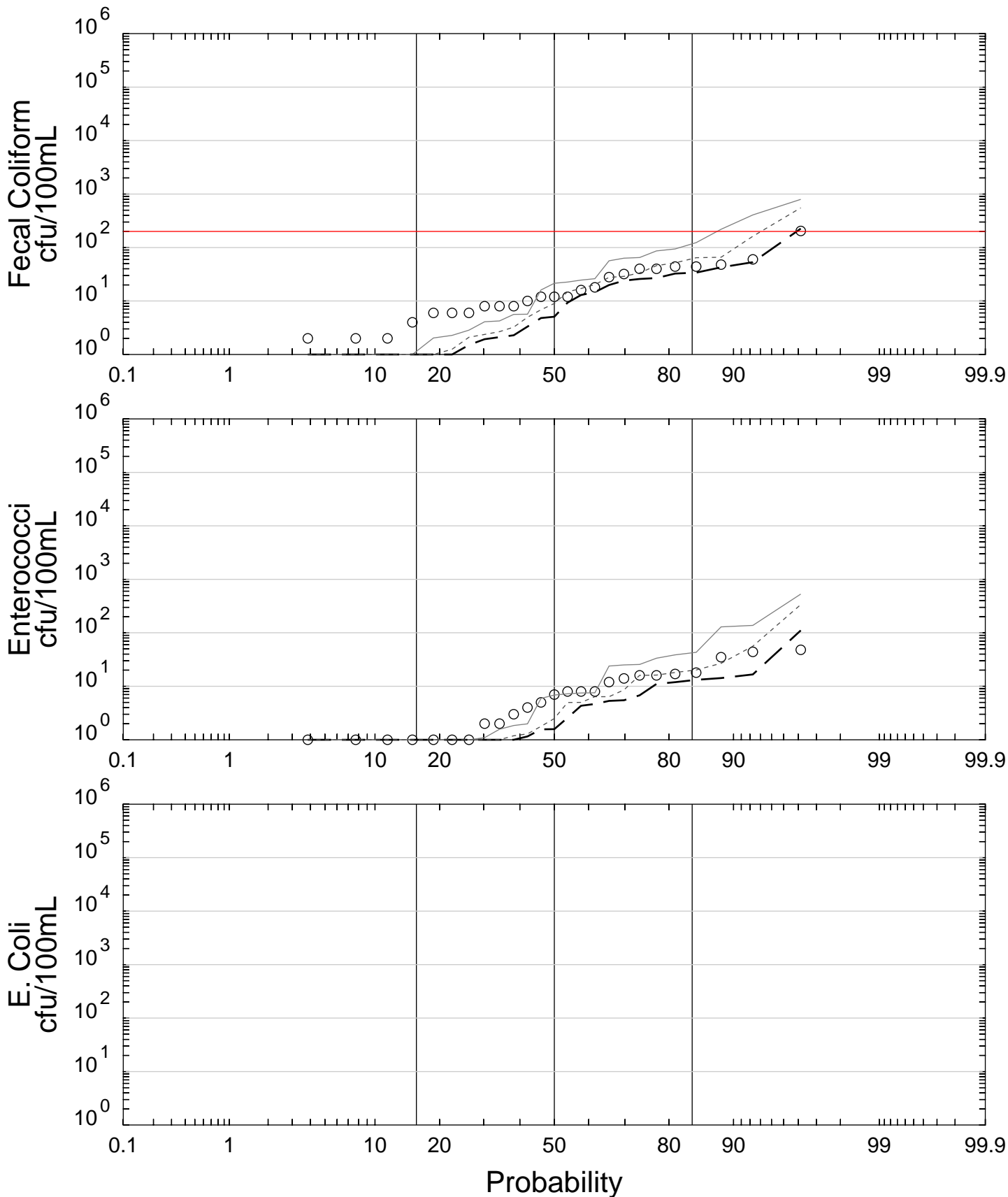
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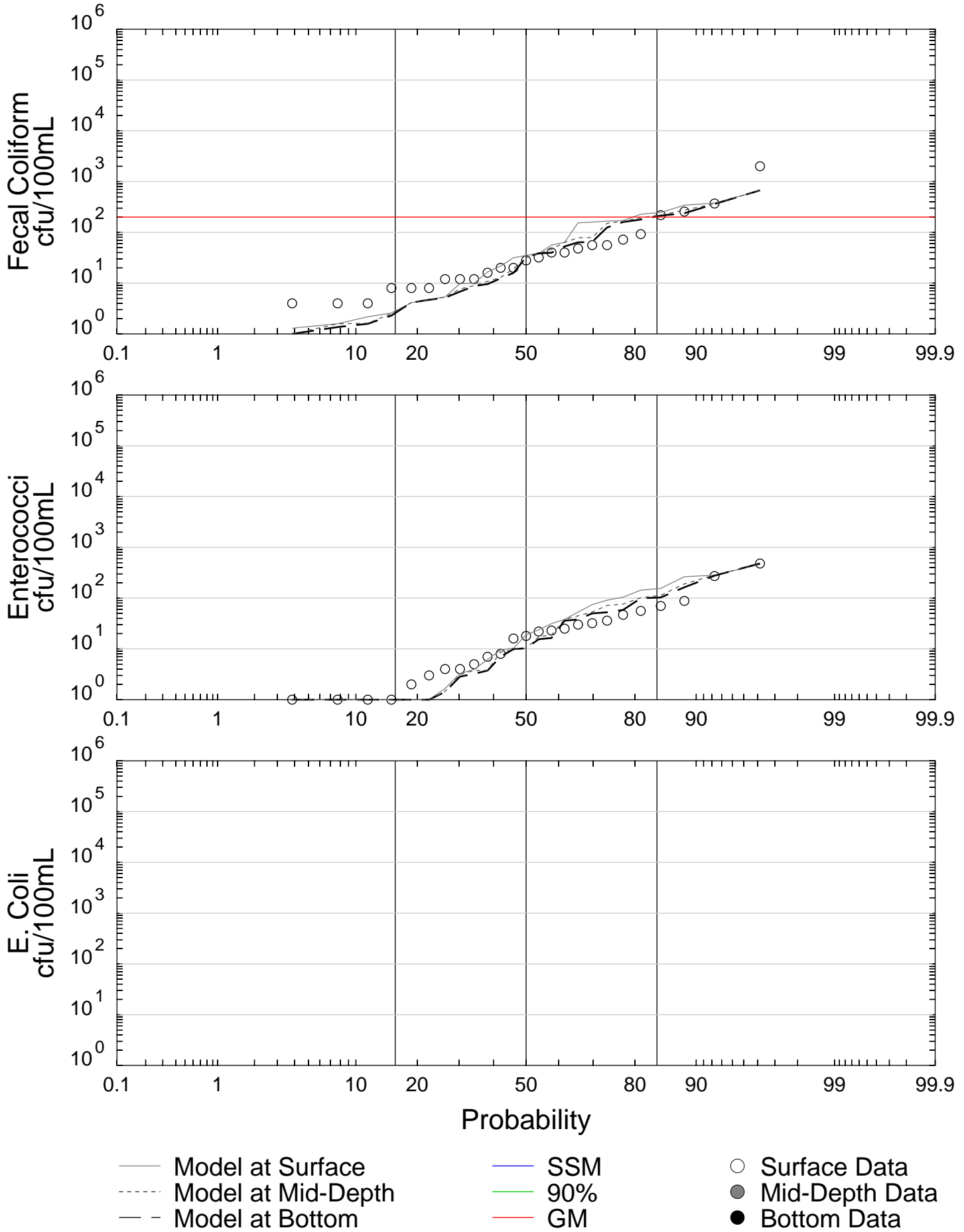


