

<b>Patient Name:</b>	<b>Health Status:</b>	<b>Account #:</b>
<b>Owner's Name:</b>	<b>Ordered by:</b>	<b>Sample ID:</b> MI1900611
<b>Breed:</b> Bloodhound	<b>Email:</b>	<b>Sample Type:</b> Left Ear
<b>Age:</b> 3 years 5months	<b>Hospital:</b>	<b>Received Date:</b>
<b>Species:</b> Canine	<b>Location:</b>	<b>Report Date:</b> 05/21/25

## Potential Clinically Relevant Microbes Detected:

Listed are those bacteria and fungi detected in the specimen that are of potential clinical relevance. Results from this report should be considered together with clinical data gathered by the veterinarian (physical examination, medical history, cytology, etc.) as the microbes detected may or may not be the cause of the clinical condition. For a comprehensive list of all microorganisms detected in this specimen see page 3 of this report. The purpose of Significance is to highlight those species that are outside the expected range for the average clinically healthy animals. Please consider that even commensals can become pathogenic in certain patients under certain circumstances. Further, novel or extremely rare pathogens may be found on page 3 for your consideration and clinical diagnosis.

### 1. Bacteria

Species Detected	AID*	Percentage	Cells per Sample	Normal Range	Significance
<a href="#">Pseudomonas aeruginosa</a> [1][2][3]	<a href="#">[Link]</a>	50.1 %	140,000,000	0-250	● High
<a href="#">Streptococcus canis</a> [4]	<a href="#">[Link]</a>	39.1 %	110,000,000	0-1,300	● High
<a href="#">Corynebacterium mastitidis</a> [5]	<a href="#">[Link]</a>	4.7 %	13,000,000	0-1,200	● Intermediate
<a href="#">Staphylococcus pseudintermedius</a> [6]	<a href="#">[Link]</a>	2.6 %	7,200,000	0-61,000	● High
<a href="#">Corynebacterium lactis</a> [7]	<a href="#">[Link]</a>	2.0 %	5,500,000	0-7,100	● Intermediate

### 2. Fungi

Species Detected	AID*	Percentage	Cells per Sample	Normal Range	Significance
<a href="#">Malassezia pachydermatis</a> [8]	<a href="#">[Link]</a>	95.7 %	19,000	0-2,900	● High
<a href="#">Aspergillus subversicolor-sydowii-versicolor</a> [9][10][11]	<a href="#">[Link]</a>	0.2 %	32	NA	NA

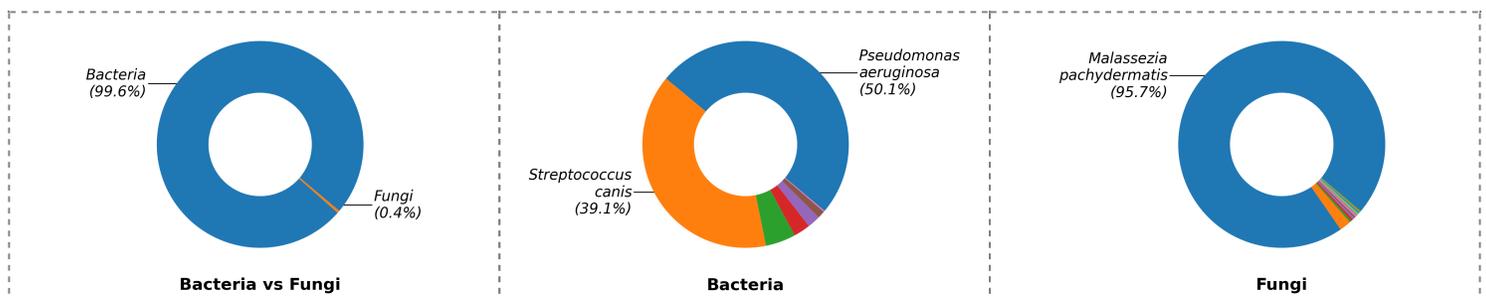
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The number of cells per sample is subject to variations based on sampling technique applied to collect the sample. Following the sampling protocol closely is highly recommended. Less than 1000 cells of Bacteria or less than 10 cells of Fungi are often not clinically relevant unless poor sampling technique was applied, or lower sample volume was submitted.

