



Barometer of mobile Internet connections in Argentina

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nPerf is an independent French Internet performance measurement platform, powered by real user experience. By turning millions of individual measurements into connectivity insights, nPerf helps operators enhance their networks and contributes to building a faster, more reliable Internet for everyone.

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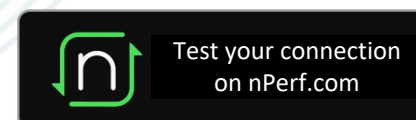
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Users test. Operators learn. Everyone benefits.



2. Executive Summary



The subscribers of Personal enjoyed the best Mobile Internet performances in 2026 in Argentina.

Mobile Internet performance in Argentina

	Claro	Movistar	<u>Personal</u>
▼ Download bitrates (Mb/s)	31.58	23.05	67.36
▲ Upload bitrates (Mb/s)	8.51	6.57	11.77
◀▶ Latency (ms)	57.67	55.58	54.70
🌐 Web browsing (%)	43.70	34.67	47.08
🎥 Youtube streaming (%)	69.44	57.46	70.98
📶 nPerf Score (nPoints)	48 790	36 772	59 887

Source : nPerf.com

personal

Best Mobile Internet performance in 2026



Source : nPerf.com

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Source : nPerf.com

The subscribers of Personal enjoyed the best 4G Internet in 2026 in Argentina.

Mobile Internet performance in Argentina

	Claro	Movistar	<u>Personal</u>
 Download bitrates (Mb/s)	28.79	23.48	39.94
 Upload bitrates (Mb/s)	8.58	7.05	9.05
 Latency (ms)	55.63	55.12	57.80
 Web browsing (%)	44.27	35.47	45.20
 Youtube streaming (%)	70.06	58.30	69.66
 nPerf Score (nPoints)	48 805	37 876	51 906

Source : nPerf.com

The best mobile Internet performance in Argentina for 2026 has been assessed by nPerf across the country's three major operators — Personal, Claro, and Movistar — covering the period from April 2025 to March 2026. This year's barometer reveals a dynamic and increasingly competitive landscape, where Personal consolidates its leadership, Claro narrows the gap with notable speed gains, and Movistar scores a historic first in latency performance — signaling real progress across the board.

Personal: Five consecutive years at the top

Personal has been Argentina's undisputed mobile network leader for five consecutive years, and this edition is no exception. The operator leads across every measured KPI in the overall category, topping Download speed (Mb/s) at 67.36 Mb/s — a remarkable +21% improvement over the previous period — alongside Upload speed (Mb/s) at 11.77 Mb/s, Web Browsing (%) at 47.08%, and Youtube streaming (%) at 70.98%. On 4G specifically, Personal maintains a clean sweep on Download speed (Mb/s), Upload speed (Mb/s), Web Browsing (%), and Youtube streaming (%) for the fifth consecutive year, confirming the depth and consistency of its network performance. With a global score of 59,887 overall, Personal remains the benchmark for mobile quality in Argentina.

Claro: Accelerating speeds and a tightening race

Claro ranks second overall with a score of 48,790, and this year's edition highlights a meaningful momentum shift. The operator records a strong +17% improvement in overall Download speed (Mb/s), reaching 31.58 Mb/s — its best performance to date in that metric. Claro also extends its streak in Youtube streaming (%) on 4G for a fifth consecutive year, while maintaining top-tier Latency (ms) and Web Browsing (%) performance in 4G for the fourth year running. Notably,

nPerf observes that the gap between Personal and Claro in the overall standings is narrowing, reflecting a sector that is becoming increasingly competitive. Claro's overall score has also progressed consistently across all five available years, underscoring a long-term upward trajectory.

Movistar: A historic milestone on latency

Movistar ranks third overall with a score of 36,772, but this year brings a landmark achievement: for the first time, the operator leads on Latency (ms) in both the overall and 4G categories, reaching 54.70 ms overall and 55.12 ms on 4G. This breakthrough is backed by a strong -12% reduction in overall Latency (ms) compared to the previous period — the most significant improvement of any operator in that metric. Like its peers, Movistar also shows a consistent progression of its overall score across all five available years, a sign of sustained network investment and improvement.

What to watch for next year

Looking ahead, the competitive dynamics in Argentina's mobile sector are clearly intensifying. Personal will need to defend its leadership on Latency (ms) — a KPI where both Claro and Movistar are now challenging — while maintaining the download speed momentum that sets it apart. Claro should continue investing in Web Browsing (%) and Upload speed (Mb/s), where it still trails Personal, and sustain its download growth to further close the overall gap. Movistar has taken a significant step forward on Latency (ms), but must now convert that infrastructure progress into broader gains across Download speed (Mb/s), Upload speed (Mb/s), and Web Browsing (%) to improve its overall ranking. The next barometer cycle promises to be one of the most closely contested in Argentina's recent history.

4. Methodology



nPerf provides a free application to assess Internet connection quality via its website and mobile apps (Android, iOS). Daily, thousands of people rely on nPerf for speed tests in their country, contributing to a comprehensive crowdsourced database covering all operators.

The study employs a strong filtering method to reflect real customer experiences on a specific network (mobile or fixed line). Measures are taken to prevent probes and measurement robots from affecting the results.

We assess:

▼ Download bitrate

Indicates the amount of data your connection can receive in one second from the nPerf server. The highest the measured value, the best is the bitrate of your connection.

▲ Upload bitrate

Indicates the amount of data your connection can send in one second to the nPerf server. The highest the measured value, the best is the bitrate of your connection.

◄► Latency (ping)

It indicated the delay a small packet of data requires to make a round-trip from your computer to the nPerf server. The shorter the delay, the most reactive your connection is. The mean is the minimum value.

🌐 Browsing performance

The browsing test assesses the load time of the fully loaded pages, including images, javascript, CSS, and fonts, for the five most popular sites. This indicator reflects the perceived quality by the user.

