

Presumptive ID Chart for Francisella tularemia a

	Brucella spp.	Francisella tularemia	Psychrobacter phenylpyruvicus	Oligella ureolytica _a	Haemophilus spp. ^b
Gram stain morphology	tiny ccb, stains faintly	Tiny ccb, stains faint	ccb, rods, retains crystal violet	tiny ccb	Tiny ccb
Catalase	+	-, or weakly +	+	+	V
Oxidase	+	-	+	+	V
BAP distinctions	-	+ (scant growth)	-	-	No growth ^b
MAC-48 h	-	-	-	-	-

a Reactions extracted from ASM Sentinel Protocols for *Brucella* spp. and *F. tularemia*; NA, not applicable; v, variable; ccb, coocbacilli. *O. ureolytica* is primarily a uropathogen.

b Only grows on CHOC (requires X & V); or on BAP associated with staphylococcus colony (satellite test).