

**Genomic and exoproteomic analysis of two MLST clade 2 strains of *Clostridioides difficile* from Latin America reveal close similarities**

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Number of proteins	Identification of Proteins ( <i>C. difficile</i> )	Access code	ICC-45 – Total spectrum	NAP1/027 – Total spectrum
1	cell surface protein (S-layer precursor protein)	gi 255307831	5359	4001
2	toxin A	gi 255305655	3399	2202
3	toxin B	gi 126698238	2633	1501
4	<b>S-layer protein</b>	gi 126700409	78	2707
5	acetyl-CoA acetyltransferase	gi 126698643	1260	989
6	<b>NAD-specific glutamate dehydrogenase</b>	gi 126697752	826	837
7	pyruvate-ferredoxin oxidoreductase	gi 126700296	895	650
8	aminotransferase	gi 126701292	688	557
9	<b>cold shock protein CspB</b>	gi 126698954	663	670
10	3-hydroxybutyryl-CoA dehydrogenase	gi 126698642	612	410
11	<b>rubrerythrin</b>	gi 126699128	515	573
12	chaperone DnaK	gi 126700078	527	335
13	enolase	gi 126700790	577	357
14	isocaprenoyl-CoA:2-hydroxyisocaproate CoA-transferase	gi 126697964	463	335
15	electron transfer flavoprotein subunit beta	gi 126697969	414	261
16	oxygen-sensitive 2-hydroxyisocaproyl-CoA dehydratase subunit C	gi 126697967	414	255
17	putative surface protein	gi 255308293	291	128
18	electron transfer flavoprotein subunit alpha	gi 126697970	375	253
19	cell surface protein	gi 255307829	286	227
20	formate-tetrahydrofolate ligase	gi 123453210	255	244
21	50S ribosomal protein L7/L12	gi 126697631	361	179
22	gamma-aminobutyrate metabolism dehydratase/isomerase	gi 126699959	220	176
23	aldehyde dehydrogenase family protein	gi 531109986	244	158
24	60 kDa chaperonin	gi 255305190	312	167
25	trehalose-6-phosphate hydrolase	gi 126700708	266	156
26	translation inhibitor endoribonuclease	gi 126700129	266	121
27	peptidase	gi 123452052	276	98
28	peptidase D	gi 126698287	260	168
29	subunit of oxygen-sensitive 2-hydroxyisocaproyl-CoA dehydratase	gi 255305394	225	210
30	aspartate aminotransferase	gi 126698938	234	140
31	glyceraldehyde-3-phosphate dehydrogenase	gi 126700794	185	160
32	D-lactate dehydrogenase	gi 126697963	206	119

33	pyrroline-5-carboxylate reductase	gi 126700900	144	110
34	propanediol utilization phosphotransacylase	gi 126700297	243	89
35	oligopeptide ABC transporter, substrate-binding protein	gi 255307707	145	98
36	phosphoglycerate kinase	gi 126700793	154	76
37	fructose-1,6-bisphosphate aldolase	gi 126697972	136	91
38	alpha/beta hydrolase	gi 126699797	134	58
39	anaerobic nitric oxide reductase flavorubredoxin	gi 126698752	171	58
40	succinate-semialdehyde dehydrogenase	gi 126699960	150	132
41	N-acetylmuramoyl-L-alanine amidase	gi 126700400	120	60
42	toxin A	gi 260685955	2874	1910
43	electron transfer flavoprotein subunit alpha	gi 126698640	149	112
44	electron transfer flavoprotein subunit beta	gi 260686277	105	81
45	ferritin	gi 126699811	119	86
46	phosphoenolpyruvate-protein phosphotransferase	gi 260687988	114	75
47	elongation factor G	gi 126697637	114	49
48	NAD-dependent 4-hydroxybutyrate dehydrogenase	gi 255307361	107	93
49	putative nitric oxide reductase flavoprotein	gi 255306635	87	84
50	rubrerythrin	gi 126699078	324	353
51	glutamyl-aminopeptidase	gi 126699768	91	62
52	cysteine desulfurase	gi 126698876	115	52
53	glucose-6-phosphate isomerase	gi 126700904	101	90
54	<b>proline racemase</b>	gi 126700857	75	94
55	putative cell wall hydrolase	gi 123452506	104	47
56	ABC transporter, substrate-binding lipoprotein	gi 255305875	109	21
57	<b>50S ribosomal protein L1</b>	gi 126697629	83	99
58	<b>butyryl-CoA dehydrogenase</b>	gi 260686276	46	77
59	formate acetyltransferase	gi 255305763	42	30
60	cell surface protein	gi 1001999562	45	37
61	hypothetical protein CD630_16600	gi 126699264	89	52
62	3-hydroxybutyryl-CoA dehydratase	gi 126698641	73	69
63	ferredoxin/flavodoxin oxidoreductase subunit gamma	gi 126697690	75	55
64	M24 family peptidase	gi 126700227	81	53
65	elongation factor Ts	gi 126699756	64	16
66	hypothetical protein CdifA_19096	gi 255308707	45	40
67	acyl-CoA dehydrogenase	gi 126697968	76	51
68	inosine 5-monophosphate dehydrogenase	gi 126699953	59	33
69	beta-lactamase family protein	gi 531115368	49	14