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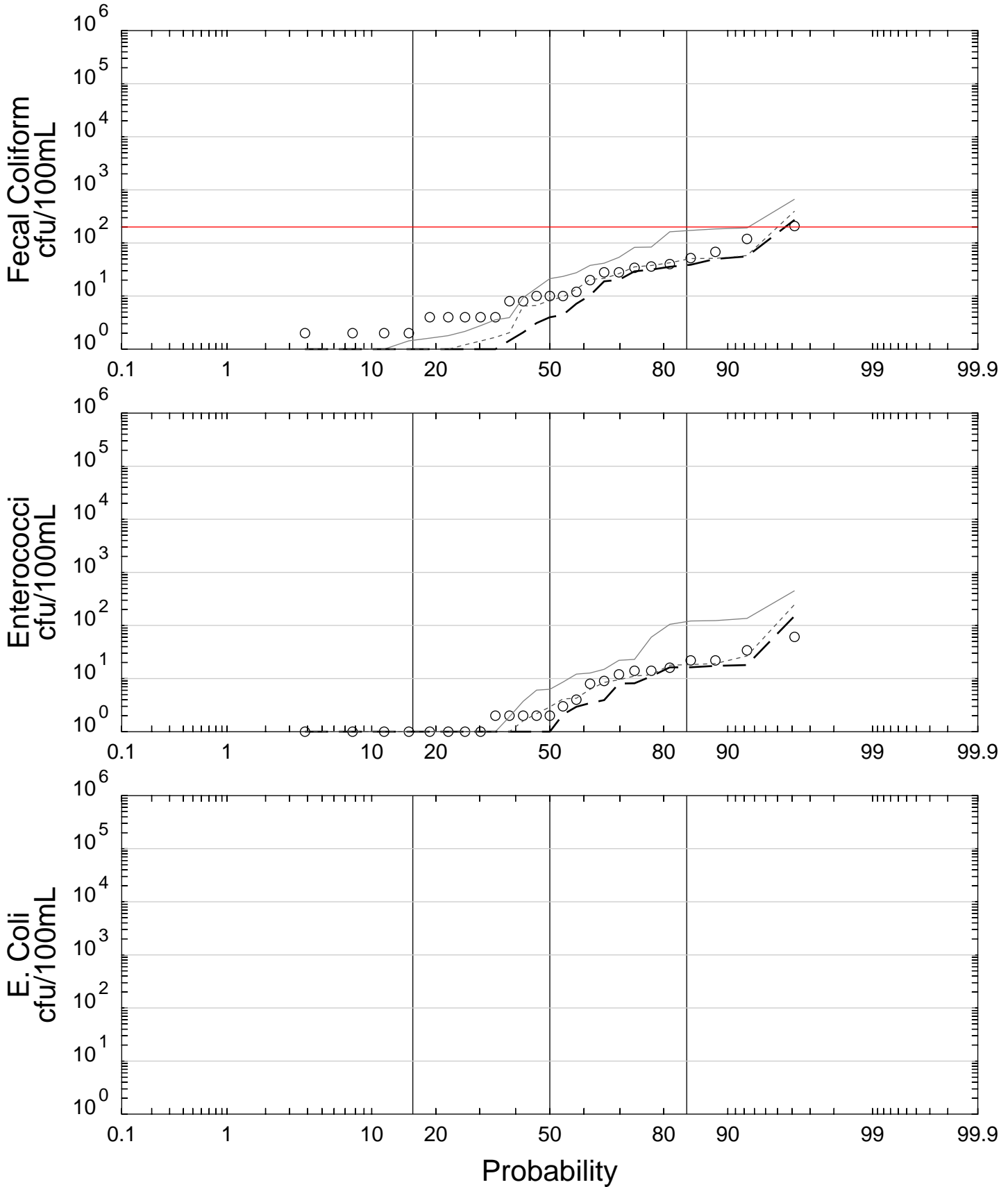


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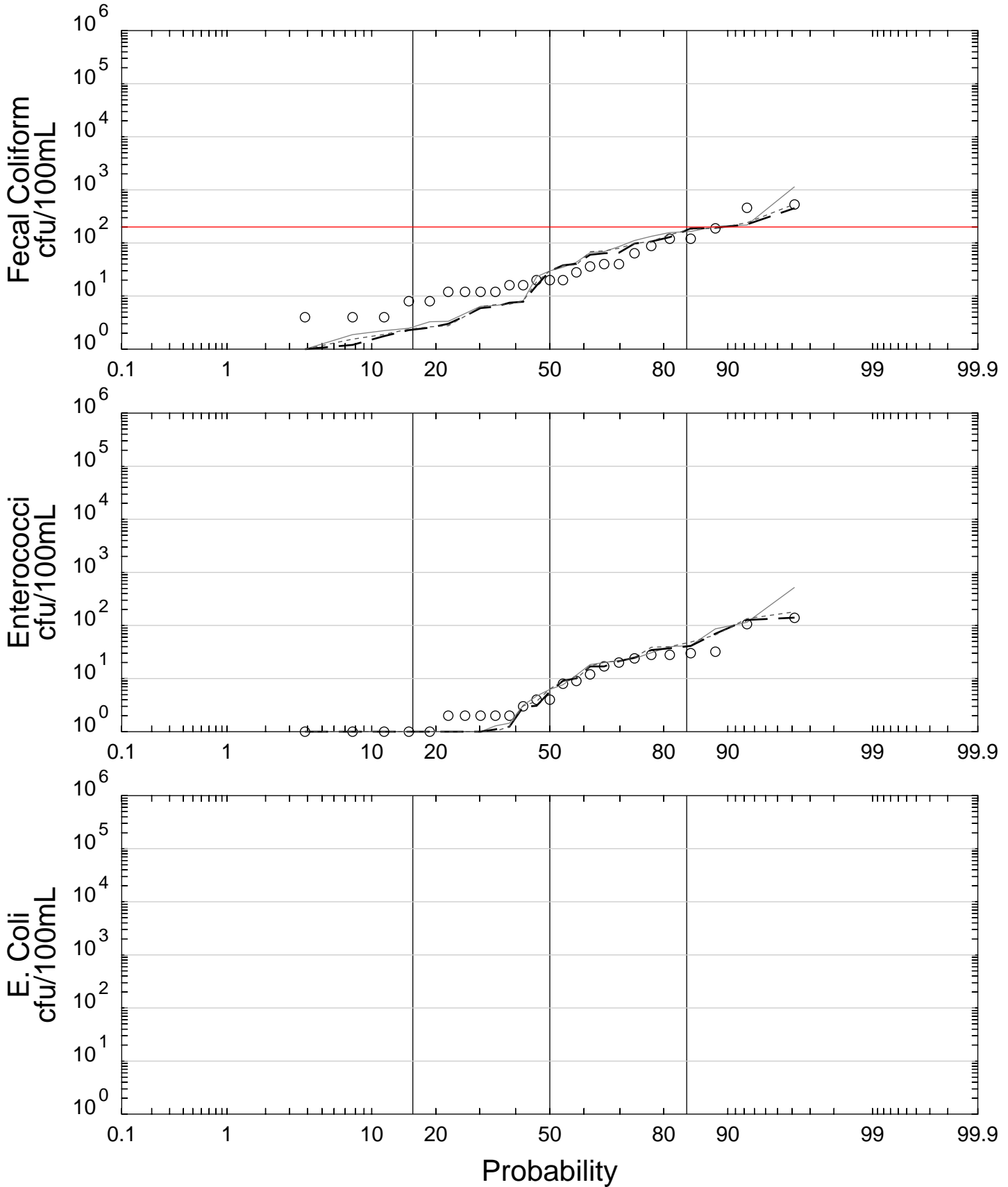