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## Microbial Overview:



**Bacteria vs Fungi:** the relative abundance between Bacteria and Fungi. **Bacteria:** the percentage profile of bacterial species alone. **Fungi:** the percentage profile of fungi species alone. Each color represents a species. The larger the colored segment is, the more abundant the species is.

Please find a tutorial about how to interpret a MiDOG report at: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wsWUrZfnNb8>

**Antimicrobial Resistance for Detected Clinically Relevant Microbes**

The sample was screened for antibiotic resistance genes and intrinsic resistances. Please follow antimicrobial stewardship guidelines for cautious antibiotic use.

Drug Tiers*	Antibiotics	<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> (50.1 %)	<i>Streptococcus canis</i> (39.1 %)	<i>Corynebacterium mastitidis</i> (4.7 %)	<i>Staphylococcus pseudintermedius</i> (2.6 %)	<i>Corynebacterium lactis</i> (2.0 %)	Suggested Dose†	Drug Delivery
1st	Cefazolin	R	F	-	R	-	15 mg/kg, q 12 hrs	IV, SC
	Cephalothin	R	F	-	R	-	4-20 mg/kg, q 8 hrs	PO
	Cephalexin	R	F	-	R	-	22 mg/kg, q 12 hrs	PO
	Cefadroxil	R	F	-	R	-	22 mg/kg, q 12 hrs	PO
	Cefoxitin	R	F	-	R	-	15 mg/kg, q 12 hrs	IV, SC
	Penicillin	R	F	-	R	-	8-10 mg/kg, q 8 hrs	PO
	Penicillin G	R	G	-	R	-	--	--
	Oxacillin	R	-	-	R	-	22 mg/kg, q 8 hrs	IV
	Ampicillin	R	G	-	R	-	22 mg/kg, q 8 hrs	IV, SC
	Amoxicillin	R	F	-	R	-	22 mg/kg, q 8 hrs	PO
	Clavamox	R	G	-	R	-	13.75 mg/kg, q 12 hrs	PO
	Gentamicin	R	R	-	R	-	6 mg/kg, q 24 hrs	IV, SC
	Tobramycin	R	R	-	R	-	--	IV/Topical Use
	Neomycin	R	R	-	R	-	--	Topical Use
	Clindamycin	R	G	-	G	-	5.5 mg/kg, q 12 hrs	PO
	Lincomycin	R	-	-	G	-	15-25 mg/kg, q 24hrs	PO
	Doxycycline	R	R	-	R	-	5 mg/kg, q 12 hrs	PO
	Minocycline	R	R	-	R	-	10 mg/kg, q 12 hrs	PO
	Tetracycline	R	R	-	R	-	20 mg/kg, q 12 hrs	PO
	Sulfonamide	-	-	-	-	-	30 mg/kg, q 12 hrs	PO
Trimethoprim-sulfamethoxazole	R	F	-	G	-	15-30 mg/kg, q 24 hrs	PO	
Metronidazole	R	R	-	-	-	10 mg/kg, q 8 hrs	IV	
Cefovecin	R	F	-	R	-	8 mg/kg, once	SC	
2nd	Cefpodoxime	R	F	-	R	-	5 mg/kg, q 24 hrs	PO
	Ceftiofur	R	F	-	R	-	2.2 mg/kg, q 24 hrs	SC
	Timentin	F	F	-	R	-	--	Topical Use
	Azithromycin	R	-	-	G	-	5 mg/kg q 12 hrs	PO
	Orbifloxacin	R	-	-	R	-	2.5-7.5 mg/kg, q 24 hrs	PO
	Chloramphenicol	R	G	-	-	-	35 mg/kg q 8 hrs	PO
3rd	Florfenicol	R	-	-	-	-	20 mg/kg, q 12 hrs	PO
	Amikacin	R	R	-	R	-	15 mg/kg, q 24 hrs	IV, SC
	Rifampin	R	-	-	F	-	5-10 mg/kg, q 12 hrs	PO
	Imipenem	G	-	-	R	-	10 or 20 mg/kg, q 8 hrs	--
	Levofloxacin	R	-	-	R	-	10-30 mg/kg, q 24 hrs	IV/PO
	Marbofloxacin	R	-	-	R	-	2.75-5.5 mg/kg, q 24 hrs	PO
	Pradofloxacin§	R	-	-	R	-	3.0 mg/kg, q 24 hrs	PO
	Enrofloxacin	R	G	-	R	-	5 mg/kg, q 24 hrs	PO
	Ciprofloxacin¶	R	-	-	R	-	--	Topical Use
	Ceftazidime	G	R	-	R	-	3-30 mg/kg, q 6-8 hrs	IV
	Mupirocin	R	-	-	-	-	--	Topical Use
	Nitrofurantoin	R	-	-	F	-	4.4-5mg/kg, q 24 hrs	PO
	Colistin	F	-	R	-	R	8-9g/kg, q 24 hrs	PO
Ticarcillin	F	-	-	R	-	3.1 g, q 4-6 hrs	IV	
Piperacillin-Tazobactam	G	F	-	R	-	90 mg/kg, 30min q 8 hrs	IV	