📺 Streaming performance

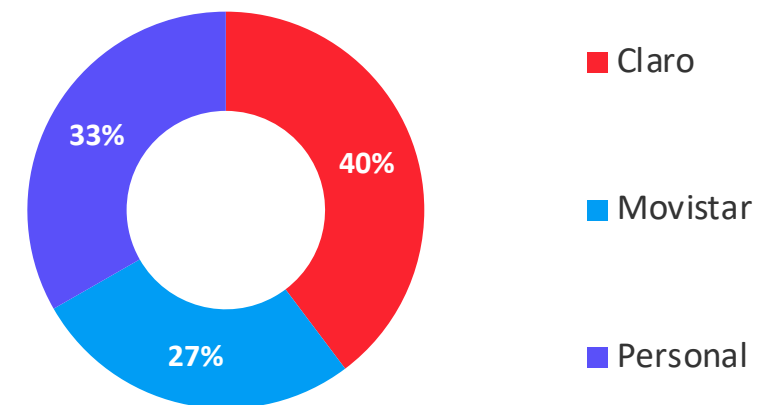
The video streaming test gauges the load time of a fully loaded video in three resolutions on YouTube, considering stalls during playback. This indicator reflects the perceived quality by the user.

Statistical precision is crucial in accurately determining winners. At nPerf, we prioritize test quality, precise reporting, and transparency. Analyzing a large volume of tests in this study, we've achieved 1.5% precision for absolute values and 1% point for percentage-based results, highlighting the reliability and accuracy of our data.

For a more comprehensive understanding of the user experience, our report takes into account test results during both Busy Hours (6 PM to 11 PM) and Idle Hours (the rest of the day). Busy Hours, marked by network strain, can impact user experience through congestion. This approach helps in understanding how network performance fluctuates throughout the day.

We only include national Internet service providers with test share above 5% share. The chart below shows the overall test distribution for each service provider.

Overall distribution of the tests per provider (ISPs Share)



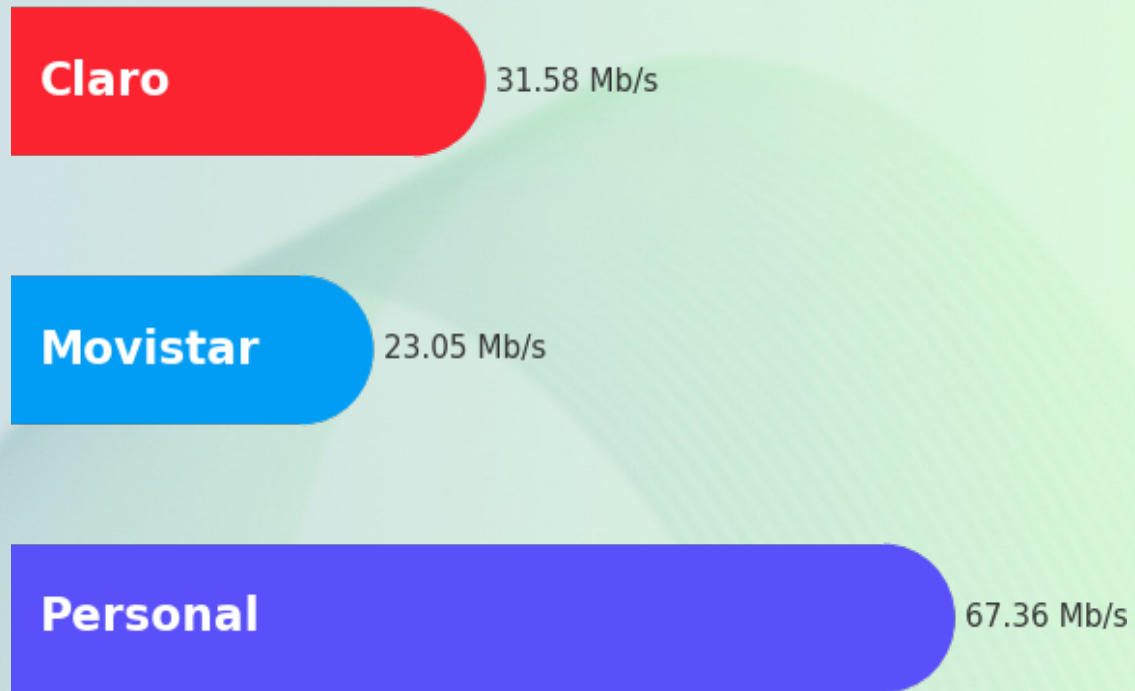
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Download Speed



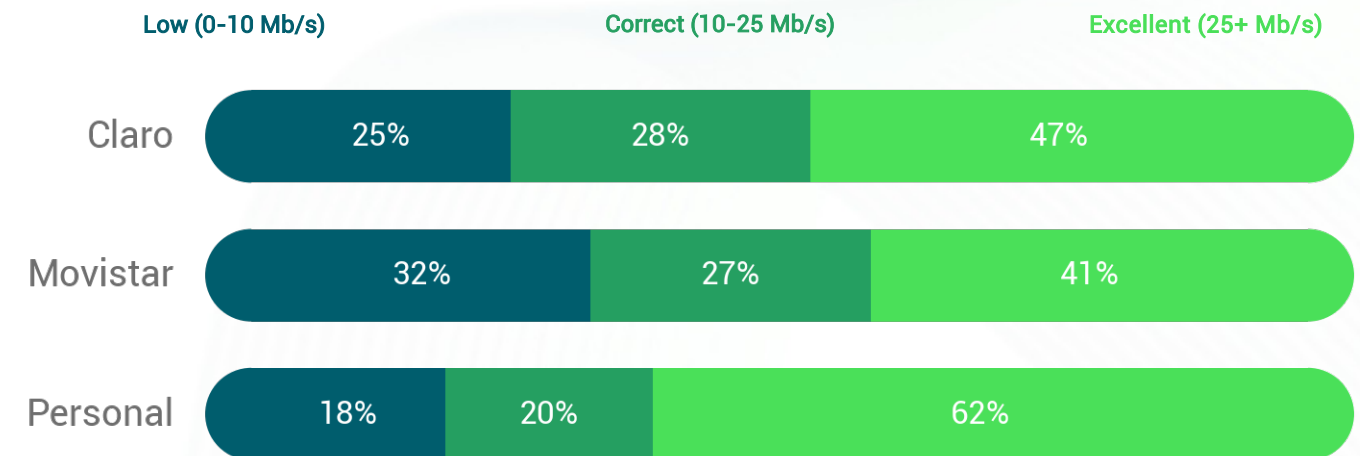
Download Speed (average)



Source : nPerf.com

The subscribers of Personal enjoyed the best Mobile Internet Download Speed in 2026.