70	NifU-like protein	gi 255306237	45	16
71	manganese-dependent inorganic pyrophosphatase	gi 126697905	66	35
72	cell surface protein (putative cell surface-associated cysteine protease)	gi 260210525	62	14
73	O-acetyl-serine thiol-lyase A	gi 126699198	58	39
74	trigger fator	gi 260688508	70	38
75	glycine cleavage system protein H	gi 126698309	67	57
76	transketolase	gi 126699939	47	21
77	chain D, Alanine Racemase	gi 645985739	43	9
78	elongation factor Tu	gi 126697638	54	31
79	oligopeptide family ABC transporter substrate-binding protein	gi 126698435	53	15
80	rubrerythrin	gi 126698405	37	58
81	2-hydroxyacyl-CoA dehydratase	gi 126699356	47	23
82	6-phosphofructokinase	gi 126701018	57	18
83	formate acetyltransferase	gi 260688484	30	28
84	50S ribosomal protein L10	gi 126697630	41	70
85	tellurium resistance protein	gi 126699238	44	45
86	pyruvate kinase	gi 126701017	43	14
87	D-proline reductase PrdA	gi 126700863	39	22
88	putative aminotransferase	gi 123453053	36	11
89	polynucleotide phosphorylase/polyadenylase	gi 126698917	41	23
90	hypothetical protein CdifA_05660	gi 255306059	33	12
91	ribosome recycling fator	gi 126699754	26	52
92	putative phosphate butyryltransferase	gi 123453214	53	11
93	50S ribosomal protein L5	gi 126697652	19	36
94	putative amino acid racemase	gi 255307859	61	4
95	decarboxylase	gi 260687271	46	46
96	butyrate kinase	gi 126697685	28	30
97	30S ribosomal protein S16	gi 123453547	41	41
98	DNA-directed RNA polymerase subunit beta	gi 126697633	36	7
99	ferredoxin-NADP(+) reductase subunit alpha	gi 260686749	26	25
100	hypothetical protein CdifA_19448	gi 255308768	49	31
101	triosephosphate isomerase	gi 255308207	58	18
102	tellurium resistance protein	gi 126699239	50	52
103	glycine reductase complex component C subunit beta	gi 126699967	14	11
104	adenylate kinase	gi 260685465	41	25
105	50S ribosomal protein L3	gi 126697640	61	2
106	toxin B	gi 260685953	1062	657

107	peptidase	gi 260688699	43	11
108	NUDIX family hydrolase	gi 260686089	32	28
109	hypothetical protein CD630_24460	gi 400927444	26	17
110	putative bifunctional carbon monoxide dehydrogenase/acetyl-CoA synthase	gi 255305718	16	12
111	indolepyruvate oxidoreductase subunit	gi 255307406	22	6
112	bifunctional carbon monoxide dehydrogenase/acetyl-CoA synthase complex subunit alpha/beta	gi 126698308	34	12
113	30S ribosomal protein S8	gi 126697654	34	29
114	cysteinyl-tRNA synthetase	gi 260685418	27	11
115	cell wall protein	gi 400927472	18	4
116	acetyl-CoA decarbonylase/synthase complex subunit gamma	gi 255305729	12	25
117	pilin	gi 255308544	32	26
118	oxidoreductase	gi 126699141	27	12
119	nitroreductase-family protein	gi 126698718	27	6
120	serine hydroxymethyltransferase	gi 126700341	15	1
121	chaperonin GroES	gi 126697766	21	42
122	translation initiation factor IF-3	gi 126698264	30	19
123	hypothetical protein CDR20291_3527	gi 260688868	35	9
124	phosphate butyryltransferase	gi 126697684	35	4
125	thiamine-phosphate synthase	gi 126699205	19	19
126	pyochelin synthetase F	gi 255305434	9	4
127	DNA-directed RNA polymerase subunit alpha	gi 126697669	31	12
128	flagellin subunit	gi 260685615	38	0
129	tellurium resistance protein	gi 126699408	31	9
130	bacteriocin-associated integral membrane family protein	gi 531109313	14	11
131	cell surface protein (S-layer precursor protein)	gi 123451639	77	97
132	hypothetical protein CD630_08070	gi 126698387	22	25
133	hypothetical protein CD630_35710	gi 126701198	24	22
134	diguanylate kinase signaling protein	gi 126699025	32	0
135	30S ribosomal protein S3	gi 126697646	21	19
136	50S ribosomal protein L4	gi 760237126	32	7
137	threonine--tRNA ligase	gi 531119503	11	7
138	50S ribosomal protein L11	gi 126697628	9	13
139	cell-wall hydrolase	gi 126700384	30	11
140	4Fe-4S binding domain-containing protein	gi 126697687	35	5
141	DNA/RNA helicase	gi 400927363	6	2
142	transcription elongation factor GreA	gi 126701179	21	1