Drug Class	Antifungals	<i>Malassezia pachydermatis</i> (95.7 %)	<i>Aspergillus subversicolor-sydowii-versicolor</i> (0.2 %)	Suggested Dose†	Drug Delivery
Triazole	Fluconazole	-	-	5-10mg/kg, q 24 hrs	PO,IV
	Itraconazole	-	-	5-10mg/kg, q 24hrs	PO
	Voriconazole	-	-	10mg/kg, 12hrs	PO
Polyene	Amphotericin B	-	-	0.5-1mg/kg, q 48 hrs	IV
	Caspofungin	R	-	1mg/kg, q 24hrs	PO
	Micafungin	R	-	1mg/kg, q 24hrs	PO
Echinocandin	Aniduaifungin	-	-	1mg/kg, q 24hrs	PO
Fluoropyrimidine	Flucytosine	-	-	25-50 mg/kg, q 6-8hrs	PO
Allylamine	Terbinafine	-	-	10-30 mg/kg, q 24hrs	PO

**Abbreviation Keys and Symbols:**

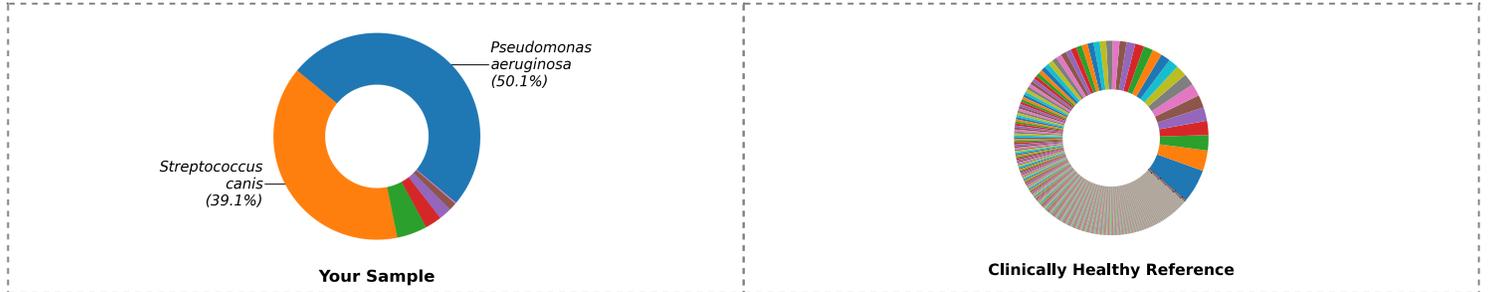
R	Not Recommended (Due to either Resistance Genes Detected, Intrinsic Resistance, or < 10% Effectiveness in Antibiogram Studies)
P	Poor Performance (< 50% Effectiveness in Antibiogram Studies)
F	Fair Performance (< 75% Effectiveness in Antibiogram Studies)
G	Good Performance (> 75% Effectiveness in Antibiogram Studies)
-	No Antibiotic Resistance Detected Based on the MiDOG Analysis

