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TABLE 8 Comparison of the fermentation products of *E. coli* and *K. oxytoca* (*Aerobacter indologenes*)

Product	Mol produced per 100 mol of glucose ^a	
	<i>E. coli</i>	<i>K. oxytoca</i>
Acetic acid	36	8
Acetoin		2
2,3-Butanediol		58
Carbon dioxide	88	140
Ethanol	50	70
Formic acid	2	54
Hydrogen	75	11
Lactic acid	79	6
Succinic acid	10	

^aData taken from reference 174.