Download Speed results distribution (average)



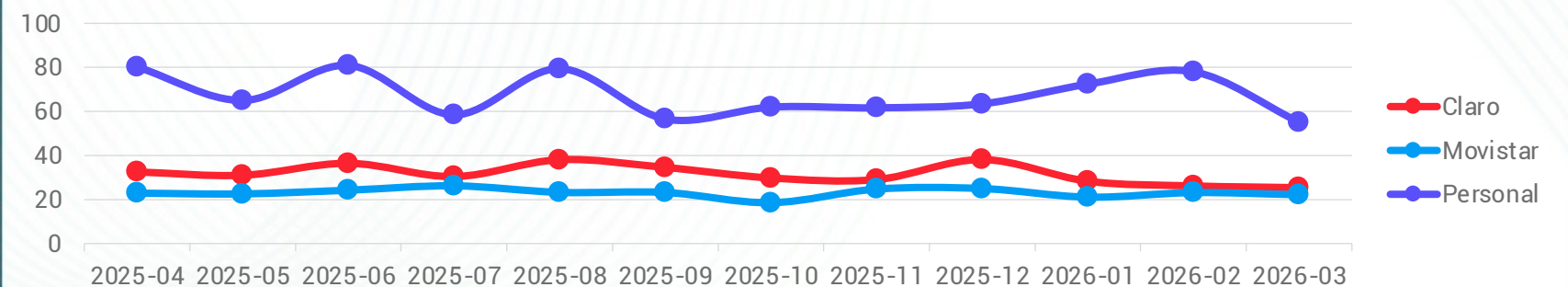
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Download Speed (average)



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Download Speed evolution over the year (average)



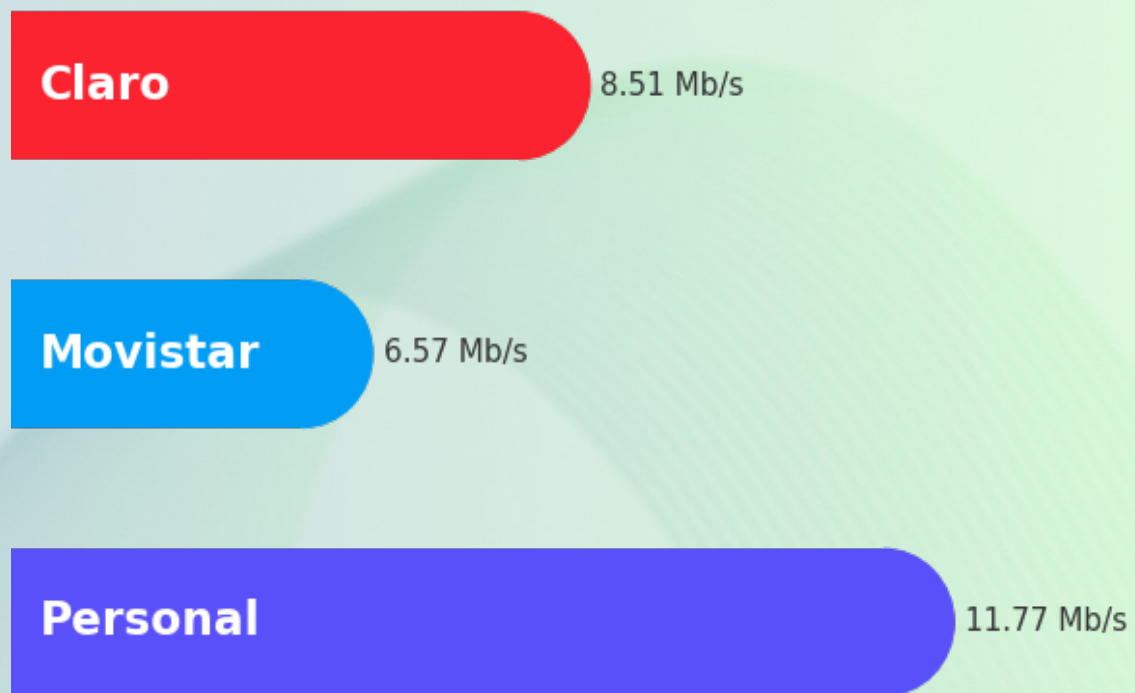
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Upload Speed



Upload Speed (average)



Source : nPerf.com

The subscribers of Personal enjoyed the best Mobile Internet Upload Speed in 2026.

Upload Speed results distribution (average)



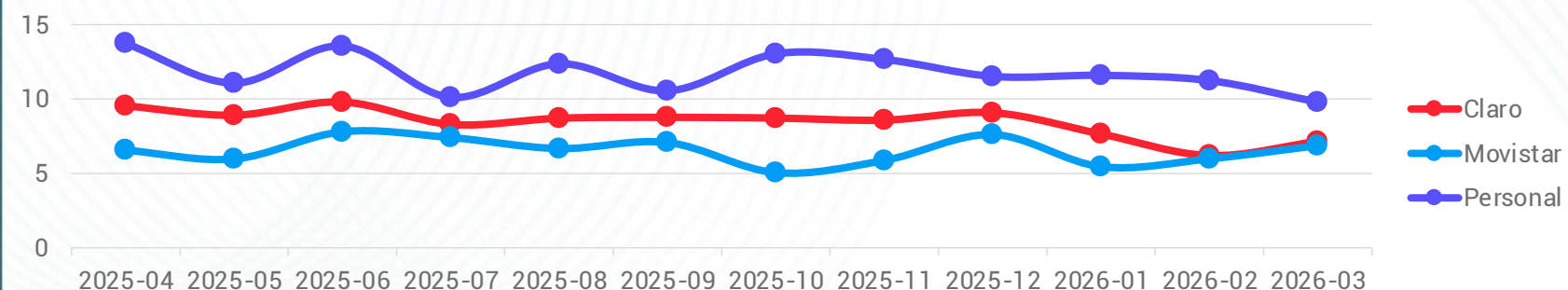
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Upload Speed (average)