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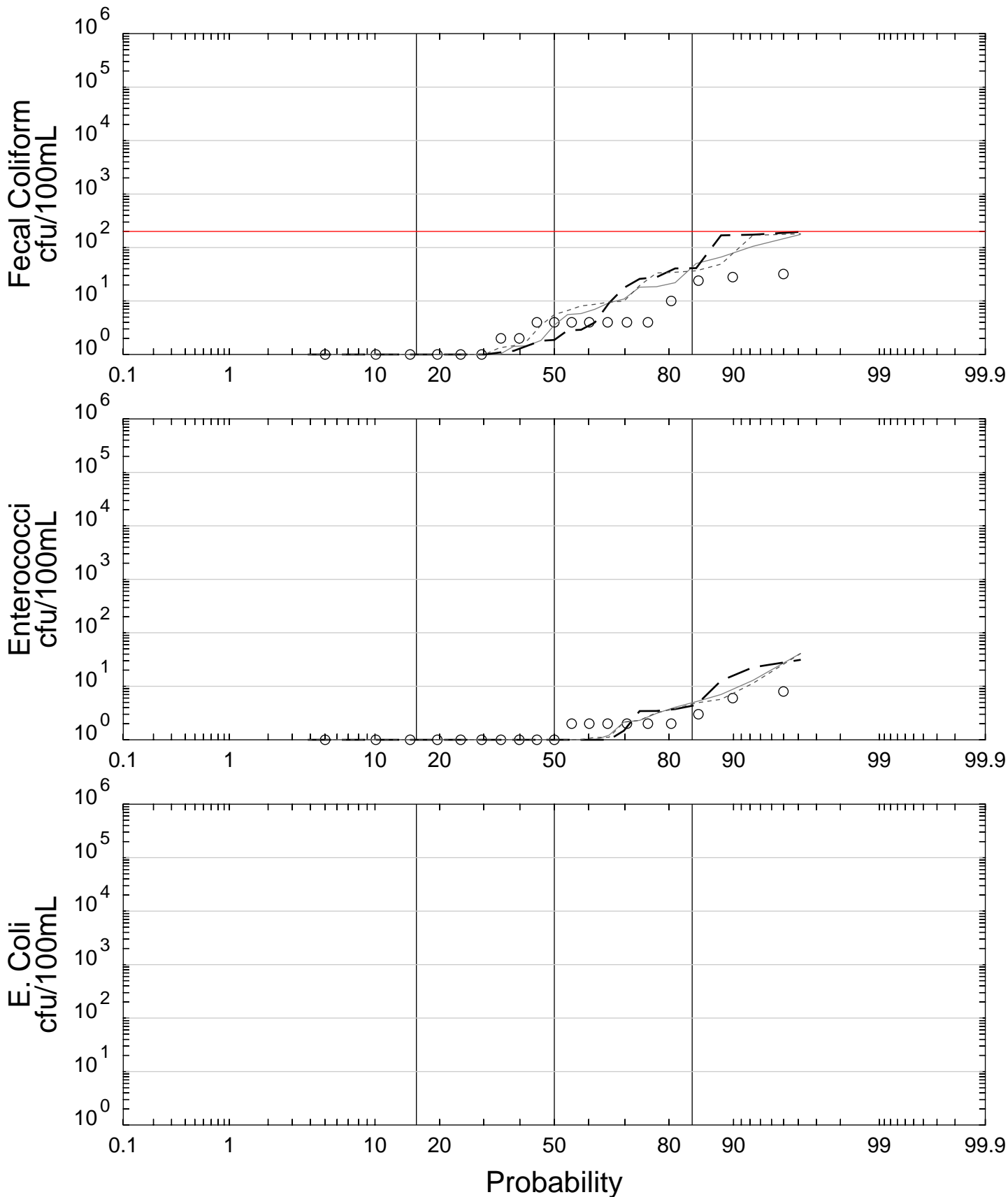


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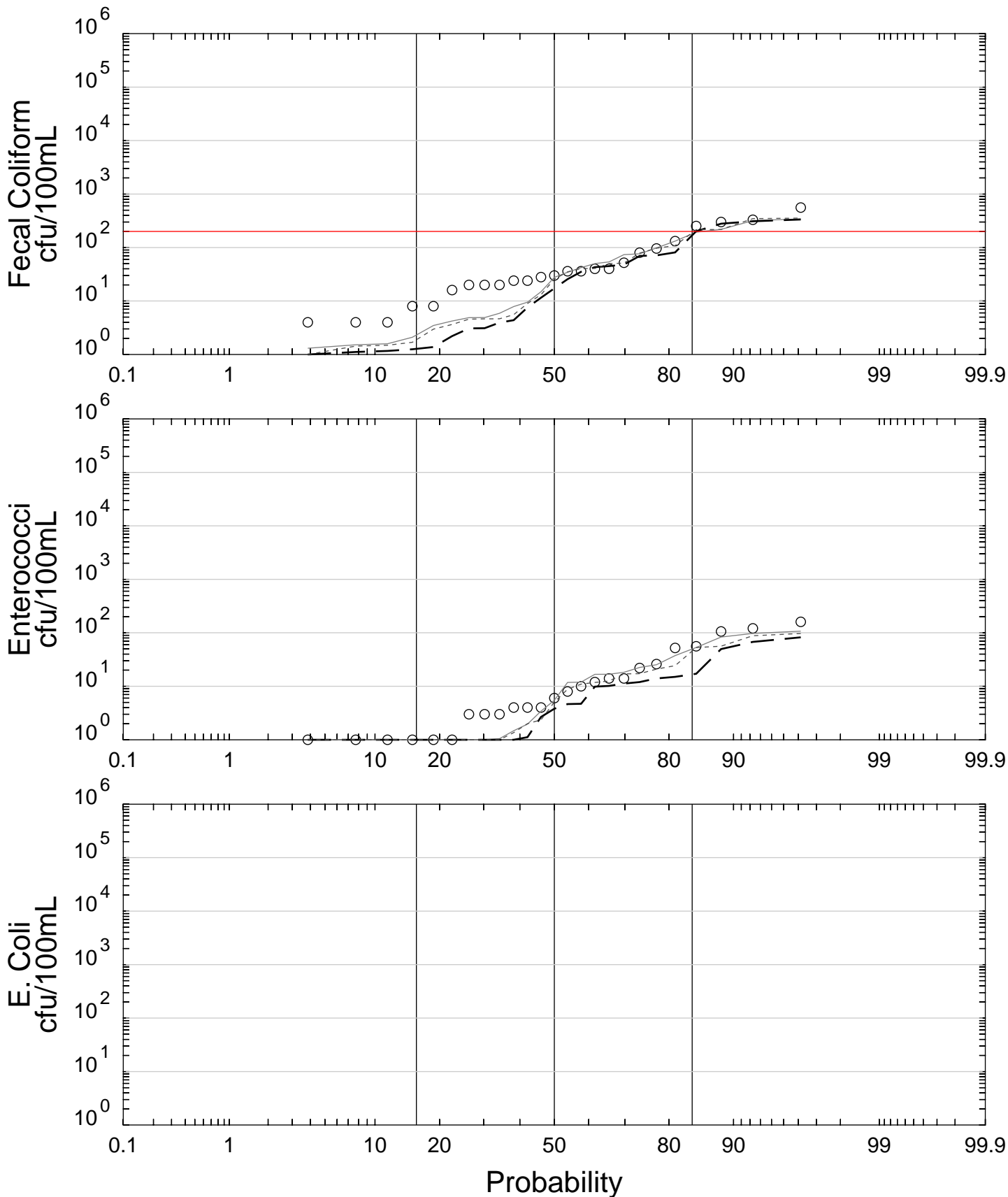


