

Patient Name:		Health Status:		Account #:	
Owner's Name:		Ordered by:		Sample ID:	MI50001795
Breed:	Bottlenose Dolphin	Email:		Sample Type:	Thoracic cavity
Age:	23	Hospital:		Received Date:	
Species:	Tursiops Truncatus	Location:		Report Date:	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 additional 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. 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
Vibrio sp. [1][2][3]	[Link]	61.44	130,000
Vibrio parahaemolyticus [1][2][3]	[Link]	20.86	44,000
Vibrio alginolyticus [1][2][3]	[Link]	7.50	16,000
Vibrio alginolyticus-diaboli-parahaemolyticus [1][2][3]	[Link]	5.32	11,000
Enterococcus faecalis [4]	[Link]	0.37	770

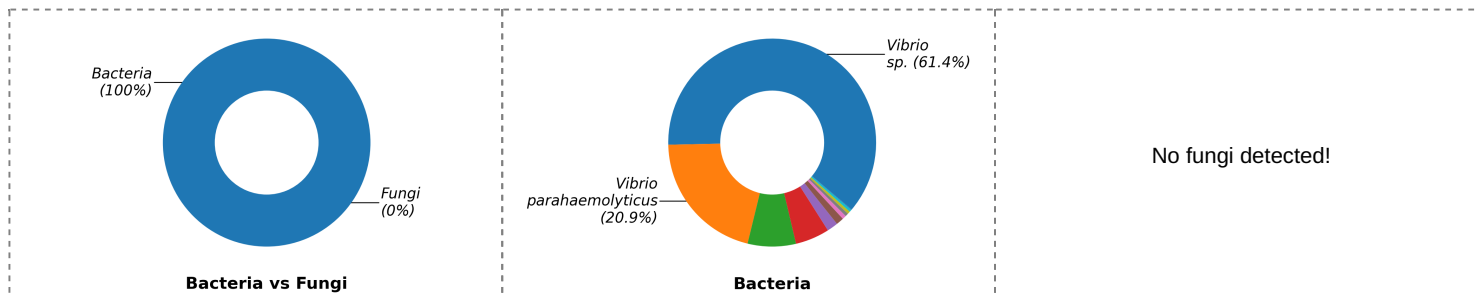
2. Fungi

No Known Fungal Pathogen Detected!

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>Vibrio sp.</i> (61.4 %)	<i>Vibrio parahaemolyticus</i> (20.9 %)	<i>Vibrio alginolyticus</i> (7.5 %)	<i>Vibrio alginolyticus-diabolicus-parahaemolyticus</i> (5.3 %)	<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i> (0.4 %)
1st	Cefazolin	-	-	-	-	R
	Cephalothin	-	-	-	-	R
	Cephalexin	-	-	-	-	R
	Cefadroxil	-	-	-	-	R
	Cefoxitin	-	-	-	-	R
	Penicillin	-	-	-	-	R
	Penicillin G	-	-	-	-	R
	Oxacillin	-	-	-	-	R
	Ampicillin	-	-	-	-	R
	Amoxicillin	-	-	-	-	R
	Clavamox	-	-	-	-	G
	Gentamicin	-	-	-	-	R
	Tobramycin	-	-	-	-	R
	Neomycin	-	-	-	-	R
	Clindamycin	-	-	-	-	R
	Lincomycin	-	-	-	-	R
	Doxycycline	-	-	-	-	R
	Minocycline	-	-	-	-	R
	Tetracycline	-	-	-	-	R
	Sulfonamide	-	R	R	R	-
2nd	Trimethoprim-sulfamethoxazole	-	-	-	-	R
	Metronidazole	-	-	-	-	R
	Cefovecin	-	-	-	-	R
	Cefpodoxime	-	-	-	-	R
	Ceftiofur	-	-	-	-	R
	Timentin	-	-	-	-	R
3rd	Azithromycin	-	-	-	-	R
	Orbifloxacin	-	-	-	-	R
	Chloramphenicol	-	-	-	-	G
	Florfenicol	-	-	-	-	F
	Amikacin	-	-	-	-	R
	Rifampin	-	-	-	-	P
	Imipenem	-	-	-	-	F
	Levofloxacin	-	-	-	-	R
	Marbofloxacin	-	-	-	-	R
	Pradofloxacin [§]	-	-	-	-	R
	Enrofloxacin	-	-	-	-	R
	Ciprofloxacin ^{§¶}	-	-	-	-	R
	Ceftazidime	-	-	-	-	R
	Mupirocin	-	-	-	-	R
	Nitrofurantoin	-	-	-	-	G
	Colistin	-	-	-	-	R
	Ticarillin	-	-	-	-	R
	Piperacillin-Tazobactam	-	-	-	-	G

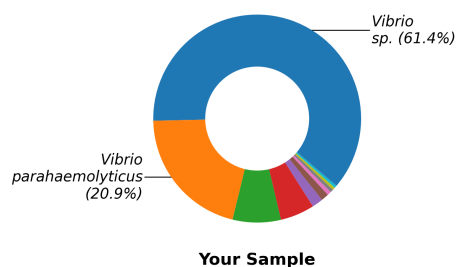
Abbreviation Keys and Symbols:

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

*	Antibiotic Drug Tiers for Companion Animals, Antimicrobial Resistance and Stewardship Initiative, University of Minnesota
§	Contraindicated in animal patients
¶	Variable bioavailability in animal patients

Supplemental Data

Total Bacteria Composition



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<i>(c)Flavobacteriia</i> sp.	--	1.71	3,600
<i>Salinivibrio costicola</i>	--	1.19	2,500
<i>Pseudoalteromonas ruthenica</i>	--	0.61	1,300
<i>(c)Gammaproteobacteria</i> sp.	--	0.49	1,000

Total Fungal Composition

No Fungi Detected!

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

The table below lists antimicrobial resistance genes that are detected in this sample. For antibiotics usage guidance, please first refer to the "Antibiotic Resistance" table shown in Page 2. Use this table only as an additional resource when needed. Inferring antimicrobial resistance from the resistance genes detected should be cautious, especially in a mixed microbial population.

AMR_Gene_Detected	Resistance_Against	Function
<i>ANT(6)-Ia</i>	aminoglycoside	aminoglycoside nucleotidyltransferase
<i>lnuA</i>	lincosamide	lincosamide nucleotidyltransferase
<i>blaZ</i>	penam	class A beta-lactamase
<i>ermC</i>	streptogramin, macrolide, lincosamide	23S rRNA methyltransferase
<i>msrA</i>	streptogramin, tetracycline, phenicol, macrolide, lincosamide	ABC-F ribosomal protection protein
<i>sul2</i>	sulfonamide	dihydropteroate synthase
<i>tetW</i>	tetracycline	ribosomal protection protein
<i>tetL</i>	tetracycline	tetracycline efflux pump
<i>tetC</i>	tetracycline	tetracycline efflux pump

References

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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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