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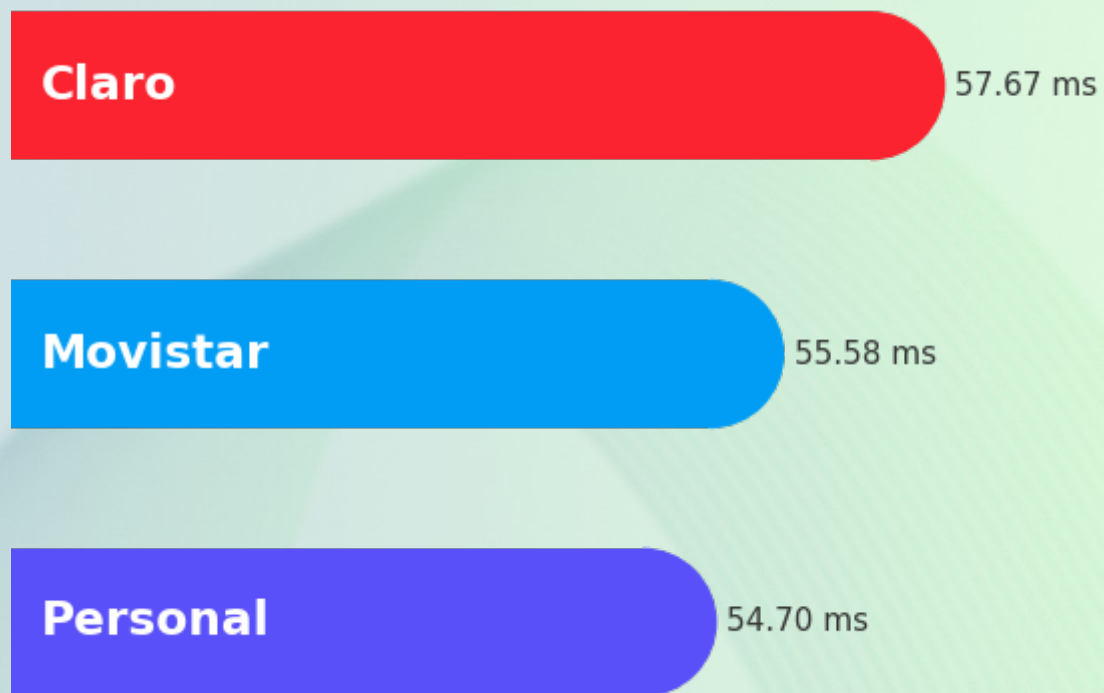
Upload Speed evolution over the year (average)



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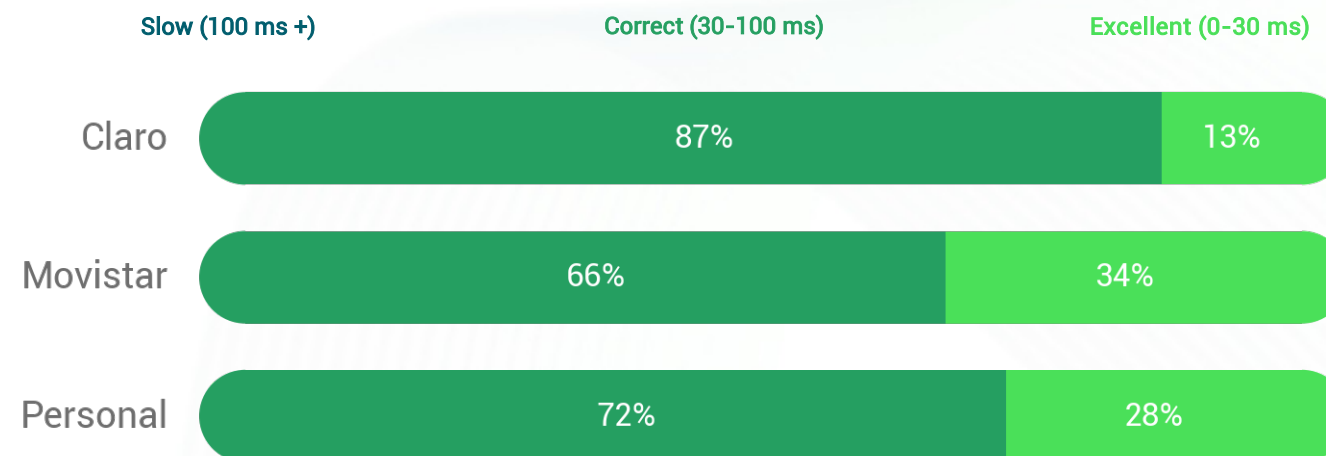
Latency (average)



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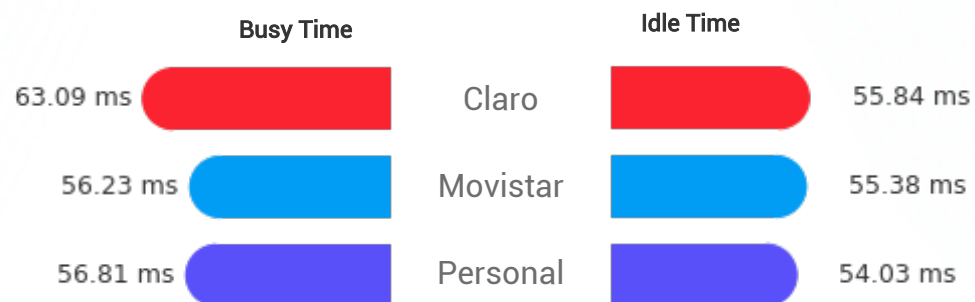
The subscribers of Movistar and Personal enjoyed the best Mobile Internet Latency in 2026.