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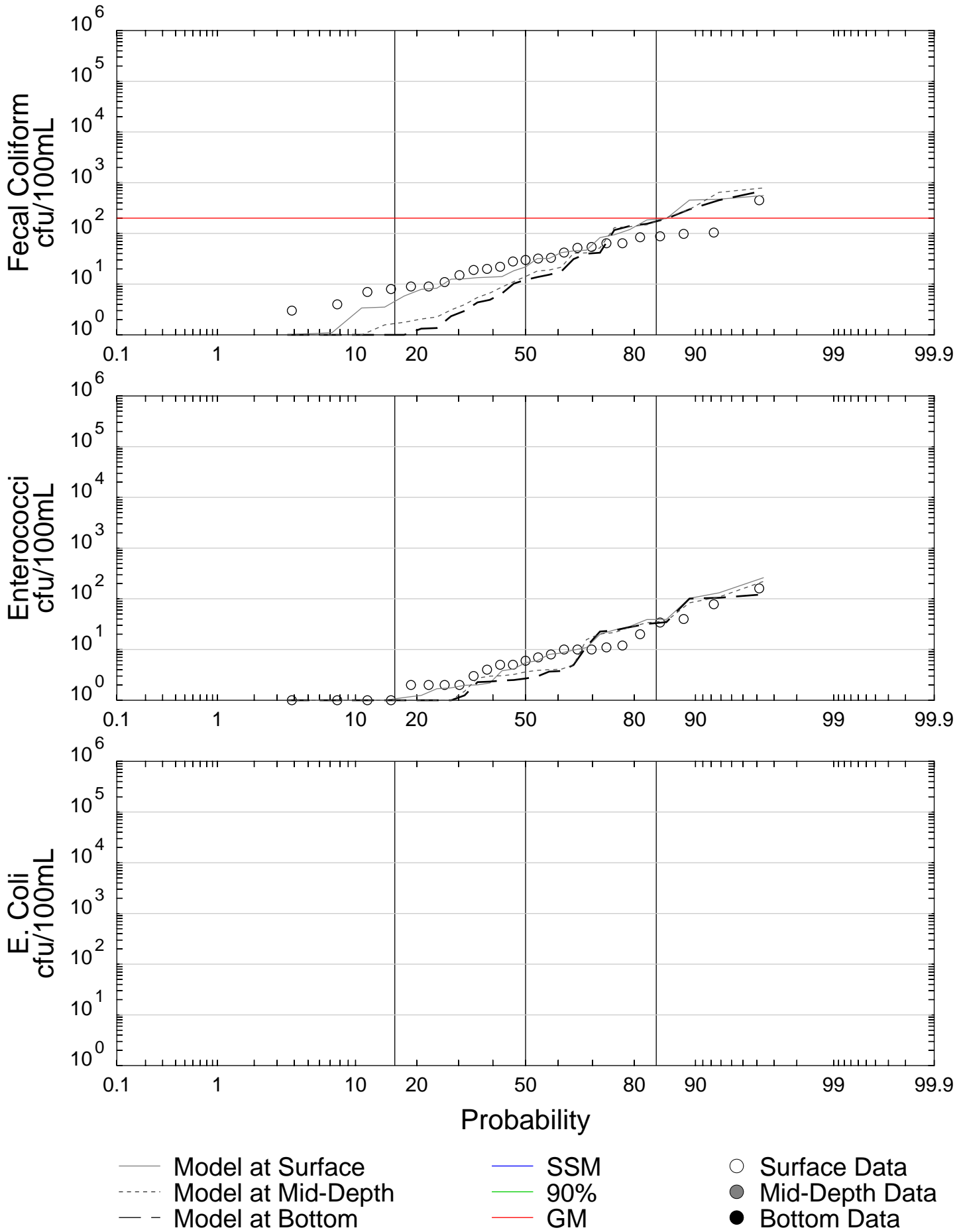


