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ABBREVIATIONS

API	Analysis Profile Index
CaCO ₃	Calcium carbonate
g	Grams
h	hour
HCL	Hydrochloric Acid
H ₂ O ₂	Hydrogen peroxide
LAB	Lactic acid bacteria
µg	Microgram
mm	Millimeter
MRS	de Man Rogosa Sharpe
NAOH	Sodium Hydroxide
nm	Nanometer
OD	Optical density
PCR	polymerase chain reaction
RAPD-PCR	Randomly amplified polymorphic DNA polymerase chain reaction
sp/spp.	Species

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