Latency results distribution (average)



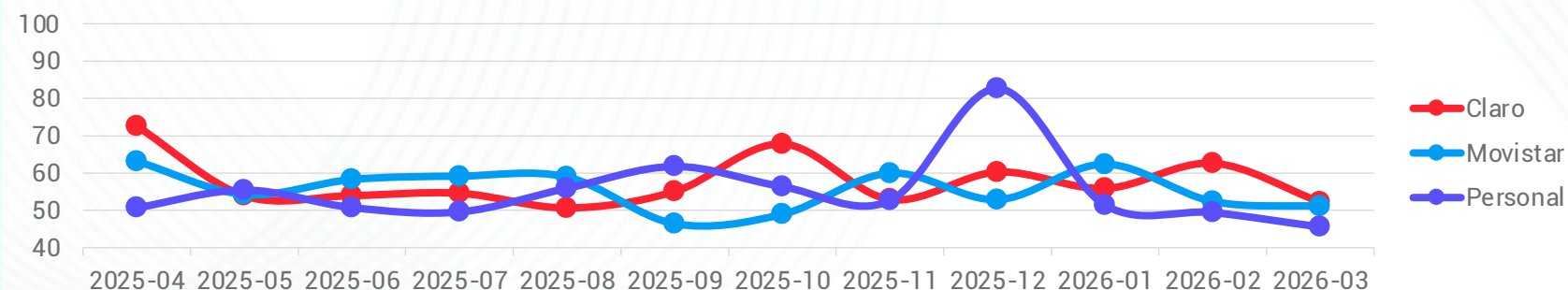
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Latency (average)



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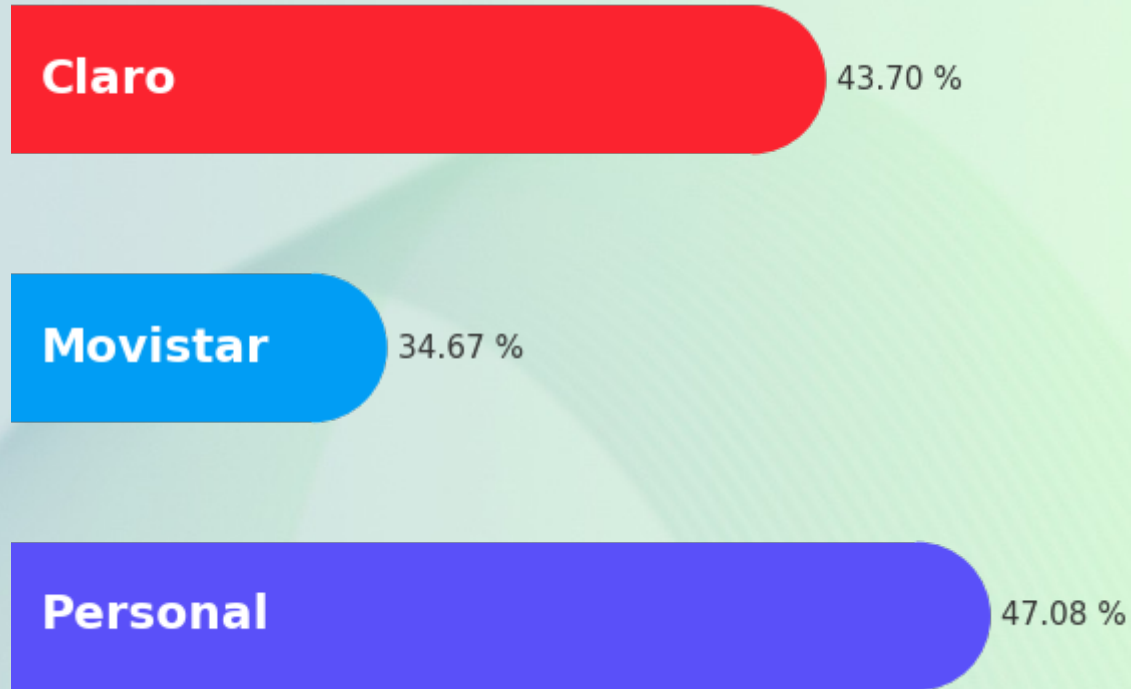
Latency evolution over the year (average)



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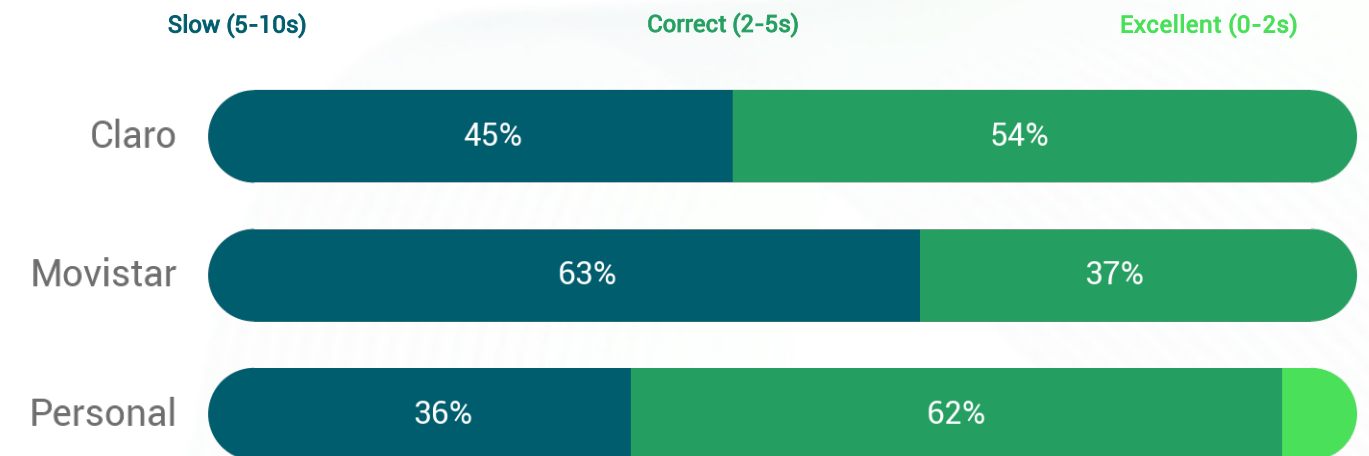
Browsing Performance (average)



Source : nPerf.com

The subscribers of Personal enjoyed the best Mobile Internet Browsing Performance in 2026.