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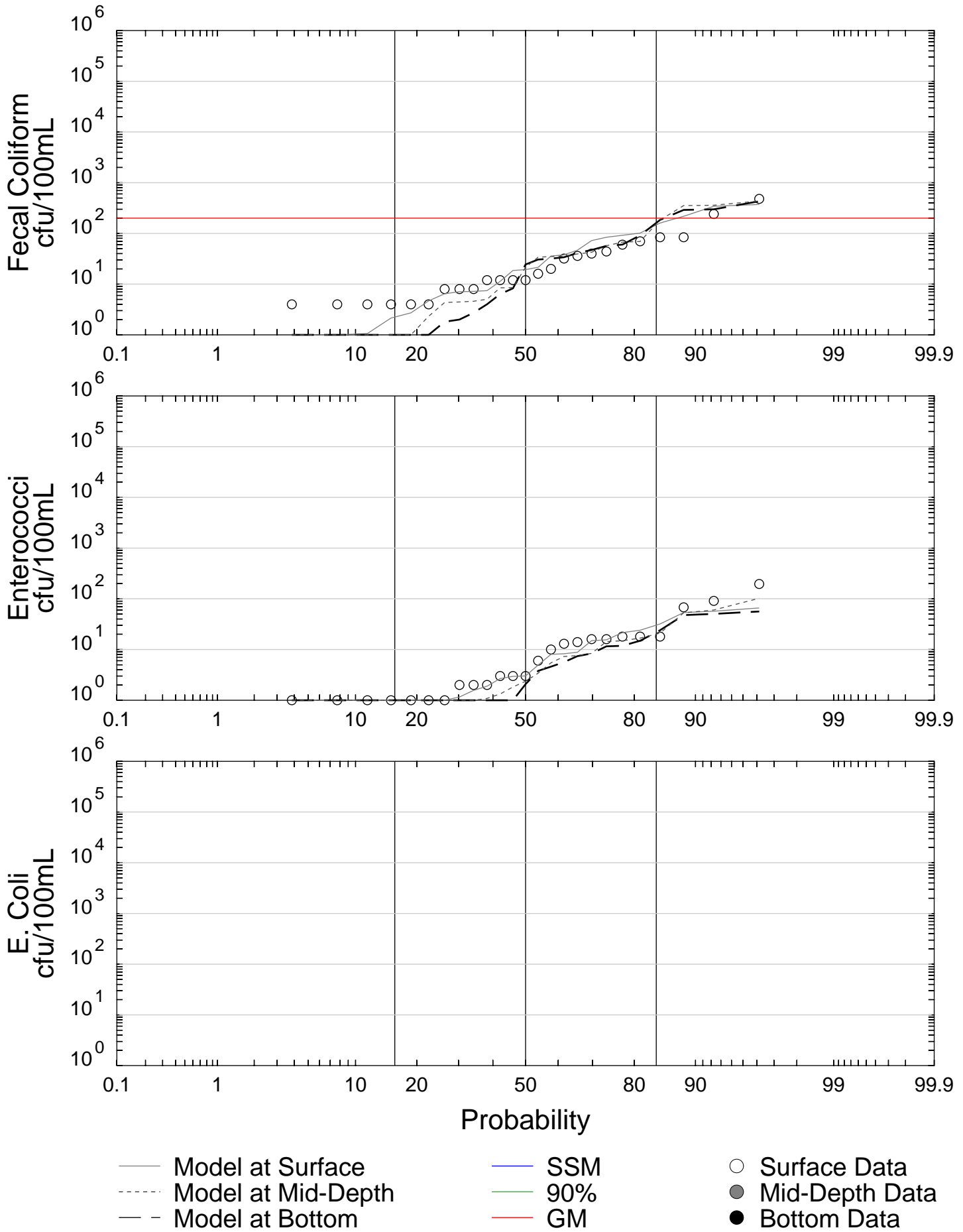
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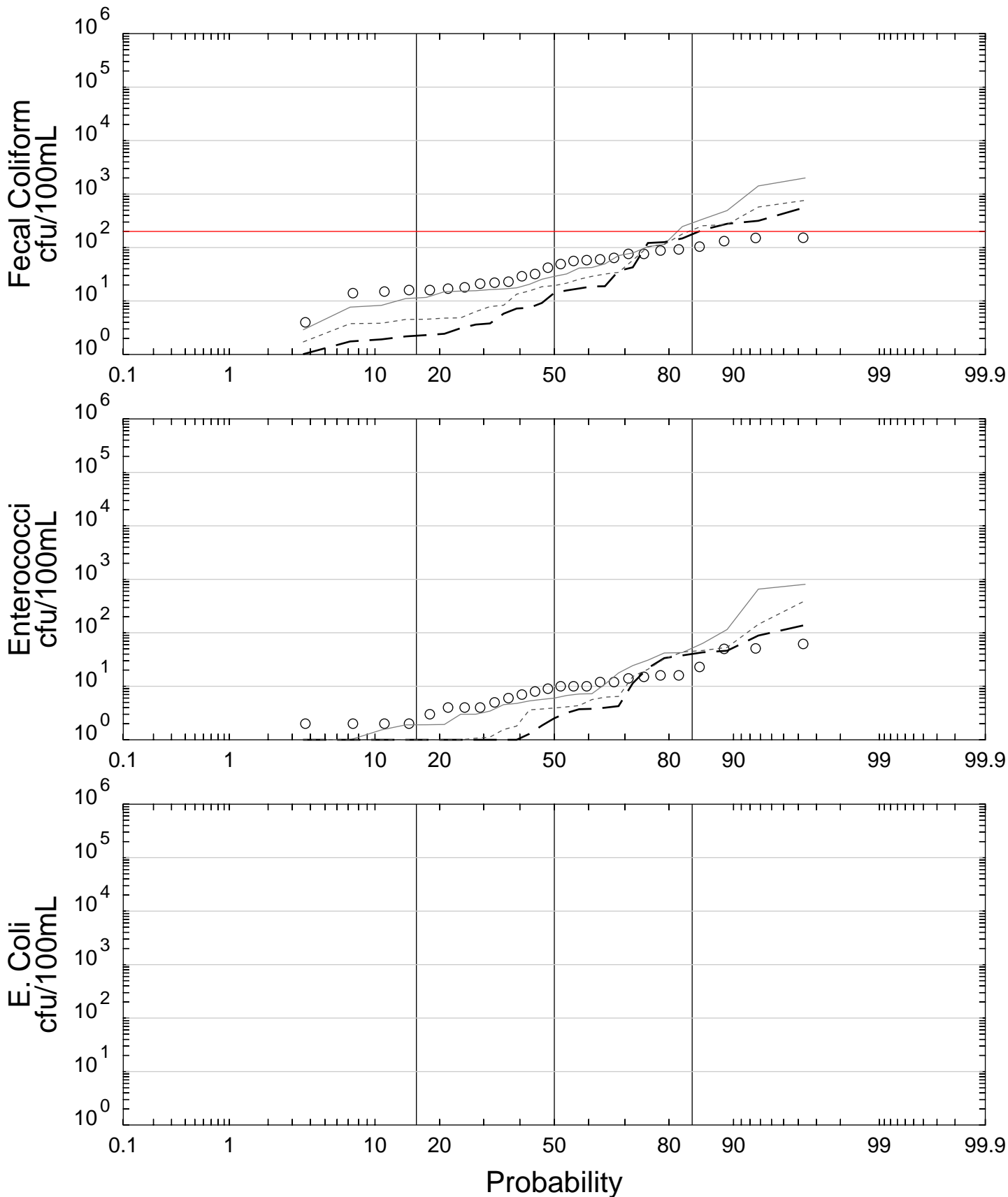
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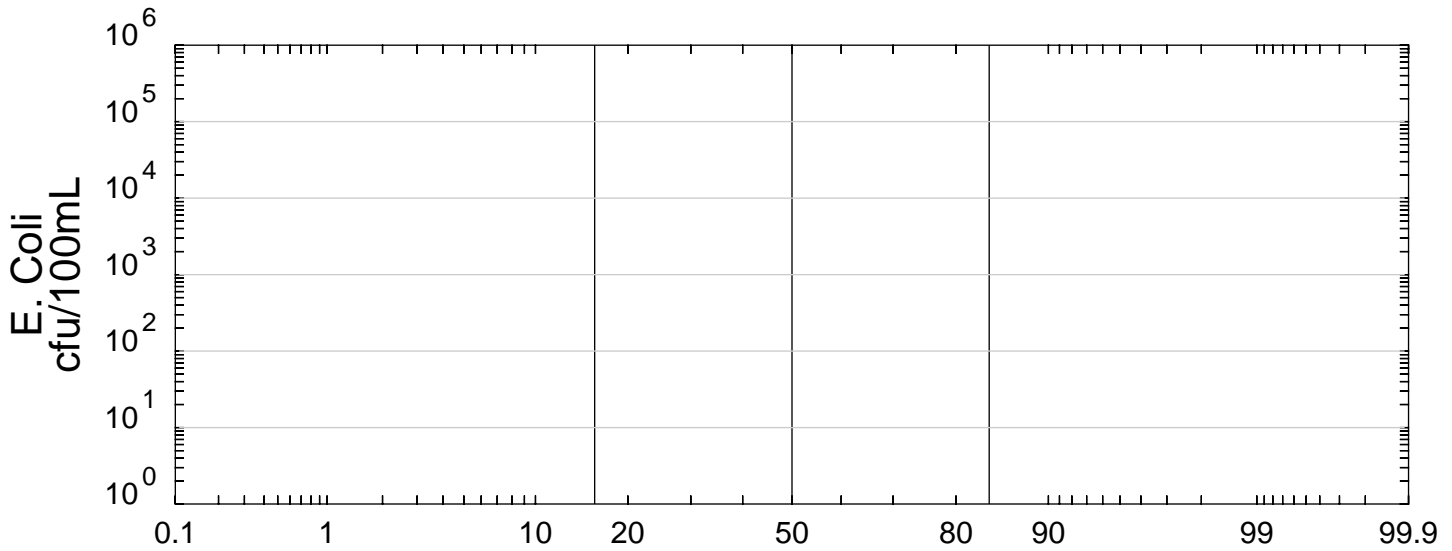
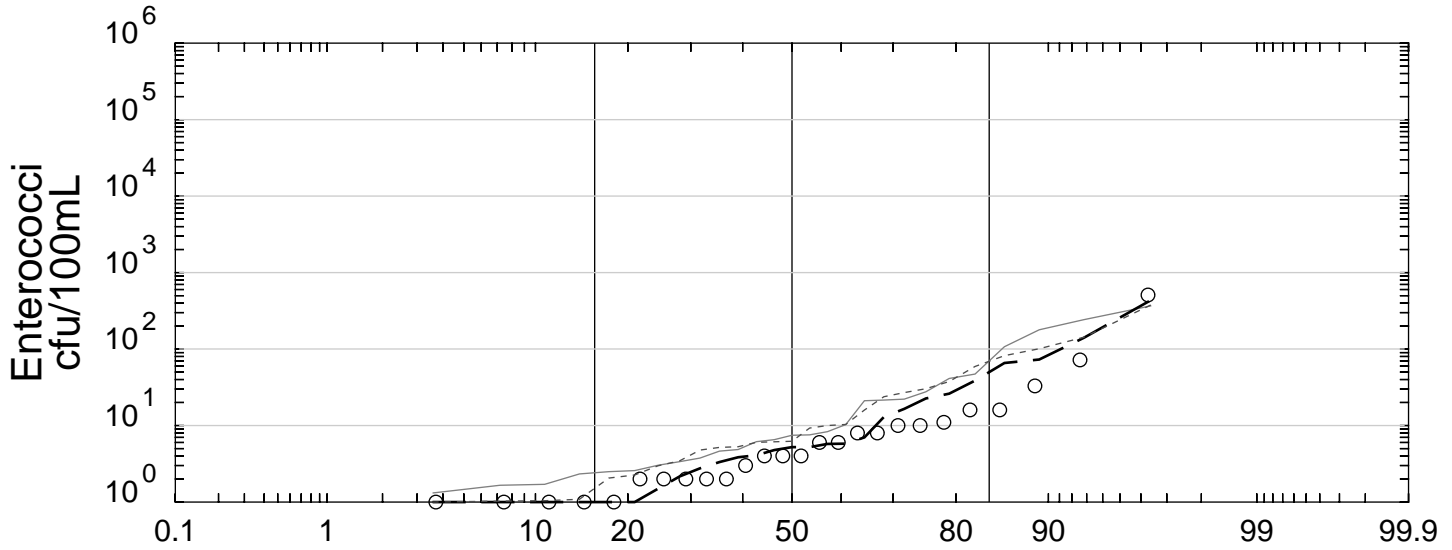
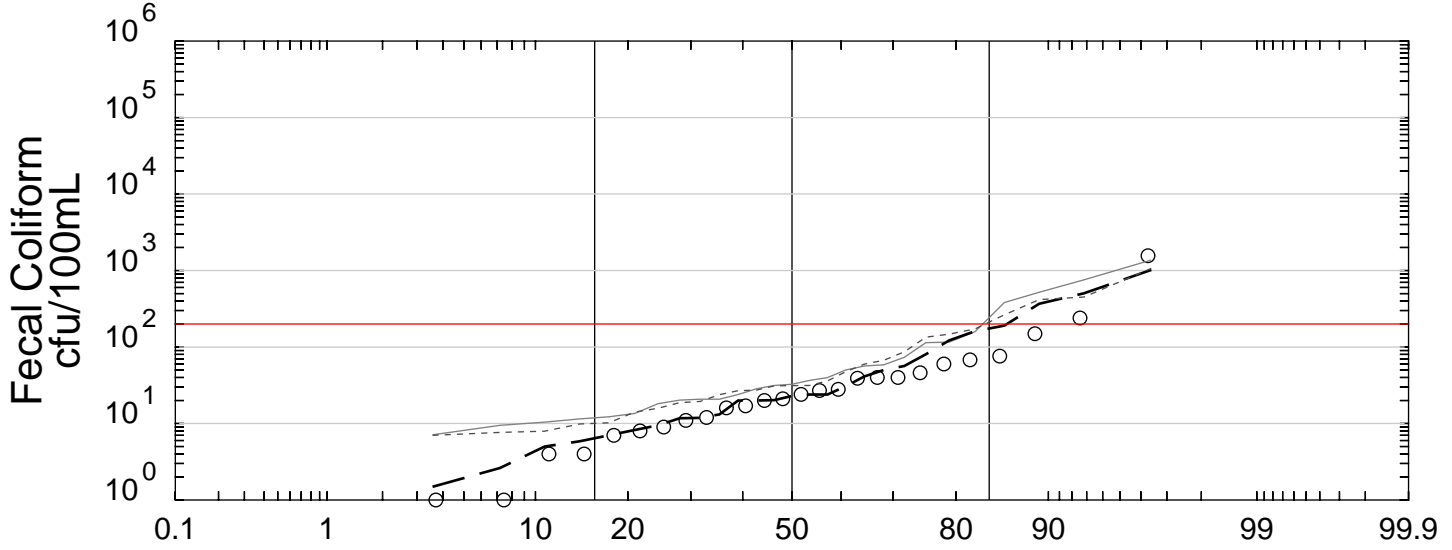


