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| **S1 Table**. STEC strains used in this study | |
| **Strain** | **Source** |
| EH41 | Patient with HUS |
| Ec472/01 | Bovine feces |
| 226/1 | Bovine feces |
| Ec670/05 | Bovine feces |
| Ec254/01 | Bovine feces |
| Ec226/04 | Bovine feces |
| Ec503/05 | Goat feces |
| Ec182/04 | Buffalo feces |
| Ec624/05 | Bovine feces |
| Ec684/04 | Bovine feces |
| Ec253/02 | Bovine feces |
| Ec784 | Beef meat |