Browsing Performance results distribution (average)



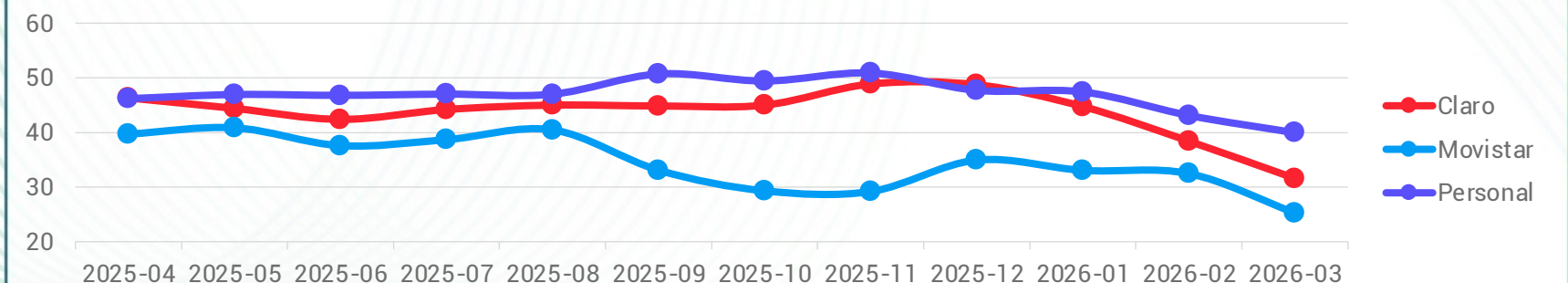
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Browsing Performance (average)



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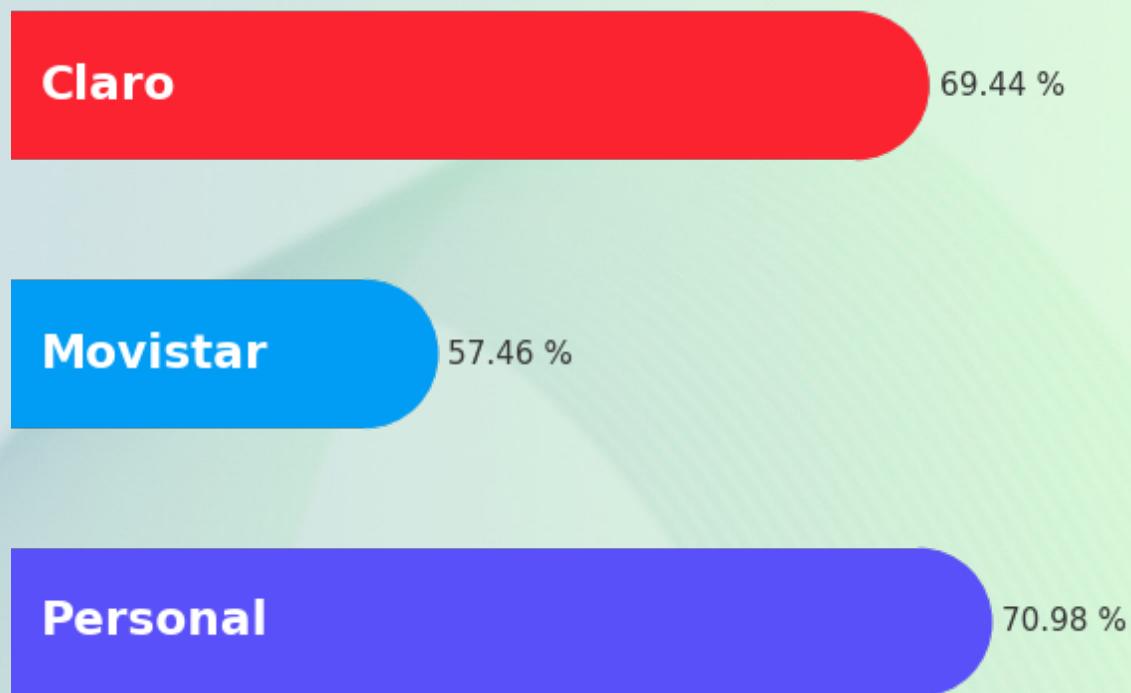
Browsing Performance evolution over the year (average)



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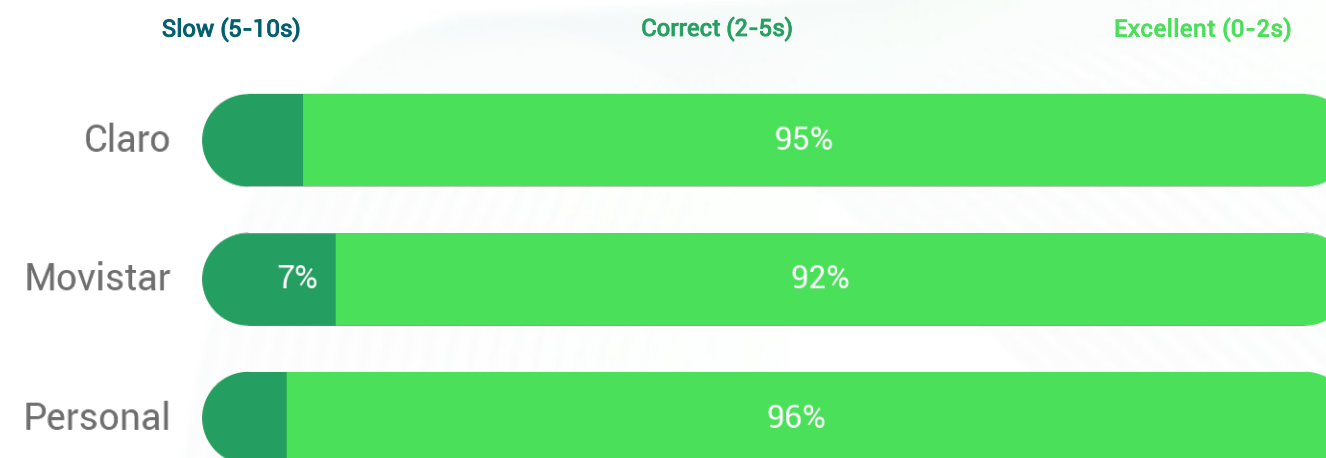
Streaming Performance (average)