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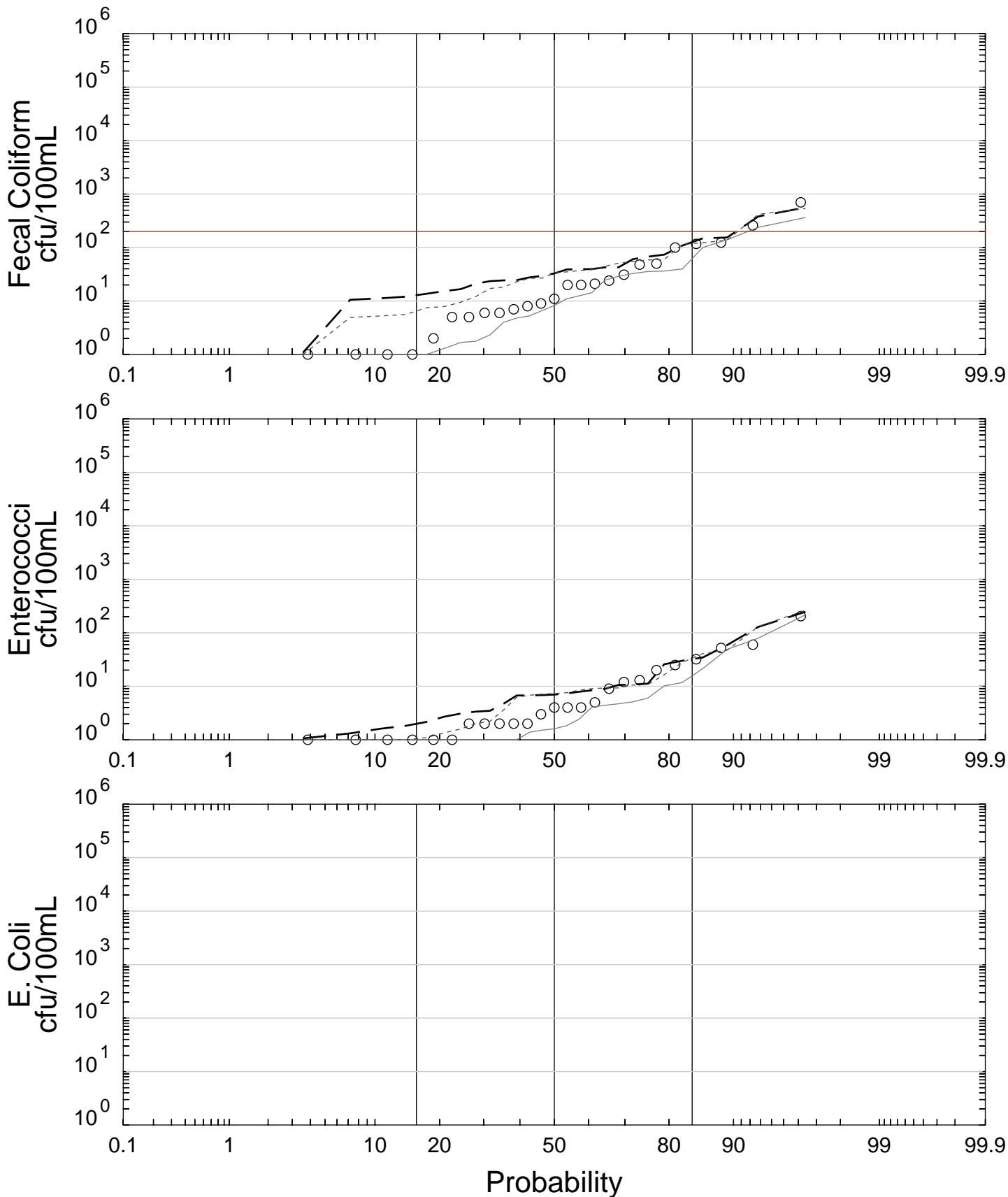
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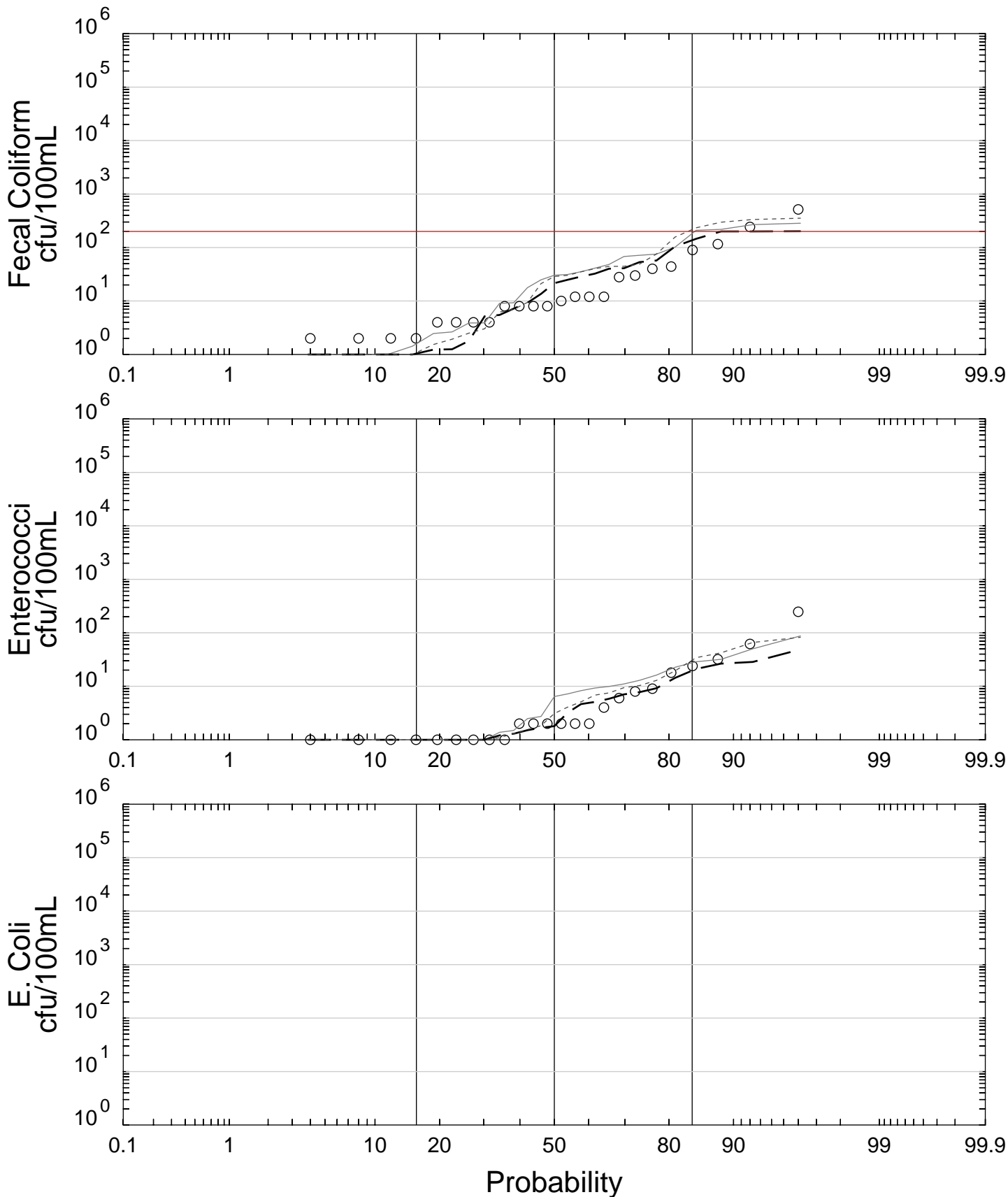