143	pyruvate phosphate dikinase	gi 260687649	10	1
144	peptidase T	gi 126698630	13	3
145	adenylosuccinate synthetase	gi 126701282	15	9
146	4-aminobutyrate aminotransferase	gi 255307170	14	2
147	elongation factor P	gi 126698842	14	9
148	heat shock protein 90	gi 126697845	19	3
149	rubredoxin oxidoreductase	gi 260686125	10	12
150	ferredoxin/flavodoxin oxidoreductase subunit alpha	gi 126697688	6	13
151	carbon monoxide dehydrogenase/acetyl-CoA synthase complex, dihydrolipoyl dehydrogenase subunit	gi 260686019	16	0
152	GMP synthase	gi 126697769	12	0
153	1-phosphofructokinase	gi 531111417	20	8
154	n-acetylmuramoyl-l-alanine amidase	gi 260686827	19	5
155	cell division protein FtsZ	gi 126700260	22	0
156	heat shock protein	gi 123451155	9	8
157	tellurium resistance protein	gi 123450620	14	5
158	proline reductase	gi 260688442	13	0
159	cell wall binding repeat 2 family protein	gi 531118578	13	2
160	Nitroreductase	gi 126700191	12	8
161	S-adenosylmethionine synthetase	gi 126697702	13	13
162	Phosphoglyceromutase	gi 255308206	24	0
163	sugar family ABC transporter substrate-binding protein	gi 126700259	12	3
164	putative polysaccharide deacetylase	gi 123452999	21	0
165	DNA polymerase III subunit beta	gi 123452711	14	7
166	Translaldolase	gi 126699947	14	9
167	iron-only hydrogenase, catalytic subunit	gi 260688570	18	0
168	hypothetical protein CdifA_11162	gi 255307139	9	3
169	Xaa-Pro dipeptidase	gi 126699965	12	0
170	30S ribosomal protein S13	gi 126697666	10	4
171	50S ribosomal protein L24	gi 400927242	9	8
172	Oxidoreductase	gi 126700638	10	1
173	aspartate aminotransferase	gi 760239936	11	1
174	putative signaling protein	gi 255305513	3	0
175	hypothetical protein CD630_19530	gi 126699562	17	0
176	sigma-54 factor interaction domain-containing protein	gi 255305861	3	2
177	cell surface protein	gi 760239296	9	2
178	hypothetical protein CD196_1925	gi 260683661	13	0

179	Thioredoxin		gi 126699296	4	5
180	dihydrodipicolinate synthase 3		gi 126700845	5	1
181	50S ribosomal protein L21		gi 126698756	12	8
182	30S ribosomal protein S4		gi 126697668	7	1
183	delta-aminolevulinic acid dehydratase		gi 255308448	14	0
184	phosphohexomutase		gi 126699936	6	0
185	hypothetical protein CdifA_02508		gi 255305433	1	2
186	hemagglutinin/adhesin		gi 126698095	0	2
187	hydrolase beta-lactamase-like		gi 126700357	11	0
188	30S ribosomal protein S7		gi 126697636	5	3
189	Rrf2 family transcriptional regulator		gi 126698875	10	0
190	threonine dehydratase II		gi 126700130	5	0
191	hypothetical protein CD630_19700		gi 126699579	5	1
192	ribulose-phosphate 3-epimerase		gi 126700194	8	0
193	deoxyguanosinetriphosphate triphosphohydrolase-like protein		gi 255306687	6	0
194	DNA primase		gi 260686668	2	1
195	putative hydrolase		gi 123450945	4	0
196	hypothetical protein CD630_02790		gi 126697851	8	0
197	1-(5-phosphoribosyl)-5-[(5-phosphoribosylamino)methyliden imidazole-4-carboxamide isomerase	eamino]	gi 260686765	5	1

\* Red color: Proteins in greater quantity in NAP1 strain than ICC-45.