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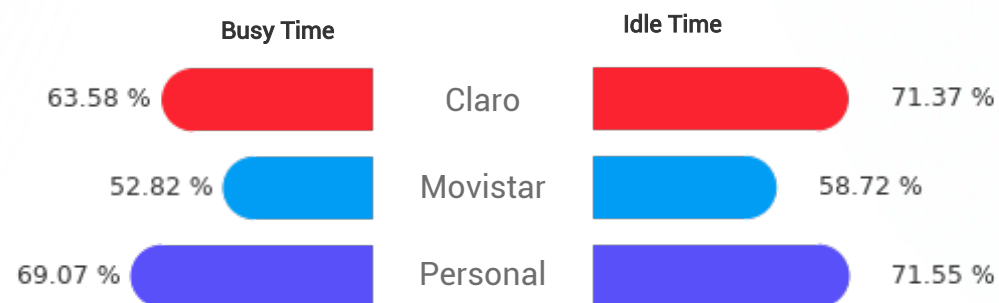
The subscribers of Claro and Personal enjoyed the best Mobile Internet Streaming Performance in 2026.

Streaming Performance results distribution (average)



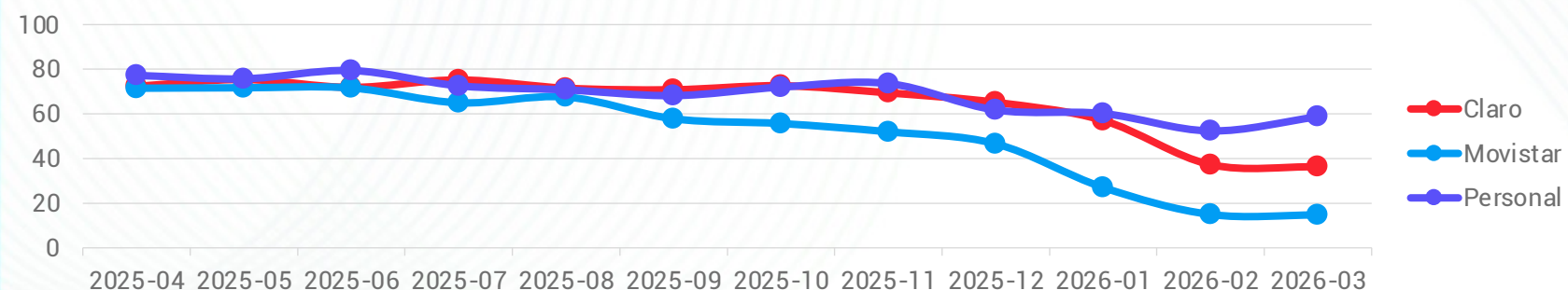
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Streaming Performance (average)



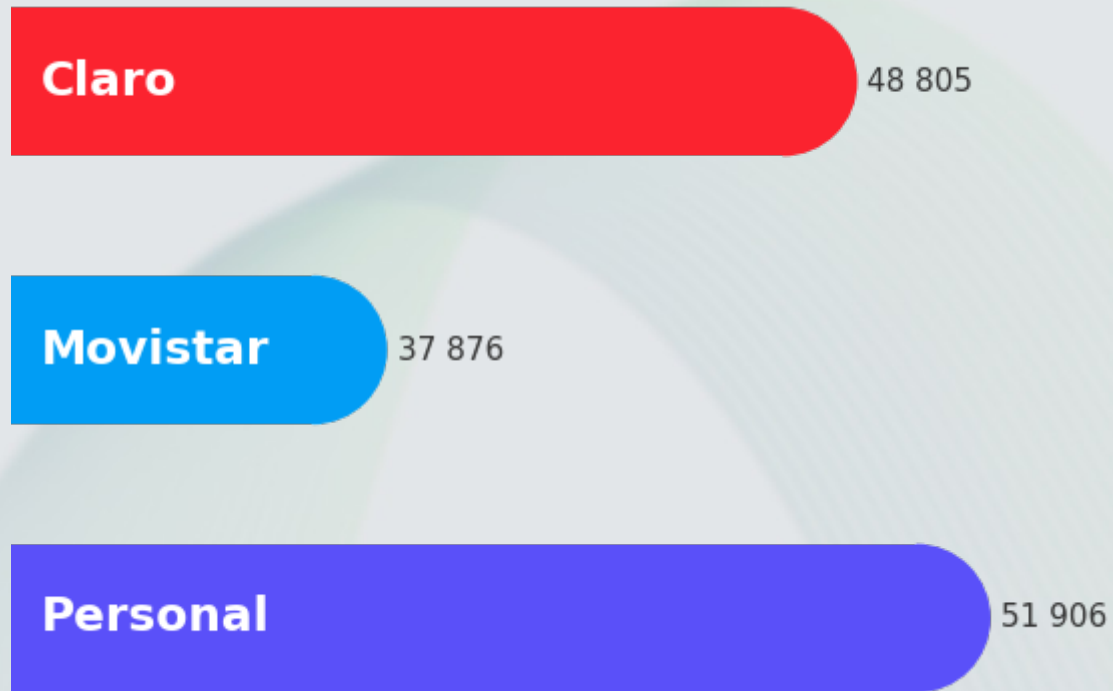
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Streaming Performance evolution over the year (average)



Source : nPerf.com

nPerf Score (nPoints)



Source : nPerf.com

The subscribers of Personal enjoyed the best 4G Internet in 2026.