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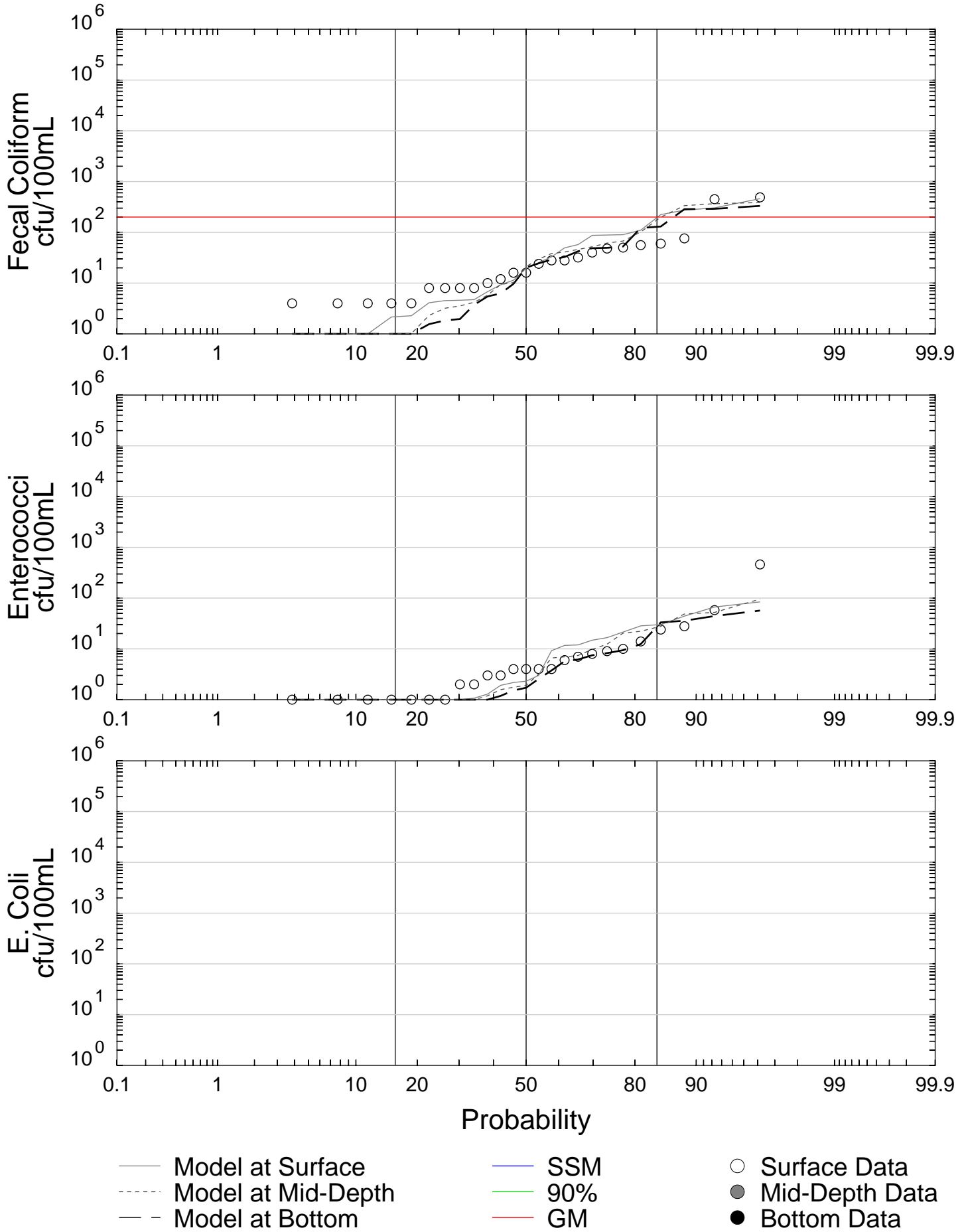


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# Hudson Robbins Reef

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# Appendix G

## Model Evaluation Group Comments

## Memorandum

To: PVSC Long-Term Control Plan Team

From: PVSC Model Evaluation Group – Alan Blumberg, Steve Chapra, Wayne Huber

Date: March 30, 2020

Subject: Water Quality Model & Associated Model Calibration Report Review Comments

This memorandum summarizes comments from the Model Evaluation Group (MEG) related to the Water Quality Model and the Draft Calibration and Validation of the Pathogen Water Quality Model (PWQM) for the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission Report dated November 2019 developed for PVSC area communities. These comments were prepared following discussion of these items at the MEG Session 5 meeting on November 21, 2019 and review of the Draft Calibration and Validation Report. The MEG Session 5 meeting was attended by NJDEP, PVSC, and the Greeley & Hansen, CDM Smith and HDR Long-Term Control Plan team. HDR presented an overview of the water quality model at this meeting. The PVSC MEG was formed in 2016 and has met five times to review sampling plans, monitoring, and associated hydraulic, hydrologic and water quality modeling for the PVSC Long-Term Control Planning project.

### Model and Model Calibration Report Review

The comments presented here address specific questions discussed during the MEG 5 review session, assess the suitability of the model for evaluating current attainment of water quality standards, and assess the model's suitability for identifying potential future improvements.

1. Is the water quality model software appropriate for use in this study?

**The model software combines several large, complex state-of-the-art models required to simulate of the generation, transport, and kinetics of pathogens in the Passaic Valley system and adjoining waters. These include highly sophisticated load generation, hydrodynamic, and water quality models into the type of holistic framework necessary to adequately evaluate attainment of current standards and identifying potential future improvements. Beyond the software itself, immense amounts of supporting data were assembled in order that these powerful computational tools would generate sufficiently accurate results. Finally, the consultants who were hired to implement the foregoing are among the best in the world. So, in summary, the modeling framework and supporting data comprises a powerful state-of-the-art tool that is appropriate for use in this study.**

2. Was the model developed and calibrated according to meet or exceed industry standards?

a. Is the hydrodynamic calibration adequate to represent advection and dispersion related to the transport of bacteria within the project area?

**A well-tested and extensively peer reviewed model, ECOMSED, was used to model the advection and dispersion of the study area. The modelers at HDR are expert in ECOMSED's use knowing the model's strengths and limitations. The domain was properly selected and the grid, refined from previous studies, was excellent for the modeling analysis.**

**The grid in the Elizabeth River is not reflective of the high quality of the model for other Rivers and could be improved to better reflect actual conditions. The grid there could not resolve the dynamics of the river nor include properly the influence of the DEM. The November 2019 report did not**

include any results from the Elizabeth River, but the presentation of November 21, 2019 did.

The model forcing functions, freshwater inflows, water levels, meteorology and the influence of the adjoining offshore coastal ocean were all brought into the model correctly. The accompanying data base to support the modeling and its validation/verification was quite comprehensive. Note that the reference to Figure 2-2 on page 11 is incorrect. It is also curious that the river inflow temperature data shown in Figures 4-5 and 4-6 have interannual fluctuations while the Hudson River inflow temperature does not. Why?

Data observed in the period 2009-2016 were used in the analysis. This in itself was an impressive undertaking. Most modeling efforts run very short periods of time. The validation/verification for water levels showed that the model as configured reproduces the observations. The discrepancies are minor and have little to no impact on the currents. The ability of the model to reproduce currents is simply outstanding. The only issue for validation/verification is that the currents should have also been low-pass filtered as was done for water levels to afford a clearer assessment. Note that Figures 5-6 should include the total water depth, so the reader knows where in the water column the observations come from. The validation/verification for temperature and salinity shows that these quantities are very well modeled. It is hard to find any parts to critique.