PO	Oral, by mouth
IV	Intravenous Injection
SC	Subcutaneous Injection
TU	Topical Use
--	No Info

*	Antibiotic Drug Tiers for Companion Animals, Antimicrobial Resistance and Stewardship Initiative, University of Minnesota
†	Dosis may vary based on patient species and/or type of infection. Reference at: <a href="http://www.midogtest.com/antibiotics">www.midogtest.com/antibiotics</a>
§	Contraindicated in animal patients
¶	Variable bioavailability in animal patients

## Supplemental Data

### Total Bacteria Composition



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<i>Proteus mirabilis</i> [12]	<a href="#">[Link]</a>	1.2 %	3,300,000	0-0	● High
<i>Corynebacterium auriscanis</i> [13]	<a href="#">[Link]</a>	0.2 %	520,000	0-7,000	● High

### Total Fungal Composition



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<i>Malassezia pachydermatis</i> [8]	<a href="#">[Link]</a>	95.7 %	19,000	0-2,900	● High
<i>Cladosporium sp.</i>	--	1.8 %	350	0-4,000	● Normal
<i>(o)Hypocreales sp.</i>	--	0.3 %	65	0-410	● Normal
<i>Penicillium steckii</i>	--	0.3 %	65	0-47	● Intermediate
<i>Neoscochyta sp.</i>	--	0.3 %	60	0-150	● Normal
<i>Dioszegia rishiriensis</i>	--	0.3 %	52	NA	NA
<i>Didymosphaeria fulvis</i>	--	0.2 %	50	0-74	● Normal
<i>(f)Phaeosphaeriaceae sp.</i>	--	0.2 %	35	0-68	● Normal

Donut plots above depict the relative abundance of all detected Bacterial or fungal species. Each color represents a different species. The larger the colored segment is, the more abundant that species is in the specimen.

The tables above lists top 8 bacterial/fungal species detected within the limit of detection. The absolute and relative abundances of each species is shown. Potential clinically relevant microbes are highlighted in red.

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## Antimicrobial Resistance Genes Detected

No Antimicrobial Resistance Genes Detected!

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## Methods

The MiDOG® All-in-One Microbial Test is a targeted, Next-generation DNA sequencing testing service able to identify molecular signatures unique to the identity and character of a specific microorganism. This test relies on safeguarded preservation and transport of collected samples, thorough extraction of DNA from all microbes present in the specimen, select amplification of microbial DNA followed by Next-generation DNA sequencing using the latest technologies from Illumina (Illumina, Inc., San Diego, CA). Data handling is done via curated microbial databases to accurately align DNA sequences to ensure precise and accurate (species-level) identification of all bacteria and fungi present in the specimen.

## When no Bacterial or Fungal Species are Detected:

When no bacterial or fungal species are detected in this test, this result may be due to a very low microbial load and/or low concentration of microbial DNA in the sample provided. In this case, we recommend re-sampling the area of interest and re-submitting specimen for analysis.

## Phylogenetic Rank Abbreviations

If the detected bacterial or fungal taxon could not be identified down to the genus level, the closest phylogenetic rank identified is provided. An abbreviation indicating the level of the rank is displayed aside. The meaning of the abbreviations is shown as:(p) Phylum level, (c) Class level, (o) Order level, and (f) Family level.

## Disclaimer

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