Best performances 4G: Personal

Fastest performances (Download Speed) 4G: Personal

Fastest performances (Upload Speed) 4G: Personal

4G connections with the lowest latency: Claro and Movistar

Best web browsing performances 4G: Claro and Personal

Best streaming performances 4G: Claro and Personal

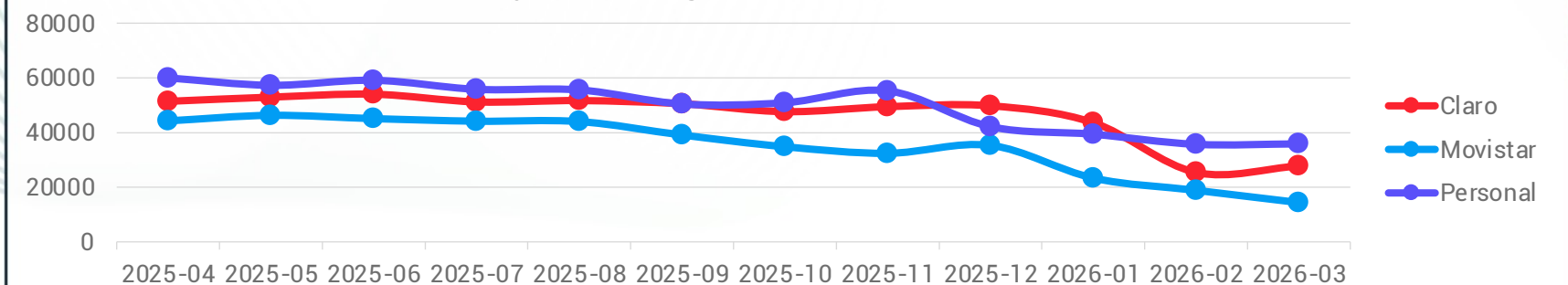
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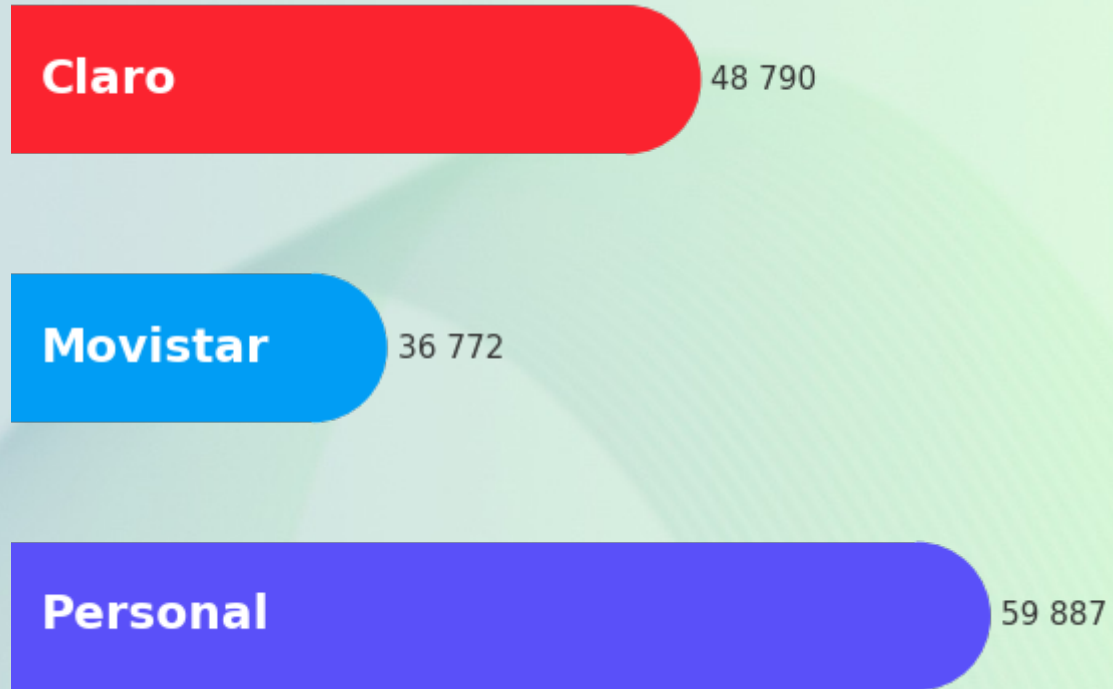
nPerf Score evolution over the year (average)



Source : nPerf.com



nPerf Score (nPoints)



Source : nPerf.com

The subscribers of Personal enjoyed the best Mobile Internet performances in 2026.

The nPerf score takes into account the measured bitrates, the latency and the QoE tests. The value of the points for the rates and the latency is calculated on a logarithmic scale, to better represent the perception of the user. Thus, this score reflects the overall quality of the connection experienced by the user.

Source : nPerf.com

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Claro



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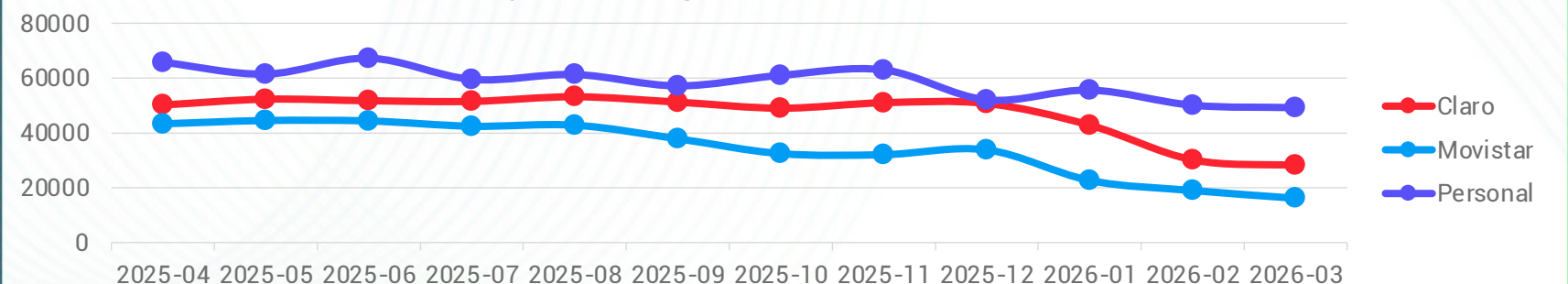
Movistar



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nPerf Score evolution over the year (average)



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