The hydrodynamic modeling effort was outstanding, better than what is seen in the literature, reports and presentations. Salinity, a very difficult constituent to model correctly, is done quite correctly suggesting that the advection and dispersion processes related to the transport of bacteria are correct.

- b. Is the model's calibration of temperature adequate to represent bacteria decay during the study period?

Temperature was modeled very well. It is primarily driven by the atmosphere with horizontal currents playing a secondary role. The role of vertical mixing is critical in getting temperature correct. Because the modeled temperatures compare well with the observations that suggests the vertical mixing (diffusive) processes are correct.

- c. Is the water quality calibration reasonable with respect to observed data?

The modeling of pathogen transport and fate in complex river/estuary systems involves much more uncertainty than hydrodynamic and heat budget (temperature) models. Given this inherent uncertainty, the calibration was good enough to adequately support the use of the model for decision making.

This conclusion is because the comparisons of model output and data were "reasonable" given the state-of-the-art for such comparisons. Further, the fact that the pathogen model rests on the solid shoulders of the load generation and transport models means that it should be very good at simulating the relative spatial and temporal impacts of the individual bacterial inputs.

As we will suggest at the end of this document, the MEG would have preferred that more was done to explore model sensitivity.

- d. Was the model calibrated and validated against a range of data with concentrations relevant to the current water quality standards? Is the model response during wet and dry weather adequate to evaluate whether the receiving water is meeting water quality standards?

**The model was run for the period where the Team collected data. There were several wet and dry weather events in that period that the model captured well. However, there weren't enough of the events to provide definitive confidence in the model's veracity. Idealized (sensitivity) cases should have been run to examine the processes in the system. For example, the evolution and spatial impact of a large load in one of the rivers would serve to illustrate how the model simulates longer time and space scales than apparent in the data sets.**

- e. Are the calibrated constants and parameters reasonable?

**The calibrated constants and parameters related to bacterial kinetics are consistent with the current state of the science. In particular, the modeling team's extensive experience in simulating bacteria in many receiving waters across the New York Metropolitan Area, provides added confidence that the constants and parameters in the present study are sound.**

3. Are the loads for stormwater, CSO, dry weather flow and upstream boundary conditions appropriate and supported by water quality sampling data collected under the approved QAPP?

**The Team assembled a very large collection of sanitary sewers, storm sewer, combined sewer and treatment plant pathogen concentrations, both as data sampling within this project and from other agencies and firms. It is hard to imagine a more thorough effort at assembling suitable time series within the constraints of budget, time and weather. Evaluation of consistency of sample data was aided through comparison of model runs for the sampled periods. Suitable assumptions were made for other extraneous inflows and for inflows at the end of upstream tributaries, including the Hudson River. It is important to get baseline conditions correct since impacts of storms will be superimposed on them.**

4. Were reasonable assumptions applied in evaluating attainment of water quality standards? The following assumptions were made:

- a. Attainment is assessed based on surficial assessment, not depth averaging

**This seems reasonable to the MEG in part because surface water layers are the most likely water contact layers. If fish and shellfish are also important considerations, this argument might not hold because these use the entire water column in their life cycle.**

- b. Measurements are averaged across Assessment Units, not by looking at individual stations

**Too many stations to do it otherwise except for some possible key, critical locations.**

- c. Measurements use a 30-day rolling geometric mean of hourly model output, differing from typical compliance sampling frequency (e.g., weekly grab samples)

**In general, the MEG thinks different kinds of averaging are inevitable when dealing with pathogens and a spatial scale of this magnitude.**

5. Is the model's calibration adequate to reflect future wet weather flow improvements, which would include reductions in CSO flows and volumes and/or changes in pathogen concentrations associated with inflow and infiltration reduction, sewer separation, treatment, and storage technologies?

**The water quality model includes all essential forcing functions and pathogen sources. As such it has great potential to address the significant questions about options for attainment of water quality standards. The water quality calibration is shown in the November 21 presentation as time series plots for the Passaic River Hackensack River, and Newark Bay. Passaic River plots of Figure 5-48, event 3 are the most encouraging regarding agreement of model and data trends. For Newark Bay, agreement of the model with coliform measurements taken over the same time period is generally good although the model predictions remain relatively flat over three days on the log-scale plots in Newark Bay. It is unproven whether the model is truly conservative in its overestimates on days 2 and 3 for Newark Bay (Report, page 139). River transect concentrations on the Hackensack show good similar trends between model and data. Probability plots for the Passaic show good agreement.**

Is the model useful for assessing attainment of water quality standards:

- a. For existing CSO discharges?

**As was discussed in our response to Item 5 above, the MEG feels the model adequately represents current conditions for the water bodies shown in the Report, with some qualifications also discussed above. But existing CSO discharges represent a static condition, for which field data are the definitive metric for judging water quality standards. Most important is Item 6b, below.**

- b. With possible future CSO mitigation measures implemented?

**As mentioned above, the water quality model is quite comprehensive because it includes all the essential forcing functions and pathogen sources. It relies on well-documented hydrology and hydraulics models, both in the drainage system and in the receiving waters in addition to an outstanding effort at assembling necessary data. As such the water quality model has great potential to address the significant questions about options for attainment of water quality standards.**

**What is missing is a clear demonstration of the sensitivity of model outputs to changes in inputs. The potential model user must clearly see that the model is sensitive to the impacts of likely control options, including strictly hypothetical ones. (Not necessarily for all areas. Insensitivity of a water body to changes in input is often a useful result, if the insensitivity can be explained, e.g., small load into large water body.) Obviously, this analysis is not a simple matter here, with so many forcing functions as well as the several ways in which output concentration responses are displayed over a huge spatial area. But it is important that more effort be expended for this purpose. Section 6.4 Gap Analysis is an example for CSO control, in which the model appears to be relatively insensitive to 100% CSO control for most of the Assessment Units**



shown. An explanation of why some AUs are affected more than others would help. The component analysis diagrams are cleverly portrayed. But Report sections 6.4 and 6.5 would carry more weight had the reader seen an earlier demonstration of the model's capabilities in this regard.

## Recommendations

- Graphics typically outstanding. Text well written.
- The MEG feels the Team has demonstrated that the hydro/water quality model is adequately calibrated for existing conditions, with all sources taken as a whole and the project represents an effort that is at the state of the art, ie, industry standard.
- The Report should include presentation and discussion of the results for the Elizabeth River.
- Report talks about tides and tidal forcing. It really should be water levels. Water levels are composed of two parts, tides driven by the moon and sun and "non-tidal" fluctuations driven by meteorology.
- The modeling analysis covered a multi-year span, 2009 and 2016. This is a very impressive feat and should be emphasized to all involved.
- The entire model validation/verification needs to be more rigorous before going forward. The MEG notes that plots are the main method of comparisons without any quantification or discussion of the discrepancies. Terms like agree very well (56), most of highs and lows reproduced by the model (p62), are in line with observed values (p 62), very good agreement (p69), generally good agreement and tracks very well (p76) are used. What is needed is a statistical quantification of the results, i.e., rmse and percent error.
- The breadth and scope of the water quality model is truly a significant accomplishment. Its capabilities are demonstrated in many meaningful ways. However, a clear presentation of the sensitivity of the model, e.g., in percent attainment of water quality goals for specified areas resulting from changes in model loads and other variables, is missing in the documentation and should be supplied in future communications.

## Last Thoughts

This study has been excellent in many respects; the team, the model development, and the data collection and assimilation have all been outstanding. Although the MEG has met with the Project Team five times since 2016, due to NJDEP deadlines, the pace of the study was expedited. The MEG would have been more desirous of a less fast-paced interaction. A slower pace, particularly at the study's end, would have allowed a more critical appraisal of the model's strengths and weaknesses.

As stated above, the quality of the team and the immense effort on this very complex system give us confidence that the framework will provide the necessary predictions to make cost effective and sustainable decisions related to pathogen management and control. On the other hand, the MEG would feel even more comfortable if more effort to present model sensitivity analyses were provided.